

All Residents of River Plantation:

It is with a heavy heart that I am writing this request. I received a call from our County Commissioner, Charlie Riley this morning advising me to evacuate all of River Plantation. Charlie has sent me the release below. Homes that have never received water will flood. The shelters that can accommodate you and your families are College Park High School 3701 College Park Woodlands 77384 or Magnolia High School 14350 FM 1488 Magnolia 77354.

Please do not hesitate to evacuate, your life is more important to your family and friends. We will ban together as a community after this tragedy and help all our friends and neighbors.



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**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

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**New Record Release and Water Level for Lake Conroe**

The Lake Conroe water level has now risen to 205.88 feet above mean sea level (MSL). The previous record water level for the lake was 205.60 in 1994.

The current release rate from Lake Conroe is 73,201 cubic feet per second (cfs). The previous record set in 1994 was 33,360 cfs.

Hurricane Harvey has created an extreme weather event for the entire Houston region, and SJRA personnel are working around the clock to deal with the tremendous amounts of rainfall that are impacting the watershed.

Anyone interested in monitoring Lake Conroe levels, releases, rainfall totals, or stream flows can visit [www.sjra.net](http://www.sjra.net) and click on the link for "Lake and River Conditions." This link can be found near the top right corner of the home page where current lake conditions are listed. We will also post press releases and other updates on our home page.

For additional information visit our website at [www.sjra.net](http://www.sjra.net) or like SJRA on Facebook

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Should you get caught in your home, please call 936-760-5800 or 911. Please do not put your life in danger. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Sincerely,

Jamie Goodman

RPCIA President