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**VDOT IS MONITORING FOR POTENTIAL FLOODING ON
THE EASTERN SHORE**

Motorists should avoid standing water and unstable or damaged roads

ACCOMACK COUNTY/CHINCOTEAGUE – The Virginia Department of Transportation (VDOT) is monitoring the potential for flooding due to inclement weather and will determine if the Chincoteague Causeway (Route 175) will remain open dependent upon weather and safety. VDOT's first and foremost concern is motorist safety and encourages drivers to stay alert to road conditions and avoid driving through standing water and take an alternate route when possible.

VDOT crews will continue to monitor the safety of the Chincoteague Causeway (Route 175) and will notify the public if the road will be closed due to weather.

Motorists are encouraged to visit www.511virginia.org, call 511, or download Virginia's free 511 Virginia mobile app or 511-integrated Waze app for current traffic and travel information.

Residents are reminded to report damaged roads to VDOT by contacting the VDOT Customer Service Center [here](#) or by calling 800-FOR-ROAD (367-7623).

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