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# PRESS RELEASE

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## STORM RECOVERY UPDATE

Morro Bay, California -

### Road Conditions:

- Hwy 1 is open in both directions.
- South Bay Boulevard is now open.
- Quintana Road is now open.
- Main Street remains closed from southbound Highway 1 on- and off-ramps north to Errol Street.
- State Park Road remains closed.
- Radcliff is open to local traffic only. Please use caution.
- There is no access to northbound Highway 1 on- and off-ramps from Main Street at this time.

**Evacuations:** Silver City Mobile Home Park is no longer under an evacuation warning. Residents can begin to return to their homes. Please be aware of additional rain forecasted for Tuesday.

**Main Street, Errol Street, and Preston Lane Cleanup:** Crews are at work removing mud and debris from Main Street in order to reopen the roadway as soon as safely possible. This work on Main Street is expected to take 2-3 days. Once Main Street is open, crews will shift cleanup efforts to Errol Street and Preston Lane.

Debris bins on Preston Lane are currently available to local residents to dispose of flood damaged items only. City staff will monitor these bins each day at 12:00 p.m. and will remove any non-flood damaged items per federal regulations. More bins have been ordered for placement on Errol Street.

Household hazardous waste and e-waste will not be accepted at these waste bins. The Integrated Waste Management Authority accepts these items at their Morro Bay Household Hazardous Waste Facility on 160 Atascadero Road on Saturdays from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. For questions, contact Public Works Director, Greg Kwolek at [gkwolek@morrobayca.gov](mailto:gkwolek@morrobayca.gov)

**Weather:** City officials are continuing to closely monitor the weather, as a storm is expected to hit the area on Tuesday, March 14, 2023. The safety of our community is our top priority, and we encourage all residents and visitors to stay informed about weather updates and follow any safety advisories.

**Disaster Assistance:** Applications for FEMA assistance can be found at [www.disasterassistance.gov](http://www.disasterassistance.gov) or by calling 1-800-621-3362. Information is also available at [www.RecoverSLO.org](http://www.RecoverSLO.org).

**Updates:** Stay updated by following the City of Morro Bay on Facebook, visiting [www.ReadySLO.org](http://www.ReadySLO.org) for County information, visiting the National Weather Service website, and signing up for City News on the Notify Me portion of the web site at .

We want to express our gratitude to all city staff who have worked tirelessly to respond to the recent storm and flooding events. Their dedication and hard work have been instrumental in ensuring the safety and well-being of our community.