

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance No. 97.022, "Flood Insurance.")

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency

[Docket ID FEMA-2013-0002; Internal Agency Docket No. FEMA-B-1347]

Proposed Flood Hazard Determinations

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency, DHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Comments are requested on proposed flood hazard determinations, which may include additions or modifications of any Base Flood Elevation (BFE), base flood depth, Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA) boundary or zone designation, or regulatory floodway on the Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs), and where applicable, in the supporting Flood Insurance Study (FIS) reports for the communities listed in the table below. The purpose of this notice is to seek general information and comment regarding the preliminary FIRM, and where applicable, the FIS report that the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has provided to the affected communities. The FIRM and FIS report are the basis of the floodplain management measures that the community is required either to adopt or to show evidence of having in effect in order to qualify or remain qualified for participation in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). In addition, the FIRM and FIS report, once effective, will be used by insurance agents and

others to calculate appropriate flood insurance premium rates for new buildings and the contents of those buildings.

DATES: Comments are to be submitted on or before December 23, 2013.

ADDRESSES: The Preliminary FIRM, and where applicable, the FIS report for each community are available for inspection at both the online location and the respective Community Map Repository address listed in the tables below. Additionally, the current effective FIRM and FIS report for each community are accessible online through the FEMA Map Service Center at www.msc.fema.gov for comparison.

You may submit comments, identified by Docket No. FEMA-B-1347, to Luis Rodriguez, Chief, Engineering Management Branch, Federal Insurance and Mitigation Administration, FEMA, 500 C Street SW., Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-4064, or (email) Luis.Rodriguez3@fema.dhs.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Luis Rodriguez, Chief, Engineering Management Branch, Federal Insurance and Mitigation Administration, FEMA, 500 C Street SW., Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-4064, or (email) Luis.Rodriguez3@fema.dhs.gov; or visit the FEMA Map Information eXchange (FMIX) online at www.floodmaps.fema.gov/fhm/fmx_main.html.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: FEMA proposes to make flood hazard determinations for each community listed below, in accordance with section 110 of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, 42 U.S.C. 4104, and 44 CFR 67.4(a).

These proposed flood hazard determinations, together with the floodplain management criteria required by 44 CFR 60.3, are the minimum that are required. They should not be construed to mean that the community must change any existing ordinances that are more stringent in their floodplain management requirements. The community may at any time enact

stricter requirements of its own or pursuant to policies established by other Federal, State, or regional entities. These flood hazard determinations are used to meet the floodplain management requirements of the NFIP and also are used to calculate the appropriate flood insurance premium rates for new buildings built after the FIRM and FIS report become effective.

The communities affected by the flood hazard determinations are provided in the tables below. Any request for reconsideration of the revised flood hazard information shown on the Preliminary FIRM and FIS report that satisfies the data requirements outlined in 44 CFR 67.6(b) is considered an appeal. Comments unrelated to the flood hazard determinations also will be considered before the FIRM and FIS report become effective.

Use of a Scientific Resolution Panel (SRP) is available to communities in support of the appeal resolution process. SRPs are independent panels of experts in hydrology, hydraulics, and other pertinent sciences established to review conflicting scientific and technical data and provide recommendations for resolution. Use of the SRP only may be exercised after FEMA and local communities have been engaged in a collaborative consultation process for at least 60 days without a mutually acceptable resolution of an appeal. Additional information regarding the SRP process can be found online at http://floodsrp.org/pdfs/srp_fact_sheet.pdf.

The watersheds and/or communities affected are listed in the tables below. The Preliminary FIRM, and where applicable, FIS report for each community are available for inspection at both the online location and the respective Community Map Repository address listed in the tables. Additionally, the current effective FIRM and FIS report for each community are accessible online through the FEMA Map Service Center at www.msc.fema.gov for comparison.

Community	Community map repository address
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Walker County, Alabama, and Incorporated Areas

Maps Available for Inspection Online at: www.fema.gov/preliminaryfloodhazarddata

City of Carbon Hill	City Hall, 170 NW 2nd Avenue, Carbon Hill, AL 35549.
City of Cordova	City Hall, 74 Main Street, Cordova, AL 35550.
City of Dora	City Hall, 1485 Sharon Boulevard, Dora, AL 35062.
City of Jasper	City Hall, 400 West 19th Street, Jasper, AL 35501.
Town of Eldridge	Town Hall, 208 Smothers Avenue, Eldridge, AL 35554.
Town of Kansas	Town Hall, 497 Old Highway 78, Kansas, AL 35573.
Town of Nauvoo	Town Hall, 176 McDaniel Avenue, Nauvoo, AL 35578.
Town of Oakman	Town Hall, 8236 Market Street, Oakman, AL 35579.
Town of Parrish	Town Hall, 6484 Highway 269, Parrish, AL 35580.

