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WV State Multi-Hazard Risk Assessment Project









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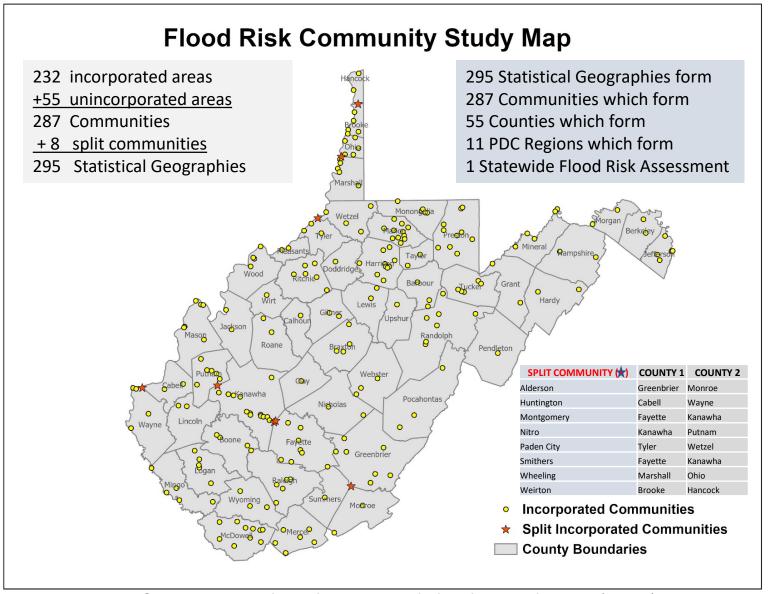








Community Boundaries / Statistical Units



Statewide Hazard Assessment

(1) Risk MAPPING

Risk Mapping

Flood Risk Layers Development – Depth Grid and WSEL

- Model-Backed Depth Grids needed statewide for more accurate Hazus Loss Estimates and for Mitigation/Insurance Calculators
- Certain Advisory A Zones with multiple buildings have no depth grids
- Coordinate data development for RiskMAP Restudy and Updated AE Non-Restudy depth and WSEL grids

Alignment with Risk MAP Discovery for Mapping and Data

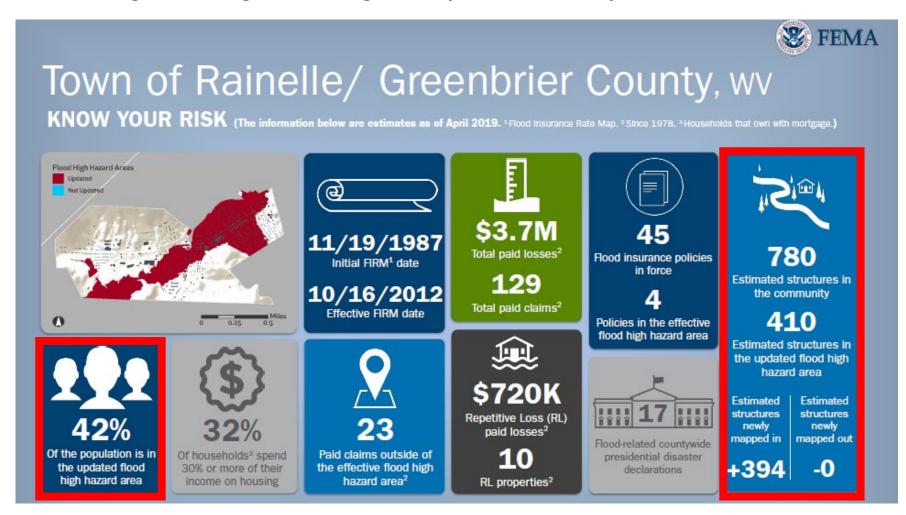
FEMA RiskMAP Discovery Program
 https://www.fema.gov/media-library-data/20130726-1809-25045-7902/riskmap_discovery.pdf

HEC-RAS Model Library

- Incorporate Models from Detailed Studies
- Add Models from Non-FEMA Sources (e.g., WV DOT)

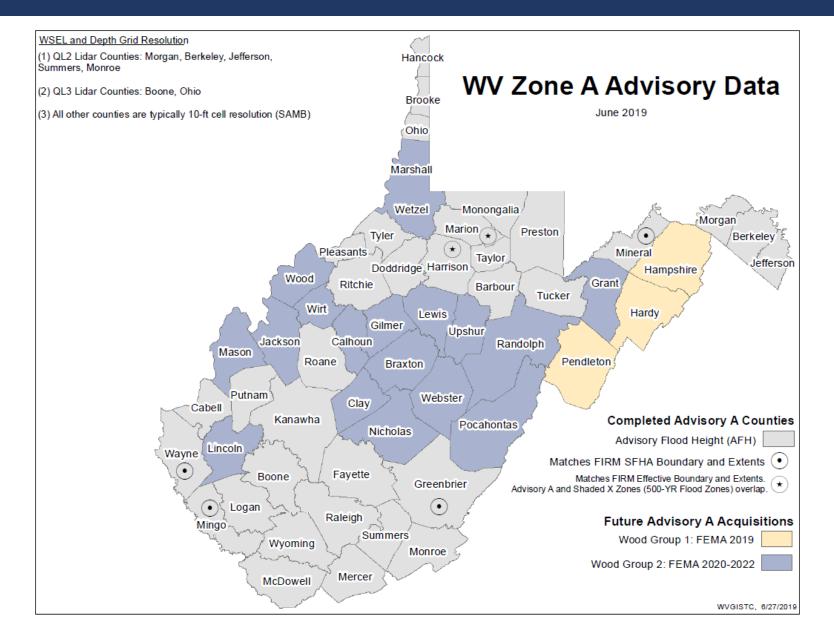
RiskMAP Discovery

Cross-Program Linkages: Building and Population Counts from Flood Risk Assessment

