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# OHIO 1959 FLOOD STORY MAP

## Telling the story of historical flooding in Ohio, one scroll at a time

### PRIMARY OUTCOME & CHALLENGES

In early 1959, Ohio experienced the most devastating flood in its history, launching expansion of flood protective efforts across the state. To raise flood awareness with the public in an engaging format, the Ohio Silver Jackets Team created a Story Map to share the history of the damaging flood and flood risk safety with the public.

Challenges included gathering the high volume of historic information from various sources and arranging it in an engaging way. However, the Silver Jackets team collaborated exceptionally well to create a lasting, interesting Story Map that tells the story of flooding and flood safety in Ohio.



### Ohio Floods of 1959

A look back at one of the most devastating floods in Ohio's history and what has been done since to protect against future flood disasters



### OHIO SILVER JACKETS TEAM PROJECT PARTNERS



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