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CAUTIONARY NOTICE

The National Environment Management Authority (NEMA) is notifying the public and persons living near rivers and streams that due to heavy rains pounding the Country, most major rivers are loaded with large volumes of silt and debris and are therefore breaking their banks beyond the prescribed riparian reserve setback.

All developers in low-lying areas especially along Nairobi River, River Athi and Athi plains Including Kajiado and Isinya irrespective of adherence to the riparian reserve are required to put in place emergency measures to evacuate, should necessity arise. Also they should monitor river flow levels periodically including during night-time.

Also, all those with tall trees or canopies close to their residences are cautioned to keep safe distance and avoid parking vehicles under them.

All motorist using flooded roads need to exercise patience and avoid crossing flooded sections until the water subsides. They should also drive at reasonably low speeds in order to be able to detect risks like fault lines in flooded areas and mud slumps in good time. The incidence hotline to call is **0786101100**.

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