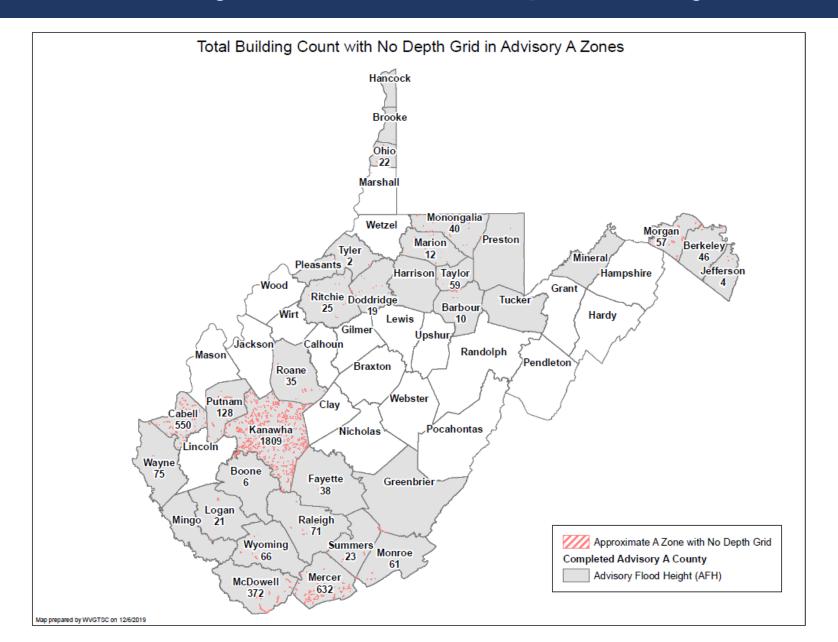


Source: FEMA Flood Risk Review meeting May 2019

Advisory A / Advisory Flood Height



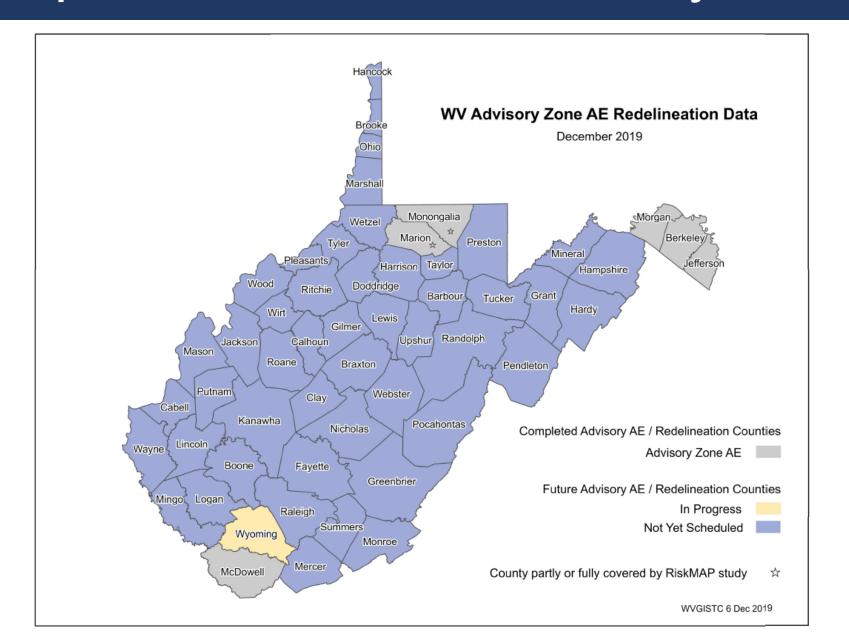
Advisory A Data Gap Analysis



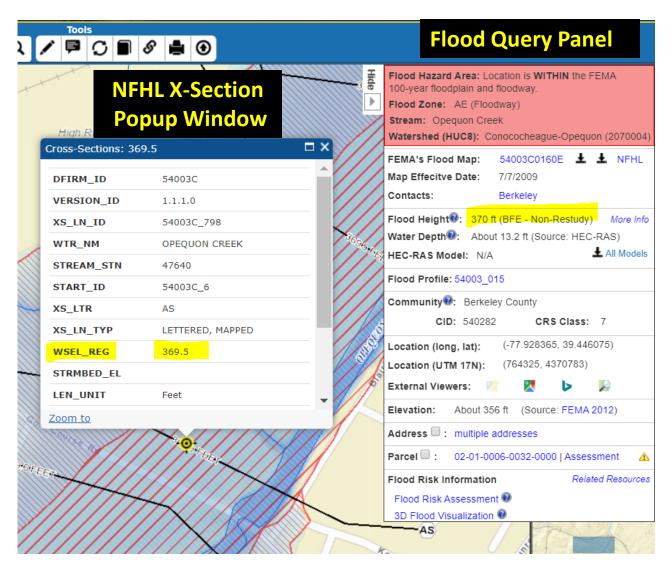
Advisory A Data Gap Analysis

	Total Number of		Building Footprint Count at			HAZUS 2010	
	Building		Example	Stream Name		Depth	
NAME	Footprint	Example Flood Tool Location	Location	Example Location	Comments	Grid	LOMA
Kanawha	1809	https://www.mapwv.gov/flood/map/ ?wkid=102100&x=- 9106282&y=4632902&l=8&v=1	124	Two and Three Quater Mile Tributary No.5		No	Yes
Kanawha		https://www.mapwv.gov/flood/map/ ?wkid=102100&x=- 9102778&y=4637444&l=8&v=1	66	Howard Fork	Half of Howard Fork has depth grid; rest of the segment it is absent	No	Yes
Mercer	632	https://www.mapwv.gov/flood/map/ ?wkid=102100&x=- 9045528&y=4484484&l=8&v=1	79	Lorton Lick Creek		No	No
Cabell	550	https://www.mapwv.gov/flood/map/ ?wkid=102100&x=- 9168354&y=4637619&l=8&v=1	54	Russell Creek		Yes	Yes(Fe w)
Cabell		https://www.mapwv.gov/flood/map/ ?wkid=102100&x=- 9160908&y=4641037&l=10&v=1	63	Merrick Creek	Half of Merrick Creek has depth grid; rest of the segment it is absent	No	No
McDowell	372	https://www.mapwv.gov/flood/map/ ?wkid=102100&x=- 9061791&y=4497573&l=7&v=1	91	North Fork Elkhorn Creek	Half of Merrick Creek has depth grid; rest of the segment it is absent	Yes	No
Putnam	128	https://www.mapwv.gov/flood/map/ ?wkid=102100&x=- 9115366&y=4639313&l=9&v=1	22	Scary Creek	Half of Scary Creek has depth grid; rest of the segment it is absent	No	No
Wayne	75	https://www.mapwv.gov/flood/map/ ?wkid=102100&x=- 9185597&y=4635206&l=9&v=1	68	Krout Creek		No	Yes
Morgan	57	https://www.mapwv.gov/flood/map/ ?wkid=102100&x=- 8707260&y=4810738&l=9&v=1	12	Yellow Spring Run		No	No

Updated AE / Non-Restudy BFE



Flood Height BFE Values Non-Restudy



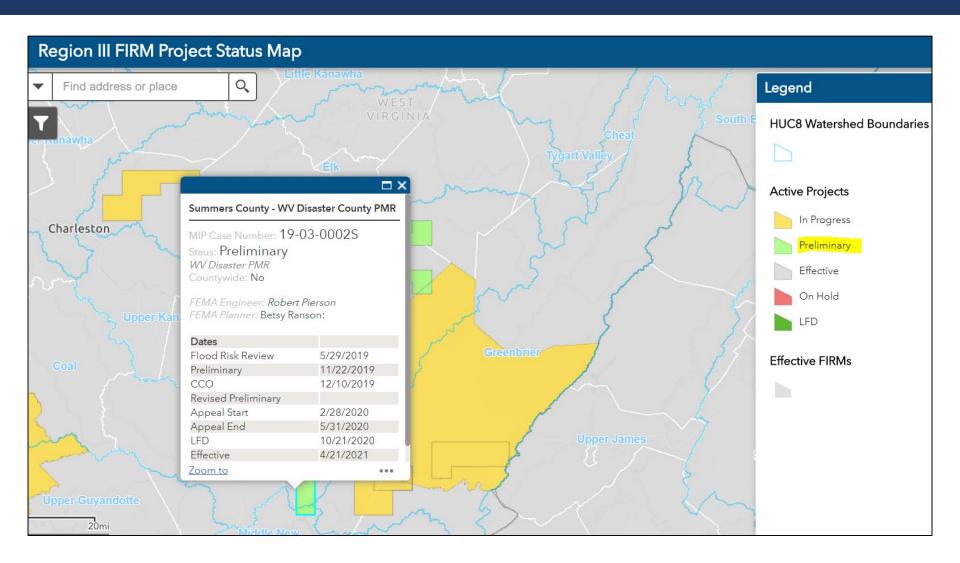
FLOOD HEIGHTS

Non-Study Base Flood Elevation Heights displayed in Flood Results Query Panel. Integer values displayed.

