

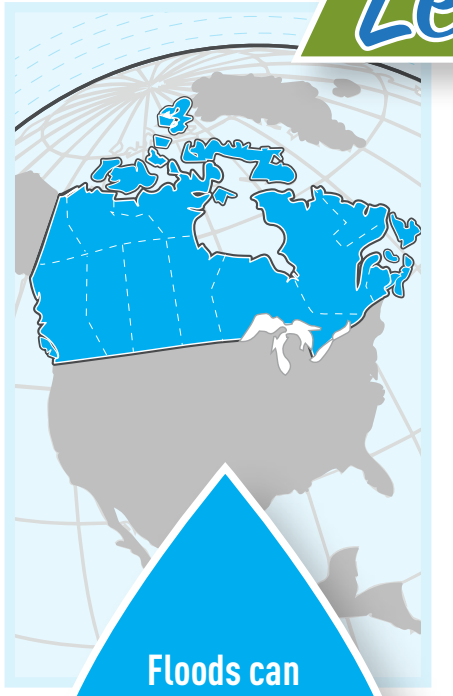
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# WAYS TO BE #FLOODREADY

Floods are among the most frequent and costly natural disasters in Canada.

Simple prevention measures can reduce your losses:

## Learn ABOUT FLOODS



Floods can occur in any region of Canada, at any time of year.

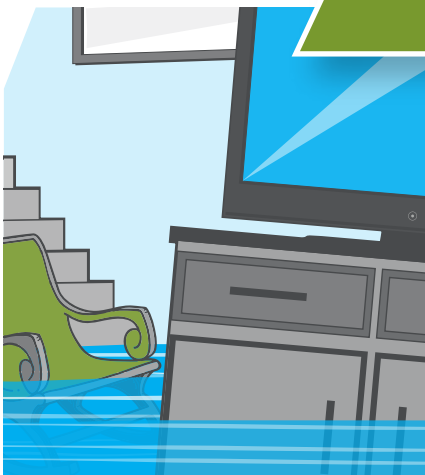


Causes vary, including heavy rainfall, quick snow melt, ice jams, and failure of a dam or other infrastructure.



Urban flooding is a growing problem, with more than \$20 billion in flood damage between 2003 and 2012.

## Know THE RISKS



If you live in a vulnerable location, your house and belongings can be damaged.

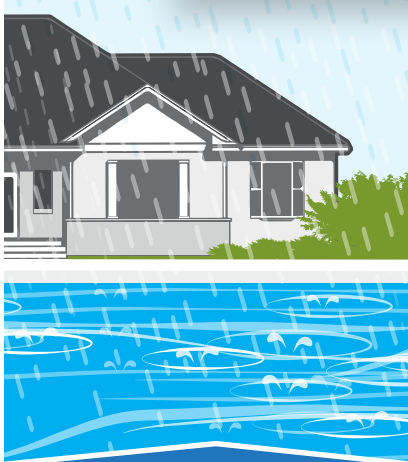


Water damage can cause mould growth, which could harm your family's health.

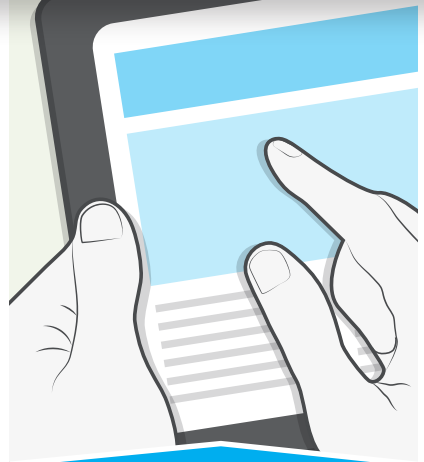


Overland flood damage is not covered by most standard home insurance policies.

## BE A PART OF THE Solution



**TALK**  
to your insurer to find out about what's covered under your policy.



**CONTACT**  
your municipal government to find out about its programs on flooding.



**LEARN**  
what you can do to protect your property, from DIY fixes to more complex steps.

# Don't wait for the water!

Take steps to protect your property.

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