



# Chaska City Hall Bulletin

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## 2011 Flood Update #16

Thursday March 24, 2011 – 9:00AM

### Taken from the Carver County Flood Information Site

**Current information on Road closures in Carver County is as follows:**

**NEW** – 94th Street & Vega Ave.

**NEW** – 86th Street & Vega Ave.

Hwy 41 River Crossing

Hwy 101 River Crossing

Mill Ave. at Ironwood Ave. In Watertown

Co. Rd. 30 at the County Line

82nd Street between Union Ave. and Co. Rd. 32

Union Ave. Between 82nd Street and 78th Street

Yancy Ave. between 78th Street and Co. Rd. 30

Jonathon Carver Parkway at the Jordan river bridge

Co. Rd. 123, just north of Hwy 7

Co. Rd. 40 / Main Street Bridge in downtown Carver

3rd Street Bridge in downtown Carver

(Athletic Park on 03-24-11)



#### Anticipated Road Closures:

62nd Street – March 24th or 25th

Co. Rd. 32 – March 25th or 26th

These road closures are **anticipated** and are dependant on the river forecast.

**The current information on the Minnesota and Crow Rivers is as follows:**

#### Minnesota River

On the Minnesota River at Jordan the reading is **30.17 ft.** with a flood stage in Jordan of 25 ft.

The Jordan location indicates an approximate **1.18 ft rise** since 5:00pm yesterday afternoon.

The current flood forecast from the National Weather Service indicates a crest level for the Minnesota River at **32.0 ft.** (Jordan reading) on or near Monday March 28th.

**Crow River**

Mayer Location:

On the Crow River at Hwy. 7, the reading was **14.76 ft.** with a flood stage at Mayer of 11 ft. The Mayer location indicates an approximate **1.09 ft. rise** since 5:00pm yesterday afternoon.

Watertown Location (Manual Gauge)

On the Crow River at the Co. Rd. 10 Bridge, the reading was **14.15 ft.**

The Watertown location indicates an approximate **0.92 ft. rise** since 5:00pm yesterday afternoon.

Delano Location:

On the Crow River at Delano, the reading was **16.75 ft.** with a flood stage at Delano of 16.5ft.

The Delano location indicates an approximate **0.89 ft. rise** since 5:00pm yesterday afternoon.

The current flood forecast from the National Weather Service indicates a crest level for the Crow River at **15.5 ft.** (Mayer reading) on or near Saturday March 26th.

**Related Websites**

National Weather Service – Chanhassen <http://www.crh.noaa.gov/mpx>

State of Minnesota <http://www.state.mn.us>

MN Department of Emergency Management and Homeland Security (HSEM)

<http://www.hsem.state.mn.us>

MN Department of Natural Resources (DNR) <http://www.dnr.state.mn.us>

MN Department of Transportation (DOT) <http://www.dot.state.mn.us>

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) <http://www.fema.gov>

**Misc. Items**

There are currently flood related preparations being conducted in Carver County. Thank you for taking the time to stay current on Carver County flood information! This information is updated by 10:00am every morning. Go to: [www.co.carver.mn.us](http://www.co.carver.mn.us)

For further information, contact these Carver County employees:

Ken Carlson, Emergency Management Director – 952-361-1527

Josh Carlyle, Emergency Preparedness Planner – 952-361-1303

Tim Walsh, Safety Officer – 952-361-1539



**CHASKA COMMUNITY  
CENTER  
ACTIVITIES**

**NOT GOING ANYWHERE FOR SPRING  
BREAK?**

Join us for a vacation in Chaska!

March 28 – March 31

Each day, experience a new adventure!

Children ages 9 to 11 must have a parent in the building. Children under 9 must be accompanied by an adult. No registration necessary.

**MONDAY, MARCH 28:  
Skates and Floats!**

Come for open skate at the CCC and you can get a root beer float for 50¢.

Time: 11:30 am–12:30 p.m.

Place: Arena II

Cost: Free for Members

\$2 for Non-Members

50¢ for root beer floats.



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**TUESDAY, MARCH 29:  
Hawaiian Swim!**

Come to the CCC for a Hawaiian open swim! No registration necessary.

Time: 1:00–4:30 p.m.

Cost: Free for members

Reduced rate for youth non-members wearing Hawaiian.

\$2 for residents

\$3.50 for non-residents. (If you are not dressed Hawaiian, you will pay the regular open swim rate).



**TUESDAY, MARCH 29:  
Way Cool Cooking School & Swimming**

Spend a full day with us as we begin our day with arts, crafts and games. We will head to the Way Cool Cooking School in Eden Prairie for some hands on fun and even cook our own pizza lunch. For afternoon fun we will get suited up and head to the CCC pool! Make sure to bring a swimsuit and towel. Lunch is included in this adventure.

**THURSDAY, MARCH 31:**

**Mega Movie!**

Join us for pizza, pop, and a movie. We will be watching **Toy**

**Story 3** on a large screen in the CCC Community Room. No registration is necessary. Come and bring your friends too!

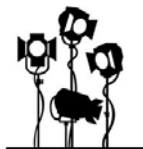
Time: 11:30 a m

Place: Community Room

Cost: Movie is free; Pizza is \$2 per slice



**Prairie Fire Theater Spring Break Camp**



Alice in Wonderland  
Limited space is available. For more information, go to:

[www.chaskacommunitycenter.com](http://www.chaskacommunitycenter.com).

**School's Out! Spring Break Adventures  
Ages 6 to 12**

Join us for four fun filled non-school day adventures. Each day will be filled with fun activities and a special outing. All activity prices include: chaperones, lunch, transportation, ticket and admissions, and an afternoon snack. Activities run from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm each day with a 1 to12 ratio chaperoned by the City's Park and Recreation staff. All activities begin and end at the CCC.

Register on line at:  
[www.chaskacommunitycenter.com](http://www.chaskacommunitycenter.com).

Space is limited.

Cost: \$40 per child each day

Time: 8:00 am–4:00 pm

Call for extended care availability (952)–227–7742. No extra fees apply.

**FISH SHORE LUNCH  
BAKED BREADED FISH, BUN, COLE SLAW,  
DESSERT, REFRESHMENT**

**FRIDAY, MARCH 25<sup>TH</sup> 11 am -1:30 pm  
COST \$6 ADULTS OR \$3 KIDS  
CCC COMMUNITY ROOM**



**PROCEEDS TO  
BENEFIT THE  
CHASKA LETS GO  
FISHING TAKE-A-  
KID FISHING  
PROGRAM.**

**Chaska Human Rights Commission  
Meeting**

**Chaska City Hall**

**6:30 pm**

**Tonight – March 24, 2011**

**Today is See If You Can Remember  
How to Play Parcheesi Day.**