Source: Flood Heights created from Updated AE Re-delineations using new topography

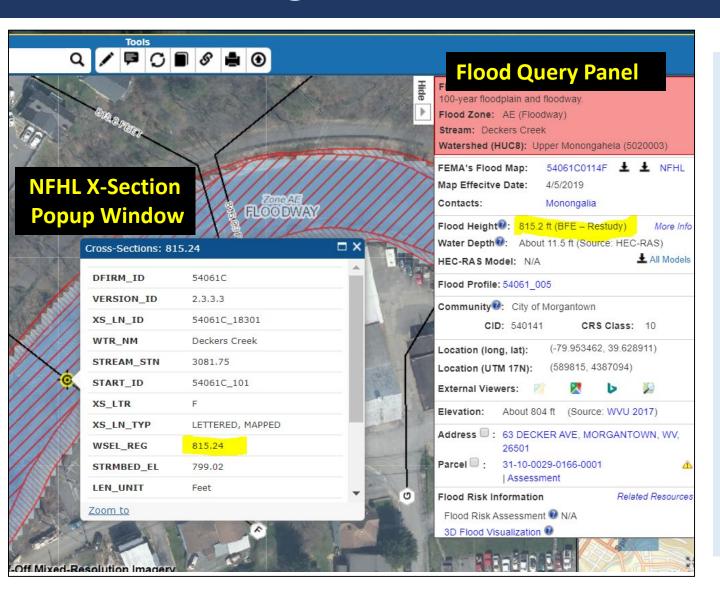
Coverage: Berkeley, Morgan, Jefferson, Monongalia ((Dunkard Creek), Wyoming (Clear Fork)

Risk Mapping



http://fema.maps.arcgis.com/apps/webappviewer/index.html?id=7268cafe7e3f4ceeafe0248720688b2d

Flood Height BFE Values Restudy



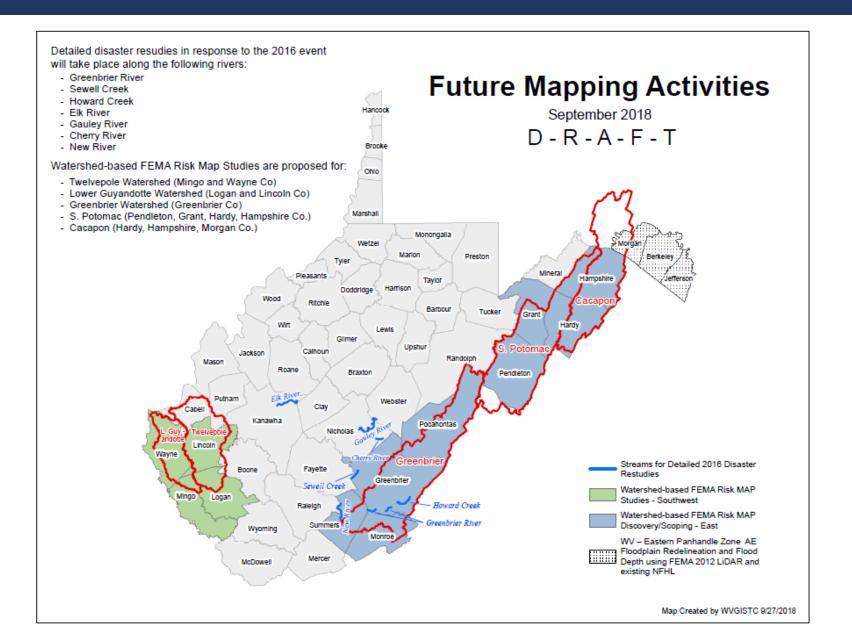
FLOOD HEIGHTS

Restudy Base Flood Elevation Heights displayed in Flood Results Query Panel. Fractional values displayed to tenth of decimal.

Source: FEMA RiskMAP Restudies

Coverage: Upper Monongahela Watershed (Select Streams)

Proposed Flood Studies



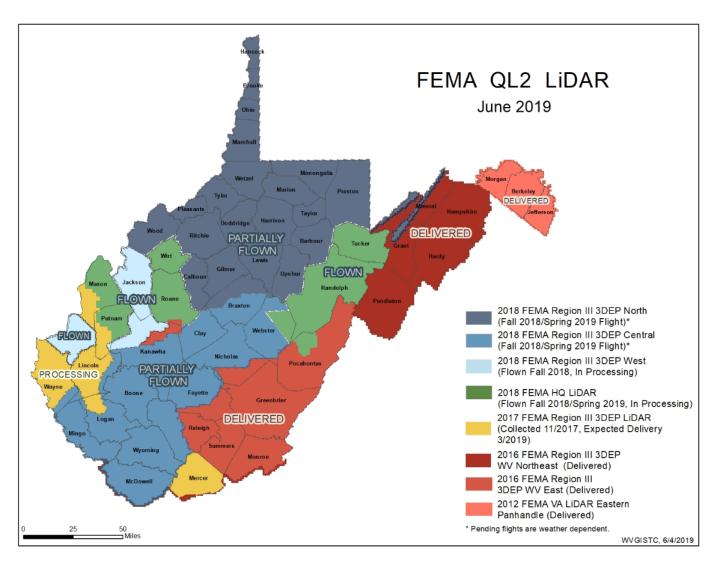
FEMA-Purchased Elevation

Elevation

- New FEMA-Purchased LiDAR-Derived Products published on WV Flood Tool
 - 1-foot contours
 - 1-meter resolution Digital Elevation Model (DEM)
- Source Elevation Metadata
 https://www.mapwv.gov/floodtest/docs/WV FloodTool ElevationS
 ource Metadata.pdf

Hi-Resolution Elevation Data – 1 Ft Contours

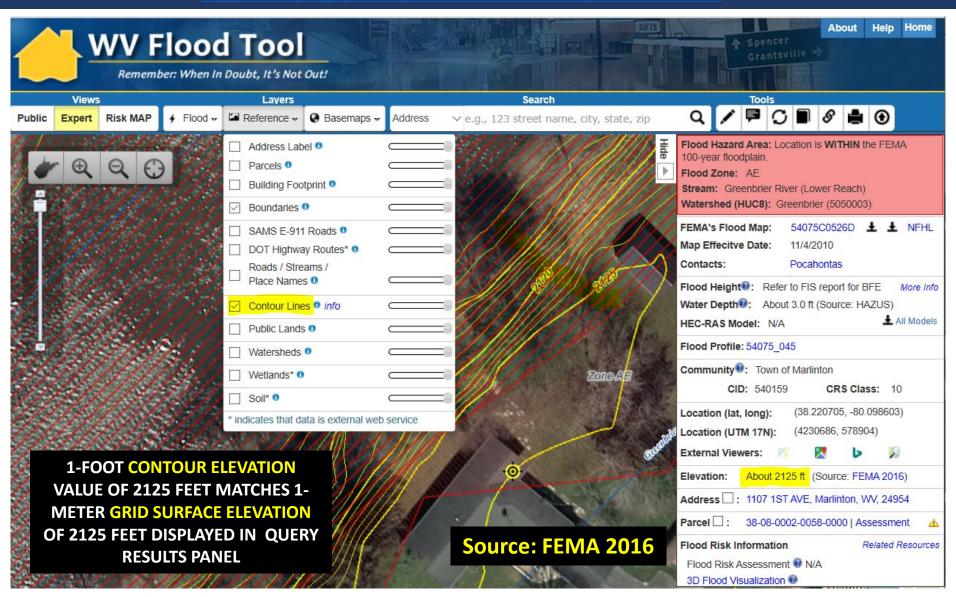
Elevation data can be accessed through State Data Clearinghouse - www.mapwv.gov/lidar