Community	Community map repository address
Town of Sipsey	Town Hall, 3635 Sipsey Road, Sipsey, AL 35584.
Town of Sumiton	Town Hall, 416 State Street, Sumiton, AL 35148.
Unincorporated Areas of Walker County	Walker County Engineering Department, 1801 3rd Avenue South, Jasper, AL 35502.

Navajo County, Arizona, and Incorporated Areas

Maps Available for Inspection Online at: www.fema.gov/preliminaryfloodhazarddata

City of Holbrook	465 First Avenue, Holbrook, AZ 86025.
City of Show Low	200 West Cooley Street, Show Low, AZ 85901.
Town of Pinetop-Lakeside	1360 North Niels Hanson Lane, Pinetop-Lakeside, AZ 85929.
Unincorporated Areas of Navajo County	Flood Control Division, 100 East Carter Drive, Holbrook, AZ 86025.

Citrus County, Florida, and Incorporated Areas

Maps Available for Inspection Online at: www.fema.gov/preliminaryfloodhazarddata

City of Crystal River	City Hall, 123 NW U.S. Highway 19, Crystal River, FL 34428.
City of Inverness	City Hall, 212 West Main Street, Inverness, FL 34450.
Unincorporated Areas of Citrus County	Lecanto Government Complex, 3600 West Sovereign Path, Lecanto, FL 34461.

Glades County, Florida, and Incorporated Areas

Maps Available for Inspection Online at: www.fema.gov/preliminaryfloodhazarddata

City of Moore Haven	299 Riverside Drive, Moore Haven, FL 33471.
Unincorporated Areas of Glades County	500 Avenue J, Moore Haven, FL 33471.

Pasco County, Florida, and Incorporated Areas

Maps Available for Inspection Online at: www.fema.gov/preliminaryfloodhazarddata

City of Dade City	City Hall, 14206 U.S. Highway 98 Bypass, Dade City, FL 33523.
City of New Port Richey	City Hall, 5919 Main Street, New Port Richey, FL 34652.
City of Port Richey	City Hall, 6333 Ridge Road, Port Richey, FL 34668.
City of San Antonio	City Hall, 32819 Pennsylvania Avenue, San Antonio, FL 33576.
City of Zephyrhills	City Hall, 5335 8th Street, Zephyrhills, FL 33542.
Town of St. Leo	Town Hall, 34544 State Road 52, Saint Leo, FL 33574.
Unincorporated Areas of Pasco County	New Port Richey Government Center, 7530 Little Road, New Port Richey, FL 34654.

City and County of Honolulu, Hawaii

Maps Available for Inspection Online at: www.fema.gov/preliminaryfloodhazarddata

City and County of Honolulu	Department of Planning and Permitting, 650 South King Street, Honolulu, HI 96813.
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Greenup County, Kentucky, and Incorporated Areas

Maps Available for Inspection Online at: www.fema.gov/preliminaryfloodhazarddata

City of Bellefonte	Bellefonte City Hall, 705 Bellefonte Princess Road, Ashland, KY 41101.
City of Greenup	City Hall, 1005 Walnut Street, Greenup, KY 41144.
City of Raceland	City Hall, 711 Chinn Street, Raceland, KY 41169.
City of Russell	City Hall, 410 Ferry Street, Russell, KY 41169.
City of South Shore	City Hall, 69 Narco Drive, South Shore, KY 41175.
City of Worthington	City Hall, 512 Ferry Street, Worthington, KY 41183.
City of Wurtland	City Hall, 500 Wurtland Avenue, Wurtland, KY 41144.
Unincorporated Areas of Greenup County	Greenup County Courthouse, 301 Main Street, Room 102, Greenup, KY 41144.

Missoula County, Montana, and Incorporated Areas

Maps Available for Inspection Online at: www.fema.gov/preliminaryfloodhazarddata

City of Missoula	435 Ryman Street, Missoula, MT 59802.
Unincorporated Areas of Missoula County	317 Woody Street, Missoula, MT 59802.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

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Cokeville Meadows National Wildlife Refuge, Lincoln County, WY; Draft Comprehensive Conservation Plan and Environmental Assessment

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability; announcement of meeting; request for comments.

SUMMARY: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service), announce that our draft comprehensive conservation plan (CCP) and environmental assessment (EA) for the Cokeville Meadows National Wildlife Refuge (Refuge) is available for public review and comment. The draft CCP/EA describes how the Service intends to manage this Refuge for the next 15 years. We provide this notice in compliance with our CCP policy to advise the public, other Federal and State agencies, and Tribes of the availability of the draft CCP/EA and to solicit comments.

