


# GetFloodFluent.org Social Posts & Graphics

## KNOW THE FACTS

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### FLOODING IS A FACT IN HAMPTON ROADS

Anywhere it can rain, it can flood.

 Over the past 70 years, heavy rainfall events have become more intense and frequent in our area, and that trend is expected to continue.

    **NEXT STEPS**    

Understand the risks. Get the facts. Take action to stay safe and protect your family, home and property.


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### FLOODING IS A FACT IN HAMPTON ROADS

Sea level in Hampton Roads is rising.

 The sea is rising here by one inch every five years. That's among the fastest rates on the East Coast.

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### FLOODING IS A FACT IN HAMPTON ROADS

Hampton Roads is sinking.

Our region is facing a one-two punch: rising seas **and** sinking ground. Together, they're pushing floodwaters farther inland, threatening more homes and neighborhoods than ever before.

 Don't wait for water at your door. Know your risk now.

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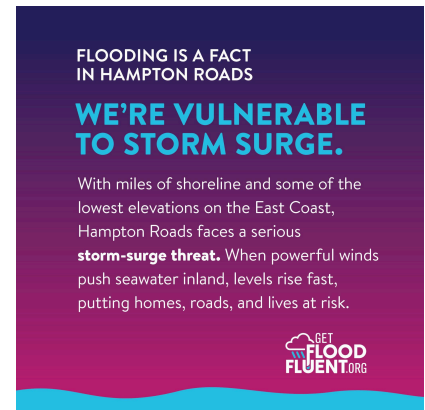
## FLOODING IS A FACT IN HAMPTON ROADS

**We're vulnerable to storm surge.**

With miles of shoreline and some of the lowest elevations on the East Coast, Hampton Roads faces a **serious storm-surge threat**. When powerful winds push seawater inland, levels rise fast, putting homes, roads, and lives at risk.

💧 It's a fact. Understand storm surge. Protect your family and property.

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## KNOW YOUR RISK

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### KNOW YOUR FLOOD RISK IN HAMPTON ROADS

**Know your flood zone.**

Do you know your home's flood zone? Many people don't, and that could cost you. With rising seas and stronger storms, understanding your property's flood risk isn't optional, it's essential.

💧 Use our easy map lookup tool to see your flood zone today and take steps to protect your home and family.

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### KNOW YOUR FLOOD RISK IN HAMPTON ROADS

**Low risk does not mean no risk.**

More than 25% of all flood claims nationwide come from outside high-risk zones. LINE REMOVED

💧 Don't assume you're safe. Check your flood zone and understand your true risk today.

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### KNOW YOUR FLOOD RISK IN HAMPTON ROADS

**The damage from just one inch of flooding can cost thousands.**

Flood damage can happen in the blink of an eye and adds up just as quickly. In fact, the average flood insurance claim in Hampton Roads from 2014 to 2024 was nearly \$30,000.

💧 Don't wait until it's too late. Check your flood zone and learn how to protect your property today.

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### KNOW YOUR FLOOD RISK IN HAMPTON ROADS

**Flood insurance pays whether or not federal disaster assistance is available.**

Think federal disaster aid will cover flood damage? Think again. Federal assistance only kicks in after a declaration, and even then it's usually a **low-interest loan**. LINE REMOVED

💧 Don't leave your home and savings unprotected.

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## TAKE ACTION

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### PROTECT YOURSELF AND YOUR PROPERTY FROM FLOODING IN HAMPTON ROADS

**Learn how to protect your property.**

👉 Build Smart

Hire licensed contractors, get the right permits, elevate new or existing structures, and make sure your project doesn't block drainage or push water onto your neighbors.




### Manage Rainfall

Clean gutters, point downspouts away from your home, and keep a good grade around your foundation to steer water safely.

### Plan Ahead

Install flood vents, elevate HVAC and other critical systems, and store valuables in waterproof containers. And—most important—get flood insurance.

 Protect your home. Protect your future.

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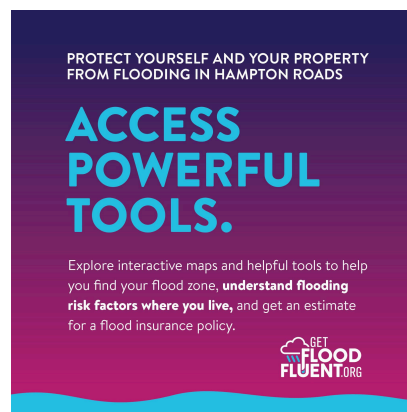
### Access powerful tools.

Explore interactive maps and helpful tools to help you find your flood zone, understand flooding risk factors where you live, and get an estimate for a flood insurance policy.

With this information, you'll better understand and be ready to take action to protect your home and family before the next storm hits.

 Check your risk. Plan ahead. Stay safe.

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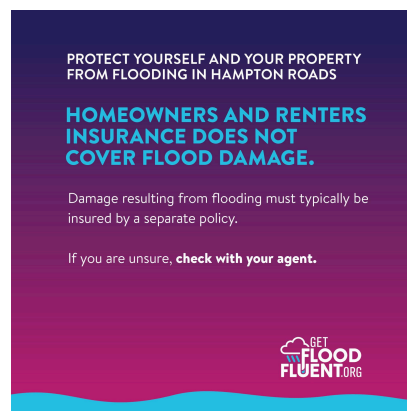
### Homeowners and renters insurance does *not* cover flood damage.

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## PROTECT YOURSELF AND YOUR PROPERTY FROM FLOODING IN HAMPTON ROADS

**Don't wait to get a flood insurance quote.**

LINE REMOVED There's a 30-day waiting period before your flood policy takes effect so get started today! If your insurance company doesn't offer flood policies and you'd like a referral, contact the National Flood Insurance Program's Help Center at 877-336-2627.

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