New statewide FEMA elevation data worth an estimated \$5 million dollars

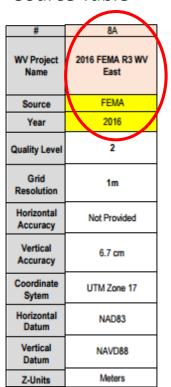
Ground Elevation

http://www.mapwv.gov/floodtest/?wkid=102100&x=-8916536&v=4610651&l=13&v=1



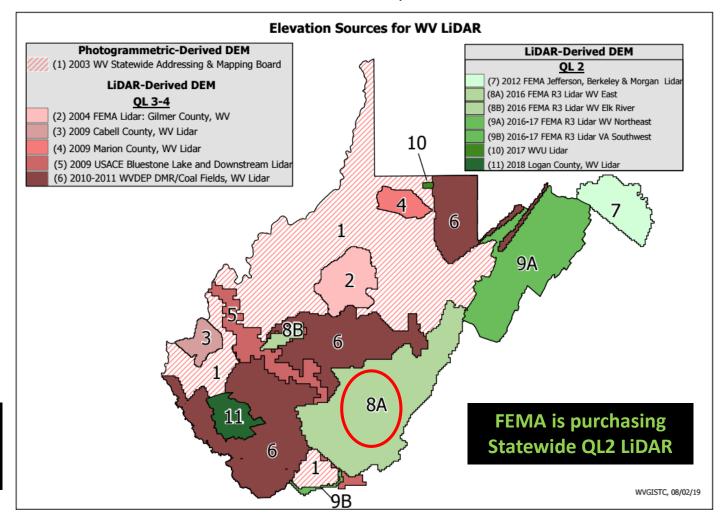
Elevation Source

Source Table



Elevation Metadata

Source Graphic



Statewide Hazard Assessment

(2) Risk ASSESSMENT

Risk Assessment

Building-Level & Community-Level Assessments

Depth-Damage Function Assessments

- FEMA's OpenHazus Flood Risk Structure Tool (FAST)
- Short-Term Shelter Models. Sheltering statistics from 2016 Flood for Hazus population displacement and sheltering models needed

Flood Risk Products

- Flood Risk Assessment Report
- Building Level Risk Assessment (BLRA) Table and GIS Feature Class
- Risk Assessment Layers published to WV Flood Tool RiskMAP View

Community Verification and Self-Assessments

- Verification: Community verification of risk assessments
- Repetitive Loss Structures: Incorporated into assessment and verification

Web Viewing Products

WV Flood Tool, Community-Level Risk Profile, Bldg. Impact Calculator

Building-Level Flood Risk Assessments

Building-Level Flood Risk Assessments support:

- Hazard Mitigation Plans (SHMO)
- Floodplain Management (NFIP)
- Community Assisted Visits (NFIP)
- Community Rating System (NFIP)

Benefits

- More detailed and accurate assessments
- Automated scripts generate outputs quickly
- Cost savings through efficiencies
- Helps multiple stakeholders
- Comprehensive Building Risk
 Database

Methodology

- Consistent methodology statewide
- Semi-automated workflows
- Continuous cycle to improve and update assessments

COMMUNITY **ENGAGEMENT &** FIELD ACCURACY **CHECKS** Floodplain Managers Local Govt. Officials

Building-Level Assessment Cycle

DATA INPUTS

GIS Reference &

Elevation Data

Flood Studies

Depth & WSEL Grids Building Stock

(Flood-Risk Assessment GIS)

BUILDING
INVENTORY &

ACCURACY
IMPROVEMENTS

2

Building Location Building Attributes

DATA <u>OUTPUTS</u>

3

Building Level Community Level 3D Visualizations

Published to WV Flood Tool

Statewide Flood Risk Assessment

Model Data Inputs

- GIS Reference Data
 - Community Boundaries
 - Parcels/Assessment Attributes (Building Stock)
 - E-911 Addresses (Building Stock)
 - Leaf-Off Aerial Imagery (Building Stock)
- New Flevation Data
 - Driver for Flood Studies (new flood zone boundaries)
 - **Depth Grids** and WSEL Grids
 - Ground Elevation: 1-ft contours, 1-m DEM

MODEL INPUTS

Flood Studies Depth Grids Building Stock

Statewide Flood Risk Assessment

Building Inventory & Accuracy Improvements

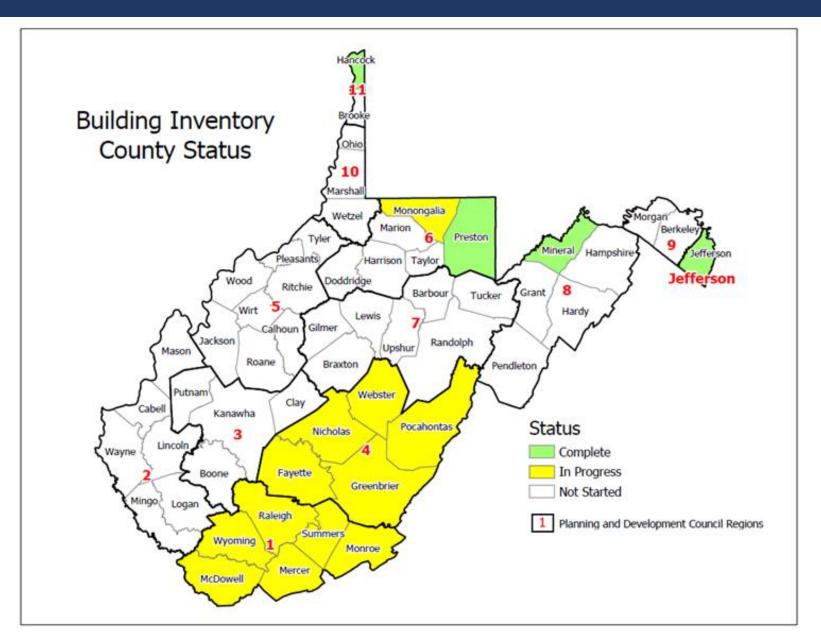
- Building Inventory Objectives
 - Identify Primary Structures points
 - Verify Building Identification
 - o F-911 Address
 - Parcel geometry and assessment record
 - Aerial and StreetView Images
 - Building Sketches (parcel assessment record)
 - Determine Building Characteristics (Occupancy Class, Cost, Basement, Foundation Type, Stories, Area, etc.)
 - Default Characteristics derived from Assessment Records
 - Overriding Modified Building Characteristics from userdefined values
 - Ensure Building Point in most Restrictive Flood Zone
 - Iterative Process and QC to make <u>more accurate</u>

