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Temporary Closure of Comal River Continues

New Braunfels, Texas — Due to continued rainfall, the Comal River in New Braunfels will remain closed to recreation. As of this release, the flow of the Comal River is at approximately 550cfs. This closure will remain in effect for the remainder of the day today (Dec. 4, 2016) and conditions on the Comal River will be reevaluated Monday morning to determine if the river can be reopened. Another press release will be sent once that determination has been made. There is currently no change in status to recreation on the Guadalupe River inside the city limits of New Braunfels.

It should be noted that forecasters with the National Weather Service are predicting continued rainfall over the next two days, with heavy rain possible. Those factors will also play a role in future decisions made by city officials.

The New Braunfels Police Department would like to remind area drivers to use caution on area roads. Slow down, leave plenty of room between you and the person in front of you, and always remember: **TURN AROUND, DON'T DROWN.**

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