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Heavy Rains Force Closure of Comal River

New Braunfels, Texas — Due to heavy rains and the resulting high and fast moving water, the Comal River in New Braunfels is now closed to recreation for the remainder of the day today (Sunday, June 14, 2015).

River conditions will be reevaluated Monday morning (June 15, 2015). At that time, a determination will be made about whether recreation can resume. Another press release will be sent once that determination is made.

As of this release, the Comal River is flowing at around 700 cfs (cubic feet per second), and water has gone over the top of the Tube Chute dam. Anyone currently on the river below the Tube Chute will be allowed to finish their float, however, no further recreational river traffic will be allowed to enter the water until the river flow has diminished.

The Guadalupe River in New Braunfels is currently flowing at over 5000 cfs and remains closed to tubing. Only rafting and kayaking is allowed, and guided rafting trips through local river outfitters are highly advised.

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