BUILDING
INVENTORY &
ACCURACY
IMPROVEMENTS

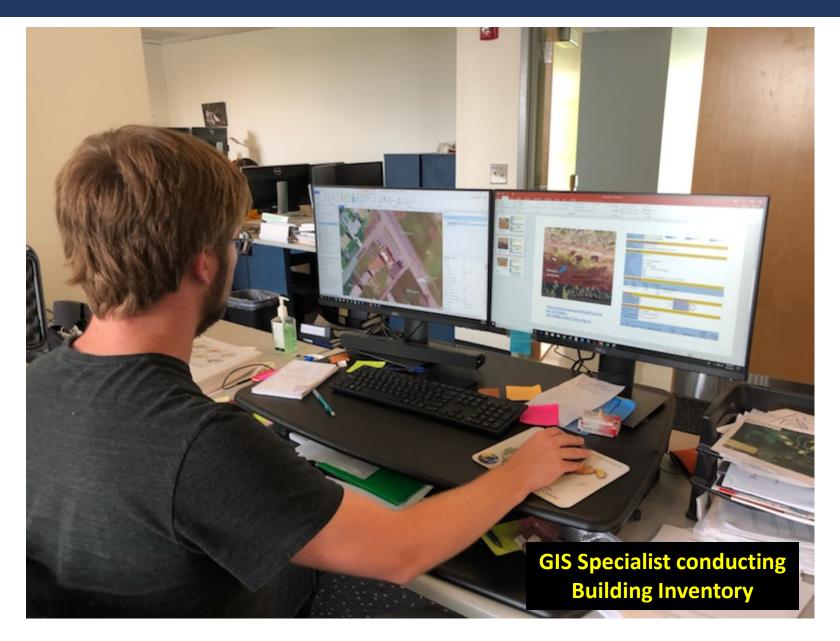
Building Location
Building Attributes

Record Data Issues and Data Gaps

Building Inventory Status



Building Inventory



Building Inventory Workflow

InitialProcessing

- Building Inventory Setup
- Assessment Error Flags
- Execute Building Inventory Process Script (BIP Script)



Building Inventory Processing (BIP)

- Building Inventory Processing (BIP) Feature Class
 - Primary Insurable Structure Identification
 - Modified User-Defined Values
 - Location Identifiers (Parcel ID, E-911 Address)
 - Building Characteristics (Occupancy Class, Stories, Basement, Foundation, First Floor Height, Area, Cost)
 - Data Error Flags
 - Quality Control Checks
- Execute Building Inventory Enhanced Script (BIE Script)





Building Inventory Enhanced (BIE)

- Building Inventory Enhanced (BIE) Table #1 (iterative process to fix errors)
- Building Input FAST (BIF) Table #2 for OpenHazus Flood Loss Utility
- Re-execute Building Inventory Enhanced Script (BIE Script) to fix errors



Unit of work at county scale

- 4 Hazus Flood Assessment Structure Tool (FAST)
- Inputs: Building Input FAST (BIF) Table #2, DDF Table, Depth Grids
- Output: Building Output FAST (BOF) Table #3
- Execute OpenHazus Flood Assessment Structure Tool (FAST)



Blue Text: GIS File Red Text: Tables

- Building-Level Outputs & Verification
- Join Building Inventory Enhanced (BIE) Table #1 and Building Output FAST (BOF) Table #3 to Building Inventory GIS Feature Class
- GIS Product: Building-Level Risk Assessment (BLRA) Feature Class
- Table Product: Merged Individual Building Assessment Table(s) (BLRA)

Building Definition

CRS Manual Page 300-4

301.a Definition of "Building"

- 2 or more exterior walls and a roof affixed to a site
- Manufactured (mobile) home
- Travel trailer without wheels



Primary Structure: Not a Building

CRS Manual Page 300-5

"Not a Building"

- ✓ Open pavilions, carports, underground pump stations, trailers, etc. are not buildings
- ✓ Accessory structures are not counted





All **primary structures** in high-risk flood zones are inventoried. **Critical infrastructure** in moderate-risk flood zones also inventoried.

Building ID Format - Elevation Certificates

Collect multiple spatial identifiers to verify location

Parcel	01-08-0011-0069-0000					
	01 - 08 - 0011 - 0069 - 0000 County District Map Parcel Suffix					
Address	604 S Main St, Philippi, West Virginia, 26416					



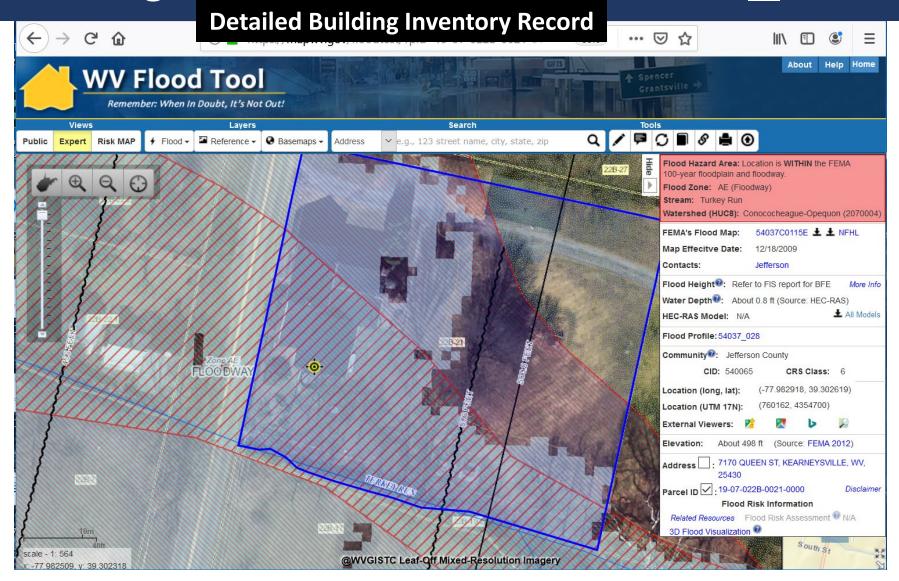
Building Identifier	01-08-0011-0069-0000_604				
X,Y Coordinate	39.144752, -80.033529				
Google Plus Code (11-digit)	86FX4XV8+VHF				
Share MAP URL Link	https://www.mapwv.gov/flood/map/?wkid=102100&x=- 8909292&y=4742427&l=12&v=1				
Share Parcel Assessment URL Link	http://www.mapwv.gov/Assessment/Detail/?PID=0108001100690000000				



