Summary of Lower Platte, Elkhorn, and Missouri Rivers

Initial Ice Report 1/18/2024 through 1/24/2024:

There are no ice jams at this time.

Platte/Elkhorn River

E1 - Sarpy County

Submission Date: 1/18/2024 3:31:22 PM Feet Less Than Bankfull: 10 ft

Air Temperature (F): 10 °F Percent of Channel Open:

Wind Speed (mph): SW 5 m.p.h. Type of Moving Ice:

Ice Jam Initial Condition:

Additional Comments

Platte River + Elkhorn River is 100% ice cover with 6" of additional snow cover.

Platte River

PM4 - Douglas County

Submission Date: 1/18/2024 3:51:14 PM Feet Less Than Bankfull: 10 ft

Air Temperature (F): 10 °F Percent of Channel Open:

Wind Speed (mph): SW 9 m.p.h. Type of Moving Ice:

Ice Jam Initial Condition:

Additional Comments

West and east channels are both 100% ice with 6" of snow cover

Elkhorn River

PM6 - Douglas County

Submission Date: 1/18/2024 3:57:00 PM Feet Less Than Bankfull: 10 ft

Air Temperature (F): 12 °F Percent of Channel Open:

Wind Speed (mph): SW 5 m.p.h. Type of Moving Ice:

Ice Jam Initial Condition:

Additional Comments

River has 100% ice cover and 6" of snow cover

Elkhorn River

PM2 - Douglas County

Submission Date: 1/18/2024 3:59:37 PM **F**

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Percent of Channel Open:

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Air Temperature (F): 12 °F

Wind Speed (mph): SW 5 m.p.h. Type of Moving Ice:

Ice Jam Initial Condition:

Additional Comments

There is 100% ice cover and 6" snow cover

Platte River

PM7 - Douglas County

Submission Date: 1/18/2024 4:01:05 PM Feet Less Than Bankfull: 10 ft

Air Temperature (F): 14 °F

Wind Speed (mph): SW 5 m.p.h. Type of Moving Ice:

Ice Jam Initial Condition:

Additional Comments

100% ice cover and 6" of snow cover

Elkhorn River

PM3 - Douglas County

Submission Date: 1/18/2024 4:02:56 PM Feet Less Than Bankfull: 10 ft

Air Temperature (F): 16 °F

Wind Speed (mph): SW 5 m.p.h. Type of Moving Ice:

Ice Jam Initial Condition:

Additional Comments

100% ice cover and 6" snow cover

Platte River

LS2 - Cass County

Submission Date: 1/18/2024 5:01:37 PM Feet Less Than Bankfull: 5.4 ft

Air Temperature (F): 21 °F Percent of Channel Open:

Wind Speed (mph): NE 3 m.p.h. Type of Moving Ice:

Ice Jam Initial Condition:

Additional Comments

It appears to be a freeze up. There is no evidence of moving water in the channel. But, too much snow cover to determine the characteristics of the ice. Evidence of people walking out onto the ice.



Platte River

LS1 - Saunders County

Submission Date: 1/18/2024 5:29:01 PM Feet Less Than Bankfull: 6 ft

Air Temperature (F): 23 °F Percent of Channel Open:

Wind Speed (mph): E 7 m.p.h. Type of Moving Ice:

Ice Jam Initial Condition:

Additional Comments

It appears to be in tact ice with a somewhat rough surface but there is too much snow cover to tell the exact characte in ristics.

Platte River

PM4 - Douglas County

Submission Date: 1/18/2024 7:35:54 PM

Air Temperature (F): 6 °F

Wind Speed (mph): NW 30 m.p.h.

Ice Jam Initial Condition: Solid Ice Sheet

Additional Comments

Freeze up jam located alongside Two Rivers SRA



Feet Less Than Bankfull:

Percent of Channel Open: 1%

Type of Moving Ice:

Platte River

PM4 - Douglas County

Submission Date: 1/18/2024 7:35:55 PM

Air Temperature (F): 20 °F

Wind Speed (mph): NW 15 m.p.h.

Ice Jam Initial Condition:

Additional Comments

No change in condition since freeze up jam reported

Feet Less Than Bankfull:

Percent of Channel Open:

Type of Moving Ice:

Platte River

P9 - Sarpy County

Submission Date: 1/23/2024 6:01:21 PM

Air Temperature (F): 35 °F

Wind Speed (mph): NE 5 m.p.h.

Ice Jam Initial Condition:

Additional Comments



Feet Less Than Bankfull: 5 ft

Percent of Channel Open:

Type of Moving Ice:

Platte River

LS2 - Cass County

Submission Date: 1/23/2024 6:27:20 PM

Air Temperature (F): 35 °F

Wind Speed (mph): NE 5 m.p.h.

Ice Jam Initial Condition:

Additional Comments



Feet Less Than Bankfull: 5 ft

Percent of Channel Open:

Type of Moving Ice: