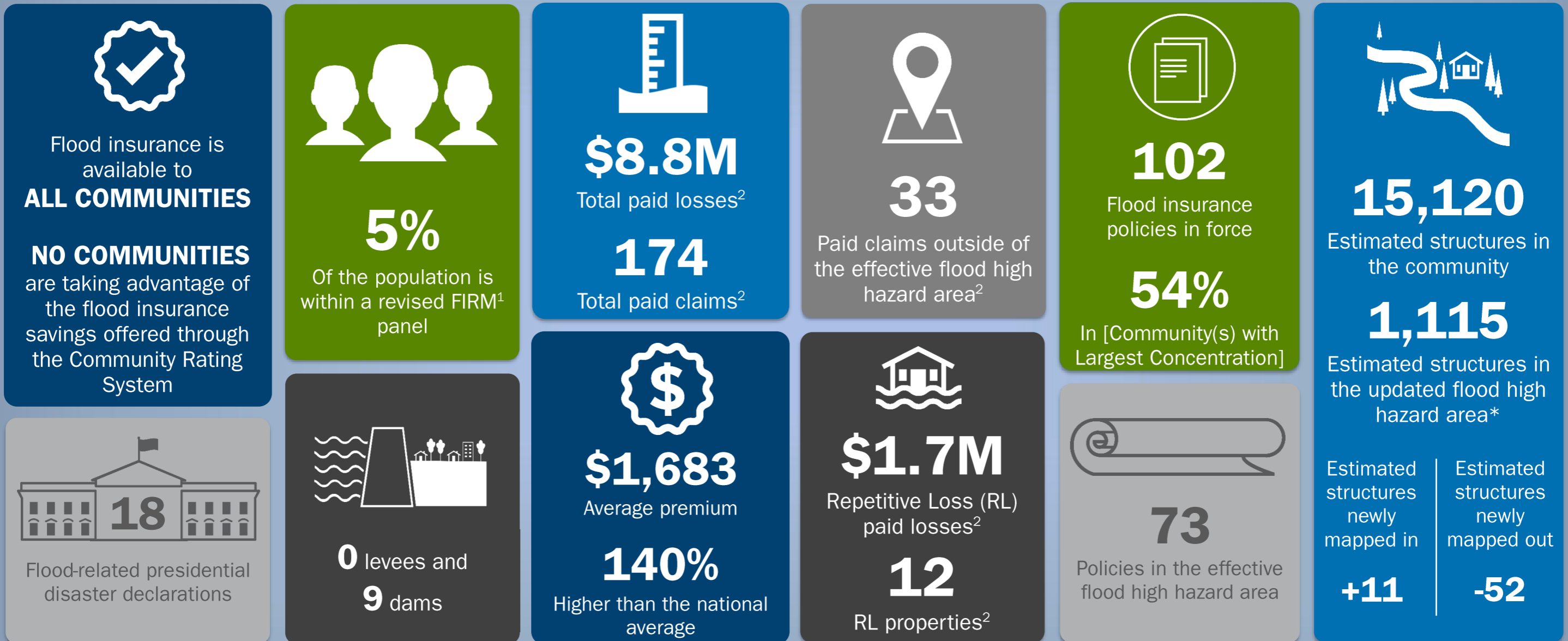


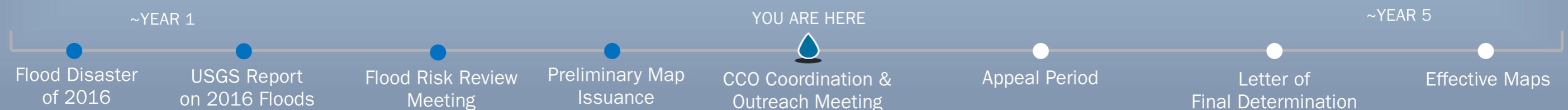
Nicholas County, WV – Countywide

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- Undertake buyout and/or elevation projects for repetitive loss properties.
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Find ideas to mitigate flood risk here:
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St. Luke's United Methodist Church
18001 West Webster Road, Craigsville, WV 26205

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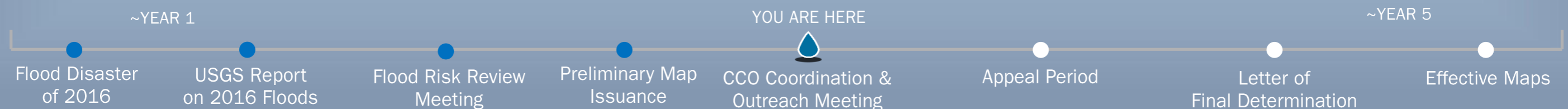
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