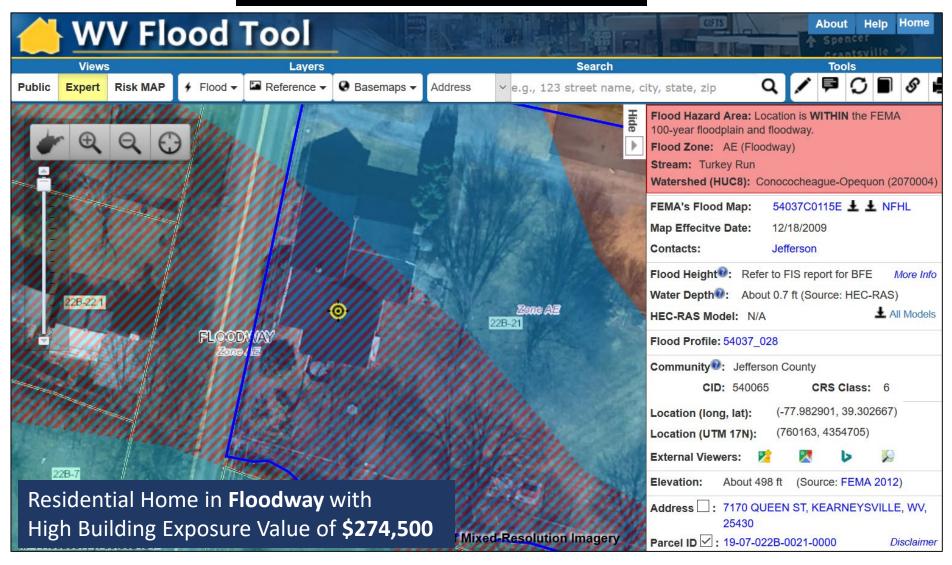
= Unique Identifiers

Notes: Owner Name from assessment records and Building Pictures (elevation certificates) can be helpful for property identification purposes

Proper Building and Property Identifiers are important for exchanging building-level data efficiently among local, state, and federal partners (including UDFs, LOMAs, Mitigated Buyout Properties, Elevation Certificates, Repetitive Loss Structures, etc.)

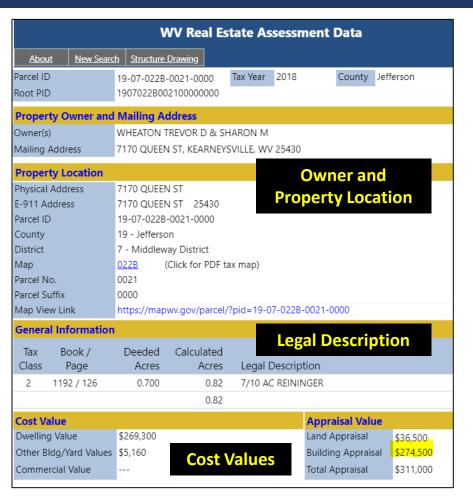


Detailed Building Inventory Record





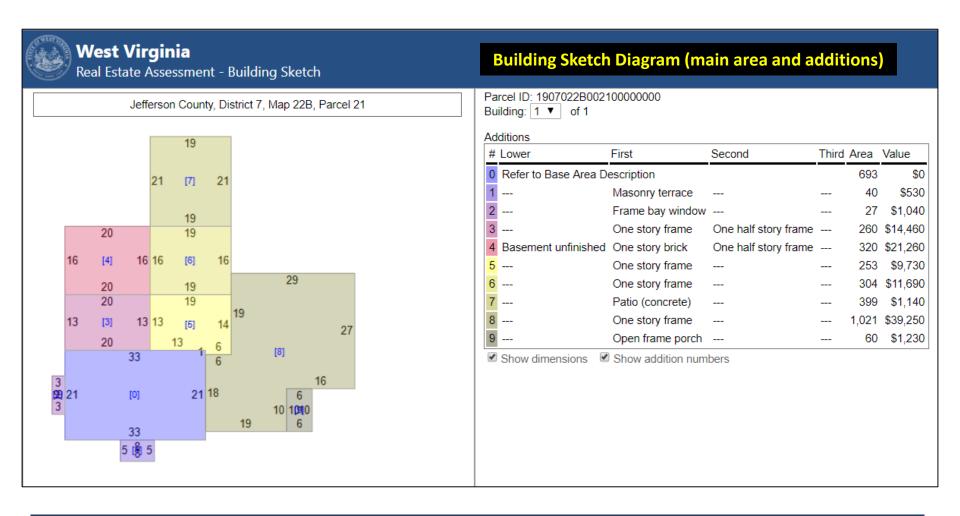
Flood Tool External Link to Google Street View



Cost V	/alue						Appraisa	l Value					
Dwellin	ng Value	:	\$269,300				Land Appi	raisal	\$36,500				
Other E	3ldg/Ya	rd Values	\$5,160				Building A	ppraisal	\$274,500				
Comm	ercial V	alue					Total Appr	raisal	\$311,000				
Buildi	ng Info	ormatio	n										
Property Class R - Residential													
Land Use 101 - Residential 1 Fan				dential 1 Family	,		IVI	aın t	Buildi	ng			
Sum of	Structu	ire Areas	4,006				l r	oforr	natio	n			
# of Bu	ildings	(Cards)	1					IIOII	Hatio	"			
	Year						Exterior				quare ootage	Building	
Card	rear Built	Stories	Grade	Architectur	al Style		Wall	Ras	sement Typ		(SFLA)	Value	
1	1900	2	R+	Conventi	,		Frame	Dui	Part	,,,	4.006	\$269,300	
	1500	-		CONVENI	Oliui		Trume		Ture		4,006	\$269,300	
	Year				1	Heat				Full	Half	Total	
Card	Built	,	Attic	Fuel	S	ystem	Heat/A	AC B∈	edrooms	Baths	Baths	Rooms	
1	1900	Unf	inished	Oil	Но	t Water	Centra	ıl	5	2	1	9	
									5	2	1	9	
Other	Buildi	ng and '	Yard Impro	ovements									
							Outl	ouilo	lings			Adjusted	
Bldg/	1				Year					F	Replace	Replace	
Card #	# Line	е Туре			Built	Grade	Units	Size	Are	ea	Cost	Cost	
1	1	Frame	or CB Deta	ched Garage	1984	С	1	10x20	20	00	\$3,910	\$3,400	
1	2	Four S Barn	ide Closed \	Wood Pole	1981	С	1	28x20	5	60	\$4,550	\$1,760	

Flood Zone I	Inform	ation				Learn more	at <u>WV Flood Tool</u>
Acres (c.)	Risk						
0.82	High	Thi	s parcel appears to b	e in a HIGH RISK floo	od hazard zone.		
Sales History	/			Property	y Interse	ect	
Sale Date		Price	Sale Type	•	_	ok	Page
6/5/2017				Floo	d Zone	12	123
6/5/2017						1192	123
6/2/2017	\$	343,250	Land and Buildings	4	0	1192	126

Web **Parcel Assessment Report** for Building Identification, Building Characteristics, and Cost Values



Building Sketches from parcel assessment records are available for all **Residential** and **Farm** properties. Very useful for Building Identification.

