



# CITY OF PITTSBURGH

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

*Luke Ravenstahl, Mayor*

*Michael H. Huss, Director*

**FLOODING MAY POSSIBLY OCCUR IN YOUR AREA AS EARLY AS SATURDAY. PLEASE SECURE YOUR HOME.**

**CITY OFFICIALS WILL ISSUE AN EVACUATION ORDER IF THE RIVER NEAR YOU RISES TO FLOOD LEVEL.**

**BE PREPARED TO EVACUATE.**

- **Make transportation arrangements with friends or family NOW if you do not own a car.**

**IF YOU HAVE NOWHERE TO GO, YOUR EVACUATION SHELTER IS STEVENS SCHOOL LOCATED AT 822 CRUCIBLE STREET.**

**If you are urged to evacuate, do so immediately before your area floods.**

**Do not drive into flooded areas. Many flood-related deaths have occurred in vehicles.**

- Take with you:
  - Warm clothing and blankets
  - Necessary emergency supplies, including special food and medicine
  - Flashlight
  - Personal documents and identification
- Turn off utilities at the main switches or valves. Disconnect electrical appliances.
- **Do not touch electrical equipment if you are wet or standing in water.**
- **Do not walk through moving water.**
  - Just 6 inches of water can sweep you off of your feet
  - Only a foot of water will float many vehicles
- **TAKE YOUR PETS WITH YOU** or plan to have them taken care of at your **LOCAL SHELTER – 412-255-2036.**

**IF YOU ARE UNABLE TO EVACUATE, OR ARE IN DANGER, CALL 911**

**For more information: [www.publicsafety.pittsburghpa.gov](http://www.publicsafety.pittsburghpa.gov)**