

Flood leaves 7 dead, 2 missing in NW China

Seven people have died and two others remain missing after a flood in northwest China's Gansu Province, local authorities said Tuesday.



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Nearly 1,000 residents have been relocated to safety. The rain also left roads blocked, houses collapsed or damaged, and power supply and communication interrupted.

The local government has dispatched thousands of people to participate in rescue and relief work.