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As rains begin to move out of South Carolina, SCDOT crews continue to assess conditions, close flooded roadways, and make repairs where water has subsided. Currently, 43 roads are closed in 21 counties due to flooding. Thirteen of the 42 roads have damage that will require repairs. There are no interstate closures and only one primary route, SC 193 in Saluda County, is closed. The counties that have been impacted are: Abbeville, Cherokee, Chesterfield, Darlington, Edgefield, Fairfield, Florence, Greenwood, Kershaw, Lancaster, Laurens, Lexington, Marion, Marlboro, McCormick, Richland, Saluda, Spartanburg, Sumter, Union and York.

SCDOT Maintenance crews will continue to monitor roads and bridges in the affected areas throughout the weekend. Immediate repairs to the damaged roads will begin as weather conditions allow. Currently, SCDOT does not anticipate any lengthy closures associated with roadway repairs.

SCDOT bridge inspectors continue to monitor water levels and bridge conditions due to the release of water by SCE&G at the Lake Murray dam.

Interim Secretary of Transportation Christy A. Hall reminds the traveling public to avoid driving through standing water on roadways and never drive around road closure barricades.

Current list of closures: <http://www.scdot-transfer.org/SCDOTPhotos/RoadClosures01012016.pdf>

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