



# Flood-Inundation Areas along the Blanchard River near the Village of Ottawa, Ohio, for a Stage of 23.0 Feet at U.S. Geological Survey Streamgage 04189260

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**UNCERTAINTIES AND LIMITATIONS REGARDING USE OF FLOOD-INUNDATION MAPS:**  
Flood boundaries shown reflect unobstructed flooding or backwater from only the Blanchard River.  
Additional areas may be flooded if the river becomes obstructed or as a result of flooding from tributary streams.  
Residents living near tributaries of the Blanchard River should be particularly cautious due to added uncertainty  
associated with the potential for flooding from multiple sources.

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