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RIVERS SLINK SLOWLY BACK

Tualatin, Lake Oswego fight a late surge; water retreats elsewhere

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After barging uninvited into hundreds of homes and businesses, Lake Oswego and the Tualatin River began their retreats Saturday afternoon.

But soaked residents and business owners in Lake Oswego, Tualatin and Oregon City still must wait several days before floodwaters recede enough for them to assess damage to their lives and property.

A small army of volunteers struggled to contain Lake Oswego, but the rampaging Tualatin River overflowed its banks and rushed through its namesake town.

In Tualatin, where the river reached more than 2 feet above 100-year flood level, rescuers Saturday ferrying residents from homes submerged in waist-deep murky brown water. As many as 200 people were evacuated.

By daylight, sewer-contaminated water in downtown Tualatin was slowly receding from its high mark of 126.3 feet above level after damaging at least houses, 97 apartments and 85 commercial buildings.

Volunteers and Oregon National Guard soldiers worked well Saturday afternoon to stem