Building ID	7170:19-07-022B-0021	L-0000				
Full E-911 Address	7170 QUEEN ST, KEARNEYSVILLE, W	7170 QUEEN ST, KEARNEYSVILLE, WV 25430				
Full Owner Address	7170 QUEEN ST, KEARNEYSVILLE, W	7170 QUEEN ST, KEARNEYSVILLE, WV 25430				
GIS Parcel ID	19-07-022B-0021-0000	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				
WV Flood Tool Link	https://mapwv.gov/assessment/det	ail/?pid=1907022B002100000000				
WV Parcel Assessment Link	https://mapwv.gov/flood/map/?pid	=19-07-022B-0021-0000				
CID	540065					
Community Name	JEFFERSON COUNTY *					
County	JEFFERSON COUNTY					
Incorporated/Unincorporated	Unincorporated					
Flood Zone Designation	Effective 100 yr Zone AE - Floodway					
Floodway	Yes					
Regulatory Status	Regulatory					
FIRM Status	Pre-FIRM					
Flood Depth Value	0.5					
Flood Depth Source	HEC-RAS					
Ground Elevation	151.9					
Ground Elevation Source	2012 FEMA Jefferson, Berkeley & M	organ Lidar				
Year Built	1900					
Grade	B+					
Property Class Code	R					
Property Class Description	Residential					
Land Use Code	101 - Residential 1 Family					
Land Use Description	101	Detailed Building				
Hazard Occupancy Code	RES1	Inventory December				
Stories	2	Inventory Record				
Exterial Wall Type	Frame					
Architectural Style	None					
Structure Area	4006					
Basement Type	Part					
Dwelling Value	269300					
OBY Value	5160					
Building Appraisal	\$274,500					

Foundation Type

Basement Types from Assessment Records are used to compute Foundation Type and First Floor Height

Table 1: Basement to FdtnCode to Firs	stFloorHeight							
	Foundation Type			Туре	First Floor Height			
WV Assessment Record Values for BASEMENT	FdtnType	FdtnCode	Modified- FdtnCode	Description	FirstFloorHt (PRE-FIRM) ft.	FirstFloorHt (POST-FIRM) ft.	Modified-FFH	
3645 River Rd, Shepherdstown, WV 25443	Pile	1	1	Exposed supports built off-site as single units.	7.0	8.0	<value></value>	
	Pier	2	2	Exposed supports built on-site using masonry blocks.	5.0	6.0	<value></value>	
	Solid Wall	3	3	Load-bearing perimeter walls taller than 4 ft.	7.0	8.0	<value></value>	
FULL or PART (Residential); FIRST BASEMENT, SUB BASEMENT (Commercial)	Basement	4	4	Structure that has any floor beneath grade.	4.0	4.0	<value></value>	
CRAWL (Residential); CRAWL SPACE (Commercial)	Crawlspace	5	5	Short load bearing masonry or concrete wall. Default for Trailers RES2.	3.0	4.0	<value></value>	
	Fill	6	6	Soil built up above the ground elevation.	2.0	2.0	<value></value>	
NONE or blank	Slab-on-Grade	7	7	Concrete slab resting on the ground. Default if no basement value except for RES2.	1.0	1.0	<value></value>	

Statewide Flood Risk Assessment

Flood Model Outputs

Flood Models

- FEMA Open Hazus Flood Assessment Structure Tool (FAST)
 - **Building Direct Economic Loss Estimates**
 - Incorporate **Population Displacement** and **Short-Term Shelter Needs** in FEMA's Open Hazus script (in development)

Model Data Outputs

- Community-Level
- **Building-Level**
- 3D Visualizations
- Risk Layers Published to RiskMAP View of WV Flood Tool (www.mapwv.gov/Flood)

Community Flood Risk Assessments

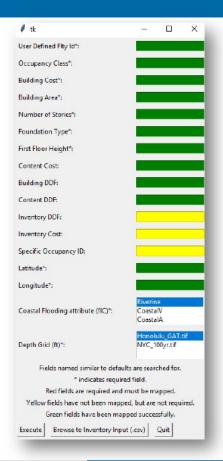
- Submit flood risk assessments and data to communities, state, and federal partners
- Identify potential mitigation actions and resources for stakeholders that correlate with risk assessment outputs/analytics



Hazus Flood Loss Estimation Program

Flood Loss Utility







FEMA's new OpenHazus Flood Loss Utility.

It works!

Very beneficial for project!

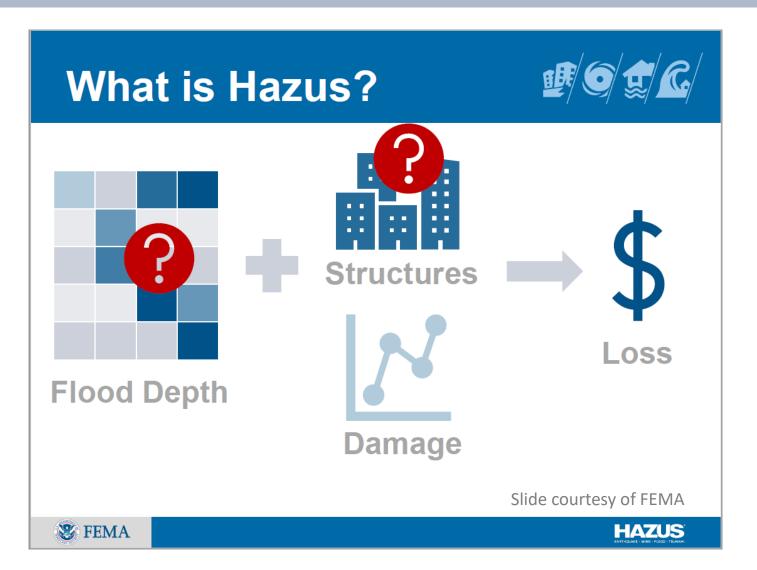
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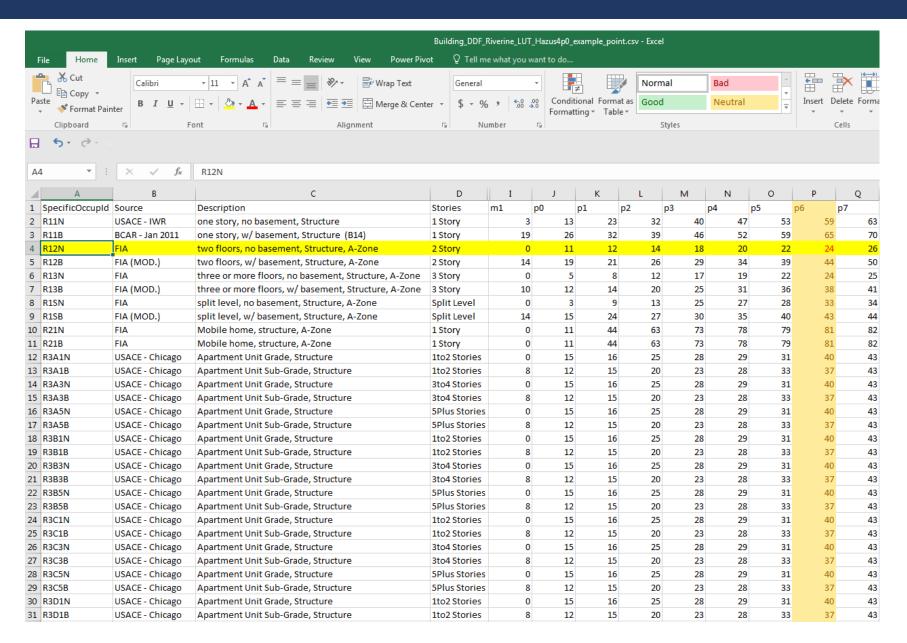


