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PRESS RELEASE

PERSON MAKING RELEASE: Chief Deputy Robert Boyce

DATE AND TIME OF INCIDENT: 2/22/18

TYPE OF INCIDENT: Evacuations

LOCATION OF INCIDENT: 3101 River Rd. Township of Sodus and Derfla Drive.
Township of Royalton

AGENCIES INVOLVED:

#1: Berrien County Sheriff's Office

#2: Berrien County Sheriff's Office Marine Division

#3: Royalton Township Fire Department

#4: Sodus Township Fire Department

#5: United States Coast Guard

#6: Benton Charter Township Fire Department

#7: American Red Cross

#8: Berrien County Sheriff's Office Emergency Management Division

#9: Berrien County Animal Control Office.

NARRATIVE:

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PRESS RELEASE**

Due to the recent flooding that has occurred in the County of Berrien, evacuations of the residents from the Meadow Stream Mobile Home Community, located at 3101 River Rd. in the Township of Sodus and the residents of Derfla Dr. in the Township of Royalton are currently taking place.

These evacuations are being taken as an overabundance of caution and nobody is injured or in immediate danger.

The evacuation of the Meadow Streams Mobile Home Community is being handled by the Sodus Township Fire Department with support from the Benton Township Fire Department and the Berrien County Animal Control Office.

The evacuation of the residents from Derfla Dr. in the Township of Royalton is being handled by the Berrien County Sheriff's Office Marine Division with support and assistance from the Royalton Township Fire Department and the United States Coast Guard.

The American Red Cross is assisting in the sheltering of the individuals that are being displaced from their residences.