## CASS COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION NEWS RELEASE

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## Local Road Flooding

## THE ROAD COMMISSION WANTS YOU TO KNOW . . .

Now that the spring thaw has begun travelers should be aware of the possibility of local road flooding conditions. Warmer temperatures bring melting snow and rain holding water close to the road. Water from saturated field's spills over onto the road system leaving areas of the road covered with water.

These conditions may create unsafe driving conditions, especially at night when it may be very difficult to see. If you are aware of such a location please contact the Road Commission office at 269-445-8611 or the Office of the Sheriff at 269-445-1560 so we can determine if additional safety signs are necessary.

Please be aware that when water is held on the road it is also possible that the road is damaged beneath the water, potholes are common in these conditions and can cause serious car damage and injury if hit at high speeds. The Road Commission suggests you leave early and take your time driving so you arrive at your destination safely.

Please check our website for updates on road closures by visiting www.casscoroad.com