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Heavy Rains Force Temporary 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 (Wednesday, June 17, 2015).

River conditions will be reevaluated Thursday morning (June 18, 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 over 1700 cfs (cubic feet per second), and water has gone over the top of the Tube Chute dam.

The Guadalupe River in New Braunfels is currently flowing at over 3500 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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