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Wiltshire Council joins multi-agency response to storm

Wiltshire Council teams have been working with multi-agency partners to clear fallen trees from roads and deal with isolated flooding incidents during the latest storm to hit the county.

Partners from the Environment Agency, Wiltshire Fire and Rescue Service, Wiltshire Police and the local community erected precautionary flood barriers at Bradford on Avon as the river continued to rise yesterday evening (7 February). These will remain in place until the threat of flooding has passed.

The Staverton Causeway B3105 road near Trowbridge remains closed and Reybridge at Lacock is also closed. The C113 Kellaways road near Langley Burrell is now closed. Teams continue to monitor the situation around the county and are ready to respond should they be required.

Flood alerts remain in place in a number of areas and drivers are being warned to take care on the roads. The latest details on flood warnings are available on the Environment Agency website <https://flood-warning-information.service.gov.uk/map>

The Wiltshire Council twitter account @WiltshireRoads will also have updates on the situation on the roads.