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TO: Each Supervisor
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Director of Public Works

STORM REPORT JANUARY 23, 2008, TO JANUARY 28, 2008

The series of rain and snow storms that began on Wednesday, January 23, 2008, is anticipated to pass later today. As of 6 a.m. on January 28, 2008, the storms produced total precipitation amounts as follows:

Downtown Los Angeles	4.08 inches
Antelope Valley	2.72 inches
Catalina	3.83 inches
Malibu	4.40 inches
San Fernando Valley	5.61 inches
San Gabriel Mountains	8.24 inches
San Gabriel Valley	4.44 inches
Santa Clarita Area	9.24 inches

Road and flood maintenance crews conducted round-the-clock storm response activities to remove mud, debris, fallen trees, snow, ice, and rocks from County roads and drainage facilities. Early Friday morning, a portion of the Hume Road slope stabilization facilities in the Santa Monica Mountains was damaged. The failed area has been covered with plastic and runoff has been redirected. Our engineering geologists are further assessing the damage.

Our road crews cleaned up a minor mudslide on Colima Road west of Hacienda Boulevard. The source of the mudslide is believed to have originated from a private development site being graded on the south side of Colima Road.

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Crews continue to monitor flood control facilities and road conditions. Dams are holding water, and spreading of water for water conservation is at capacity. Per our standard operations, several dams are releasing water into downstream channels.

Please refer to Attachment A for a listing of road closures and estimated reopening dates for unincorporated County roads. This listing appears on Public Works' website (<http://dpw.lacounty.gov/rmd/roadclosure/results.cfm>). Please note that there are other road closures shown on the list that are not related to this storm event.

We continue to monitor the recent Corral, Malibu, Topanga, and Harvard (Burbank) fire areas. We are also monitoring any potential landslide movement at Hume Road in the Santa Monica Mountains, Montellano Avenue in Hacienda Heights, and Plum Canyon Road in the Santa Clarita area.

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cc: Chief Executive Office (William T Fujioka, Lari Sheehan)
Executive Office

Attachment A
County of Los Angeles Department of Public Works

STATUS OF ROAD CLOSURES

There are currently 16 road closures and 0 planned road closure:

CURRENT ROAD CLOSURES					
Street - From / To	Status	Reason	Closed On ▼	Estimated Reopening	*SD
AVENUE S from LONGVIEW RD to 165TH STREET EAST	ROAD CLOSED	CLOSED DUE TO FLOODING	01-27-2008	01-29-2008	5
AVENUE T from LONGVIEW RD to 165TH STREET EAST	ROAD CLOSED	CLOSED DUE TO FLOODING	01-27-2008	01-29-2008	5
LAKE HUGHES RD from 1320 FT SOUTH OF PINE CYN RD to RIDGE ROUTE RD	ROAD CLOSED	MUD AND DEBRIS ON ROADWAY	01-27-2008	01-28-2008	5
BIG PINES HY from LARGO VISTA RD to ANGELES CREST HY	ROAD CLOSED	CLOSED DUE TO SNOW AND ICE ON THE ROADWAY	01-26-2008	01-28-2008	5
CRYSTAL LAKE CLOSED DUE TO SNOW	RESIDENTS & EMERGENCY VEHICLES	HWY 39 IMPASSABLE DUE TO SNOW	01-25-2008	TBD	5
GLENDORA RIDGE ROAD from GLENDORA MOUNTAIN ROAD to MT BALDY ROAD	ROAD CLOSED	HEAVY SNOW AND POOR CONDITIONS ON MOUNTAIN - CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE	01-23-2008	TBD	5
ANGELES FOREST HY from ANGELES CREST HY to SIERRA HY	ROAD CLOSED	CLOSED DUE TO ICY CONDITIONS	01-23-2008	01-29-2008	5
MT WILSON RED BX RD from VIDEO RD to ANGELES CREST HY	ROAD CLOSED	CLOSED DUE TO ICE AND SNOW, AVALANCHES AND ROCK SLIDES	01-22-2008	01-31-2008	5
TABLE MOUNTAIN RD from ANGELES CREST HY to 6700 N ANGELES CREST HY	ACCESS LIMITED. EXPECT DELAYS	CHAIN CONTROL REQUIRED AT 5500'	01-22-2008	PARTIALLY OPENED	5
AUDIO RD from MT WILSON RED BOX RD to MT WILSON CR	ROAD CLOSED	CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC AND NO EXPECTED DATE TO OPEN.	08-03-2006	TBD	5
VIDEO RD from MT WILSON RED BOX RD to AUDIO RD	ROAD CLOSED	CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC AND NO EXPECTED DATE TO OPEN.	08-03-2006	TBD	5
KANAN RD @ MILE MARKER 6.22	LANE CLOSED	PAVEMENT DAMAGED ALONG NORTHBOUND LANE - 04/05 STORM	03-06-2005	12-02-2010	3
ARRASTRE CANYON RD from CROWN VALLEY RD to 2000' SOUTHERLY	RESIDENTS & EMERGENCY VEHICLES	ROAD PARTIALLY CLOSED DUE TO FLOODING AND PAVEMENT LOSS - 04/05 STORM	02-19-2005	03-31-2008	5
SADDLE PEAK RD EAST OF STUNT RD	LANE CLOSED	LANE CLOSED DUE TO ROADWAY DAMAGE - 04/05 STORM	02-09-2005	12-31-2008	3
SCHUEREN RD 365' WEST OF STUNT RD	LANE CLOSED	LANE CLOSED DUE TO SLOPE FAILURE - 04/05 STORM	01-10-2005	12-31-2008	3
LATIGO CANYON RD @ MILE MARKER 2.08	LANE CLOSED	LANE CLOSED DUE TO PAVEMENT DAMAGE - 04/05 STORM	01-09-2005	12-31-2008	3

