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Run-off From Heavy Rains Prompts Another Temporary Closure of Comal River

New Braunfels, Texas — Continued run-off from heavy rains has once again increased the level of the Comal River in New Braunfels. As of this release, the Comal River is flowing at over 675 cfs (with about 445 cfs coming into the river from the Dry Comal Creek), and water is once again flowing over the top of the Tube Chute Dam. Therefore, the Comal River in New Braunfels is once again temporarily closed to recreation for the remainder of the day today (Friday, June 19, 2015).

River conditions will be reevaluated Saturday morning (June 20, 2015). At that time, a determination will be made about whether recreation can resume. Another press release will be sent once that determination is made.

Meanwhile, the Guadalupe River in New Braunfels is currently flowing at over 5400 cfs and remains closed to tubing. Only rafting and kayaking is allowed, and guided rafting trips through local river outfitters are highly advised.

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