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SPRINGFIELD PARK DISTRICT 'S RIVERSIDE PARK IS NOW OPEN

[Springfield, IL] – Due to excessive rains and cold temperatures last month, the Sangamon River, which runs through Riverside Park, flooded and turned into a sheet of ice throughout the entire park, covering roadways and causing dangerous conditions for our visitors.

As the Sangamon River has receded back into its river bed, roadways are now passable, and conditions are favorable for visitors.

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