



NEWS RELEASE

PORTIONS OF SIBLEY CSAH 5 AND 6 CLOSING TODAY

March 20, 2019

Gaylord, Minn. – Sibley County Public Works has closed Sibley County State Aid Highway (CSAH) 5 from CSAH 6 to the Blakeley Bridge and Sibley CSAH 6 from State Highway 19 in Henderson to Sibley CSAH 60, due to flooding on the Minnesota River.

CLOSED highways:

- Sibley CSAH 5 from CSAH 6 to the Blakely Bridge
 - Closed March 20
- Sibley CSAH 6 from State Highway 19 to Sibley CSAH 60
 - Closed March 20

Flooding is difficult to predict and roads may be closed or restricted without warning. Log and ice jams can further complicate flood forecasts. Motorists are advised to check road conditions at www.511mn.org in advance of travel. When a road is closed it is illegal to travel in that area. Motorists can be fined up to \$1,000 and/or 90 days in jail. In addition, if travelers need to be rescued from a closed road, other expenses and penalties will apply.

Any questions regarding specific route closures should be directed to Sibley County Public Works at (507) 237-4092.

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