



A FLASH-FLOOD WATCH is in effect for ST. VINCENT AND THE GRENADINES

Issued at 6:00 pm, Friday 14th August, 2026

Cloudy to overcast skies, light to heavy showers, periods of rain, gusty winds and scattered thunderstorms are anticipated across SVG tonight into Saturday as a strong tropical wave approaches our islands. Current model guidance suggests rainfall accumulations of 50mm-75mm (approximately 2-3 inches) with isolated higher amounts in mountainous areas are possible within the next 18-20 hours.

As a result a Flash-Flood watch is now in effect for St. Vincent and the Grenadines and will remain in effect until 2:00 pm tomorrow Saturday 15th August 2026. **Residents and motorists in areas prone to flash-flooding and landslides or near rivers and streams should be prepared.**

A Flood-Watch is issued when conditions are favorable and there exists the possibility of flooding during the watch period.

This flash-flood watch may be upgraded to a warning if conditions warrant.

A high wind advisory remains in effect for SVG and will be extended until 6pm Saturday 15th August 2026. **Residents are strongly urged to be vigilant against falling trees limbs, loose outdoor objects and disconnected over-head wires.**

A Small-Craft Advisory also remains in effect for SVG and will be extended until 6pm Saturday 15th August 2026. Sustained winds of 37 to 46 km/h (23 to 29 mph) and sea swells of 2.5 to 3.0 meters (8 to 10 feet) continues to affect the marine area. Large waves and dangerous rip-currents will create unsafe conditions for small-craft operators, particularly on the northern and eastern coastlines. These conditions may become even more adverse during times of high tide. Therefore, **only vessels capable of withstanding swells of these magnitudes should venture out. Sea-bathers are also advised to stay out of the water.**

Upcoming High-tide times:

Friday 07:03 pm

Saturday 08:40 am

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