



FLOOD RISK MANAGEMENT SAND BAG POLICY

Purpose

To provide information on the best use and practices for the utilization and distribution of sand bags in case of a flood.

1. Sand bags will be made available to protect the following areas:
 - ⇒ Well heads
 - ⇒ Dwellings and out buildings
 - ⇒ Driveways
2. Sand for the bags will be provided in the designated areas. Sand and sand bags will be delivered to pre-determined specific location(s).
3. It is the responsibility of the homeowner/user to install the sand bags where indicated.
4. An initial site inspection will take place and the installation of sand bags will be determined prior to the delivery of the sand bags.
5. Each household in low lying areas will be limited to a maximum of 300 bags per lot. Additional bags will be subject to a site inspection.
6. Homeowners must indicate their address. Homeowners are to sign for the bags and by doing so, accept responsibility for the removal of the bags.
7. Sand bags are an “in-kind” service and no liability will be assumed by Nipissing First Nation.

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