There are currently 11 recently reopened road closures:

REOPENED ROAD CLOSURES				
Street - From / To	Reason	Closed On	Reopened On	*SD
BOUQUET CYN RD from VASQUEZ CYN RD to SPUNKY CYN RD	CLOSED DUE TO FLOODING, MUD AND DEBRIS ON THE ROADWAY	01-27-2008	01-28-2008	5
GODDE HILL RD from ELIZABETH LAKE RD to AVENUE N	CHAIN CONTROL REQUIRED.	01-24-2008	01-27-2008	5
SPUNKY CYN RD from SN FRANCISQUITO CYN RD to BOUQUET CYN RD	CHAIN CONTROL REQUIRED.	01-24-2008	01-27-2008	5
BOUQUET CYN RD from SPUNKY CYN RD to ELIZABETH LAKE RD	CHAIN CONTROL REQUIRED	01-24-2008	01-27-2008	5
SN FRANCISQUITO CYN RD from SPUNKY CYN RD to ELIZABETH LAKE RD	CHAIN CONTROL REQUIRED.	01-24-2008	01-27-2008	5
JOHNSON RD from ELIZABETH LAKE RD to 110TH STREET WEST	CHAIN CONTROL REQUIRED.	01-24-2008	01-27-2008	5
BIG PINES HY from BIG ROCK CREEK RD to ANGELES CREST HY	CHAIN CONTROL REQUIRED AT 4000' IN BIG PINES AND VALYERMO RD	01-23-2008	01-26-2008	5
BOUQUET CYN RD from VASQUEZ CYN RD to SPUNKY CYN RD	CLOSED DUE TO FLOODING AND MUD FLOWS	01-24-2008	01-25-2008	5
BIG PINES HY from BIG ROCK CREEK RD to ANGELES CREST HY	CHAIN CONTROL REQUIRED AT 5500'	01-22-2008	01-23-2008	5
ANGELES FOREST HY from ANGELES CREST HY to SIERRA HY	CLOSED DUE TO SNOW	01-22-2008	01-22-2008	5
MT WILSON RED BX RD from VIDEO RD to ANGELES CREST HY	CHAIN REQUIRED IN MT WILSON AREA	01-22-2008	01-22-2008	5

* **Supervisorial Districts (SD):**

- [District 1 \(http://molina.lacounty.gov\)](http://molina.lacounty.gov)
- [District 2 \(http://burke.lacounty.gov\)](http://burke.lacounty.gov)
- [District 3 \(http://zev.lacounty.gov\)](http://zev.lacounty.gov)
- [District 4 \(http://knabe.com/\)](http://knabe.com/)
- [District 5 \(http://www.antonovich.com\)](http://www.antonovich.com)