

Flooding destroys lives...

"I have seen firsthand what flooding can do. I've experienced it, as have too many other Delta families. Roads are underwater, snakes come out everywhere, folk's homes and businesses are ruined--and if somebody gets sick and needs to go to the hospital, God help them! No one should have to live through the nightmare of a flood threat. Especially when promises of help have been made."

– Ruby Johnson, Cary resident

We must act now to stop it.

People like Ruby Johnson worry every time a heavy rain falls because they know what flooding can do: ruin homes and businesses, kill wildlife, destroy crops and wash out roads. The terrible truth is that help for Ruby and others in the Delta--help like the Yazoo Backwater Pumps--has been federally authorized for 62 years yet has still not been completed. Opponents of flood control projects who have never set foot in the Delta cry about the environment being harmed while not caring about the real damage that flooding causes. The well-financed opposition to this project doesn't care about the Delta, only their biased and distorted political agenda used to increase donations. The time is now to get the Yazoo Backwater Pumps built so that Ruby Johnson and other South Delta residents can feel safe in their own homes. Promises need to be kept.



For more information on flood control and what is being done, contact the Mississippi Levee Board at 662-334-4813 or visit www.msleveeboard.com