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***Twin Falls Generating Station, July 6, 2023, 1:30 pm EST***

H2O Power continues to gain more control of the partial dam breach that occurred at the Twin Falls generating facility approximately twenty-four hours ago. Leakage has been significantly reduced while the team is working to seal the breach completely.

Additional engineering resources are now on site to assist the team.

Risk to the town and surrounding community remains low and H2O Power continues to monitor the situation diligently.

As part of the response protocols, H2O Power is passing increased water through the Twin Falls facility. As a result, Lake Abitibi water levels will recede, and water levels and flows downstream of the dam will continue at their present rates.

Conditions throughout the Abitibi River System will be similar to what is experienced during typical springtime conditions.

These temporarily elevated flows are necessary in order to facilitate the management of the incident.

H2O Power strongly advises all residents and river users to exercise caution and appropriate due care while near or on Lake Abitibi and the Abitibi River System and its associated waterways. Boaters or vessel owners should exercise caution while on the Lake, particularly in shallow areas.

We will continue to carefully monitor this ongoing situation until it is resolved and will communicate information with the public on our website: <https://www.h2opower.com/news/>

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