

Summary of Lower Platte & Elkhorn Rivers

Initial Ice Report 1/20/2018 through 1/26/2019:

NO ICE JAMMING AT THIS TIME on the East end of the State.

Elkhorn

PM6 - Douglas County, on the Elkhorn Hwy 64

Latitude: 41:17:30 Longitude: 96:17:0 (Wednesday, January 23, 2019 @ 9:00AM CDT)

Temperature was 12°F. The average wind speed was 6 mph (NW). It was estimated that it was less than 12 feet bank full at this location. The channel remains 75%. It was noted: "

Elkhorn

PM2 - Douglas County, on the Elkhorn Hwy 36

Latitude: 41:22:45 Longitude: 96:18:9 (Wednesday, January 23, 2019 @ 9:25AM CDT)

Temperature was 15°F. The average wind speed was 6 mph (NW). It was estimated that it was less than 12 feet bank full at this location. The channel remains 70%. It was noted: "

Elkhorn

PM3 - Douglas/Saunders County, on the Elkhorn Hwy 92

Latitude: 41:13:51 Longitude: 96:16:41 (Wednesday, January 23, 2019 @ 10:20AM CDT)

Temperature was 14°F. The average wind speed was 5 mph (NW). It was estimated that it was less than 12 feet bank full at this location. The channel remains 70%. It was noted: "

Platte/Elkhorn

E1 – Sarpy County, Confluence of Platte and Elkhorn Rivers

Latitude: 41:8:0 Longitude: 96:19:0 (Wednesday, January 23, 2019 @ 8:05 AM CDT)

Temperature was 28°F. The average wind speed was 6 mph (NW). It was estimated that it is less than 12 feet bank full at this location. The channel remains 50%. It was noted: " Channel is open with no ice."

Platte

PM4 - Douglas County, on the Platte Hwy 92

Latitude: 41:14:2 Longitude: 96:21:55 (Thursday, January 24, 2019 @ 8:00AM CDT)

Temperature was 15°F. The average wind speed was 27 mph (SE). It was estimated that it was less than 25 feet bank full at this location. The channel remains 30%. It was noted: " River condition at PM4 has changed dramatically since last week. Freeze up ice has developed from opposite side of the channel from observation site (west side). Estimated less than 30% of main channel open with medium to large sized frazil sheets traversing through what remains open."

PM4 - Douglas County, on the Platte Hwy 92

Latitude: 41:14:2 Longitude: 96:21:55 (Wednesday, January 23, 2019 @ 8:40AM CDT)

Temperature was 12°F. The average wind speed was 6 mph (NW). It was estimated that it was less than 3 feet bank full at this location. The channel remains 50%. It was noted: "

Platte

PM7 - Douglas County, on the Platte Union Dike, 1/4 mile west of Hwy 275 & 3.1 miles upstream of Hwy 64

Latitude: 41:21:40 Longitude: 96:25:0 (Wednesday, January 23, 2019 @ 9:50AM CDT)

Temperature was 13°F. The average wind speed was 5 mph (NW). It was estimated that it was 3 feet bank full

at this location. The channel remains 70%. It was noted: "

Platte

LS1 - Saunders County, on the Platte Hwy 6 near Ashland

Latitude: 41:3:41 Longitude: 96:19:35 (Wednesday, January 23, 2019 @ 10:40AM CDT)

Temperature was 22°F. The average wind speed was 0 mph (None). It was estimated that it was 5 feet bank full at this location. The channel remains 75%. It was noted: "Intact ice covered in snow."

Platte

LS2 - Cass County, on the Platte Hwy 50 at Louisville

Latitude: 41:0:47 Longitude: 96:9:27 (Wednesday, January 23, 2019 @ 10:00AM CDT)

Temperature was 14°F. The average wind speed was 0 mph (None). It was estimated that it was 5 feet bank full at this location. The channel remains 75%. It was noted: "Intact ice covered in snow."

Platte

P9 - Sarpy County, on the Platte Hwy 6 & Platte River Bridge (Linoma)

Latitude: 41:3:42 Longitude: 96:19:31 (Wednesday, January 24, 2019 @ 12:00PM CDT)

N/A

Platte

P7 - Sarpy County, on the Platte Hwy 31 at 204 St.

Latitude: 41:1:27 Longitude: 96:15:29 (Wednesday, January 24, 2019 @ 12:00PM CDT)

N/A

Platte

P10 - Sarpy County, on the Platte Hwy 50 & Platte River Bridge

Latitude: 41:0:53 Longitude: 96:9:28 (Wednesday, January 24, 2019 @ 12:00PM CDT)

N/A