DATES: To ensure consideration, we must receive your written comments on the draft CCP/EA by October 21, 2013. Submit comments by one of the methods under **ADDRESSES**. We will hold a public meeting; see *Public Meeting* under **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** for the date, time, and location.

ADDRESSES: Send your comment or requests for more information by any of the following methods.

Email: seedskadee@fws.gov. Include "Cokeville Meadows NWR Draft CCP and EA" in the subject line of the message.

Fax: Attn: Bernardo Garza, 303-236-4792.

U.S. Mail: U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Refuge Planning, P.O. Box 25486, Denver Federal Center, Denver, CO 80225.

In-Person Drop-off, Viewing, or Pickup: Call 303-236-4377 to make an

appointment (necessary for view/pickup only) during regular business hours at 134 Union Boulevard, Suite 300, Lakewood, CO 80228.

Document Request: A copy of the CCP/EA may be obtained by writing to U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service, Division of Refuge Planning, 134 Union Boulevard, Suite 300, Lakewood, CO 80228; or by download from <http://mountain-prairie.fws.gov/planning>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Bernardo Garza, 303-236-4377, (phone) or bernardo_garza@fws.gov (email); or David C. Lucas, 303-236-4366 (phone), P.O. Box 25486, Denver Federal Center, Denver, CO 80225-0486.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Introduction

With this notice, we continue the CCP process for the Cokeville Meadows NWR. We started this process through a notice in the **Federal Register** (74 FR 57328; November 5, 2009). This notice complies with our CCP policy to (1) advise other Federal and State agencies, Tribes, and the public of the availability of the draft CCP/EA for this refuge and (2) to obtain comments on the information provided in the draft CCP/EA.

Background

The CCP Process

The National Wildlife Refuge System Administration Act of 1966 (16 U.S.C. 668dd-668ee) (Refuge Administration Act), as amended by the National Wildlife Refuge System Improvement Act of 1997, requires us to develop a CCP for each unit of the National Wildlife Refuge System (Refuge System). The purpose for developing a CCP is to provide refuge managers with a 15-year plan for achieving the purposes for which their refuge was established and contributing toward the mission of the Refuge System, consistent with sound principles of fish and wildlife management, conservation, legal mandates, and our policies. In addition to outlining broad management direction on conserving wildlife and their habitats, CCPs identify wildlife-dependent recreational opportunities available to the public, including opportunities for hunting, fishing, wildlife observation and photography, and environmental education and interpretation. We will review and update the CCP at least every 15 years in accordance with the Refuge Administration Act.

The Refuge

Cokeville Meadows NWR was established in 1993 for the conservation

of the wetlands of the nation, in order to maintain the public benefits they provide and to help fulfill international obligations contained in various migratory bird treaties and conventions, as well as for use as an inviolate sanctuary for migratory birds. This refuge is bisected throughout its length by the Bear River and contains a mosaic of wet meadows and cattail/bulrush sloughs. Many of these wetlands were originally created and maintained by agricultural practices. The shrub-steppe uplands are dominated by sagebrush and a combination of grasses typical of the arid West. Cokeville Meadows NWR provides nesting habitat for at least 32 water bird species; if developed, these habitats could provide suitable nesting habitat for more migratory bird species, including the trumpeter swan, a species of management concern. Refuge habitats also provide important habitat for resident species. Greater sage grouse use upland sagebrush areas for nesting, while riparian areas provide important feeding sites for their broods and a variety of neotropical migratory birds. Big game, including antelope, mule deer, and elk, also utilize Refuge habitats.

Public Outreach

We started the CCP for the Cokeville Meadows NWR in early November 2009, by inviting the Wyoming Game, Fish and Parks Department and 12 Native American tribal governments to participate in the planning process. The planning team was assembled in late November during the CCP Kickoff Meeting. We developed a mailing list and sent a planning update to all individuals and groups on that list. The planning update included basic information on the Refuge, the planning process, how the public could provide comments and become involved in the planning process, and the dates, times, and places of the two public meetings we held in public venues in two communities near the Refuge (also in November). At that time and throughout the process, we requested public comments and considered and incorporated them in numerous ways. Comments we received cover topics such as invasive plant control on refuge lands, opening the refuge to hunting and fishing opportunities, improvement of the water quality and fisheries in the Bear River, public access to the Refuge, and the Refuge habitats' management tools (e.g., grazing, haying, farming, water flooding, etc.). We have considered and evaluated all of these comments, with many incorporated into the various alternatives addressed in the draft CCP and the EA.