Hazus Flood Loss Estimation Program

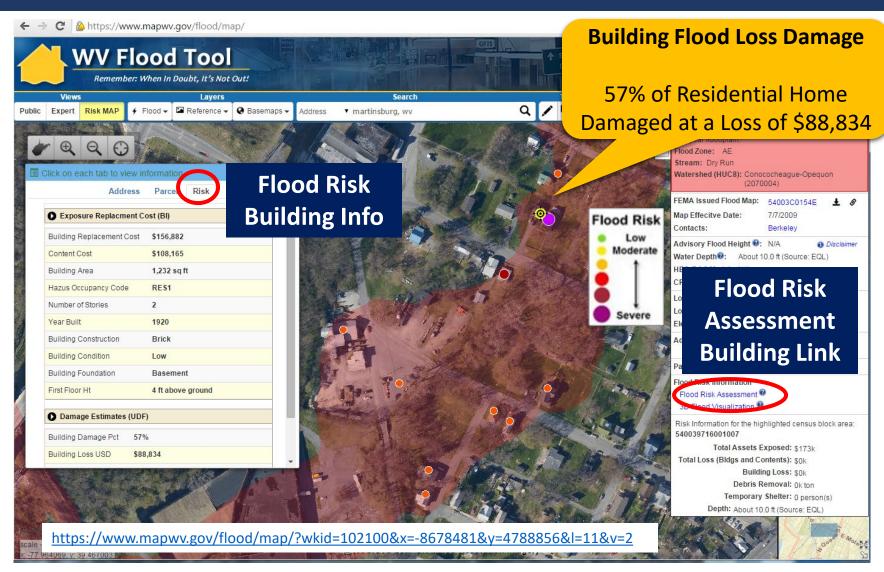
A GIS-based natural hazard analysis tool developed and freely distributed by FEMA



Depth-Damage Function (DDF) Values

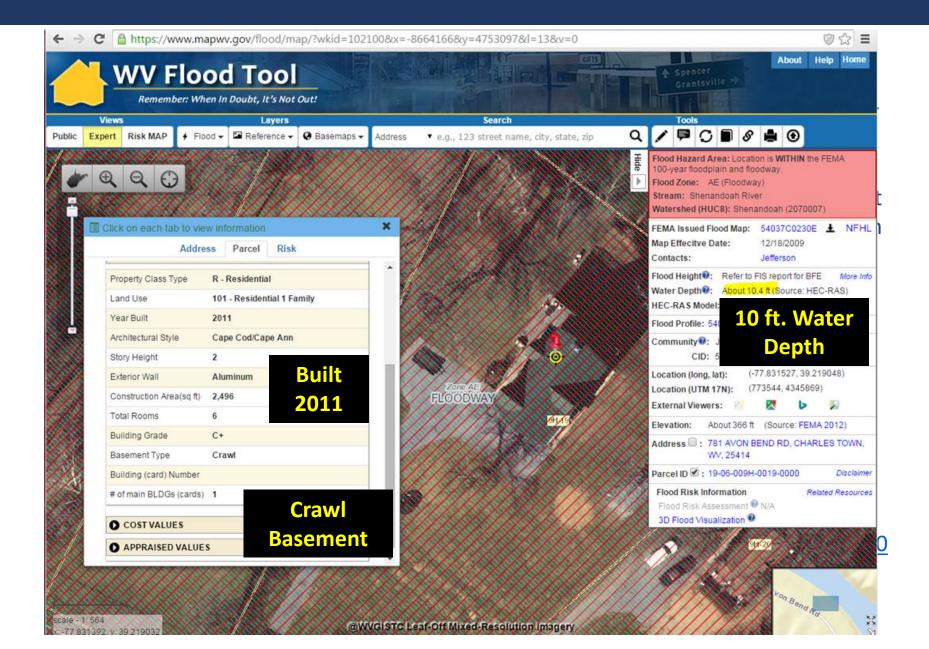


Flood Risk Structures of Martinsburg



The Risk MAP View allows for viewing flood loss estimates at the building or structure level for a 1%-annual-chance flood event.

Field Verification — Post-FIRM Structure



Post-FIRM Structure in Floodway?

Building ID	781:19-06-00	781:19-06-009H-0019-0000			
Full E-911 Address	781 AVON BE	781 AVON BEND RD, CHARLES TOWN, WV, 25414			
	70171101101				
Full Owner Address	9299 ALL SAII	9299 ALL SAINTS RD, LAUREL, MD 20723			
GIS Parcel ID	19-06-009H-0				
Lat	39.218996				
Long	-77.83151391	1			
Plus Code	87F46599+H9	ЭX			
	https://mapv	vv.gov/flood/map/?wkid=102100&x=-			
WV Flood Tool Link	8664164.496	52&y=4753089.59353&l=13&v=0			
	https://mapv	vv.gov/Assessment/Detail/?PID=19060			
WV Parcel Assessment Link	09H00190000	00000			
CID	540065				
Community Name	JEFFERSON C	JEFFERSON COUNTY *			
Stream Name	Shenandoah	River			
Watershed (HUC8)	Shenandoah	(2070007)			
Flood Zone Designation	Effective 100	yr Zone AE - Floodway			
Floodway	Yes				
Year Built	2011	2011			
FIRM Status	Post-FIRM	Post-FIRM Post-FIRM			
Hazard Occupancy Code	RES1				
Stories	2	Building			
Basement Type	Crawl	Building			
First Floor Height	4.0	Inventory			
Building Appraisal	\$170,200	inventory			
Structure Area	2496				
Flood Depth Value	9.8				
Flood Depth Source	HEC-RAS				
WSEL Value	376.0				
WSEL Source	UAE				
Ground Elevation	366.2				
Ground Elevation Source		efferson, Berkeley & Morgan Lidar			
Grade	C+				
Tax Class	2				
Land Use Description	Residential 1	Residential 1 Family			
Exterial Wall Type					

D. (L.C 1D.	704.40.06.00011.00	10.000	
Building ID	781:19-06-009H-00		
Full E-911 Address	781 AVON BEND RD, CHARLES TOWN, WV, 25414		
GIS Parcel ID	19-06-009H-0019-0	000	
Plus Code	87F46599+H9X		
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WV Parcel Assessment Link	https://mapwv.gov/ H001900000000	/Assessment/Detail/?PID=1906009	
Full Owner Address	9299 ALL SAINTS RD), LAUREL, MD 20723	
Осс	RES1	,	
Cost	170200		
NumStories	2		
FoundationType	5		
FirstFloorHt	4		
Area	2496		
UserDefinedFltyId	453		
Latitude	39.218996		
Longitude	-77.83151391		
Depth_Grid	9.825653		
Depth_in_Struc	5.825653076		
flExp	1		
SOID	R12N		
BDDF_ID	107		
BldgDmgPct	23.7		
BldgLossUSD	\$40,254		
ContentCostUSD	\$85,100.00		
CDDF_ID	23.00		
ContDmgPct	37.95	FAST Utility	
ContentLossUSD	\$32,299		
DebrisID	RES1NBFT4	Output	
Debris_Tot	16.9728		
Restor_Days_Min	270		
Restor_Days_Max	450		
GridName	AFH_wm.tif		

FEMA Resource Documents

Flood Risk Products

USING FLOOD RISK PRODUCTS IN HAZARD MITIGATION PLANS



Hazard mitigation is the effort to reduce loss of life and property by reducing the impact of disasters. Disasters can cause injury and death, damage buildings and infrastructure, and have devastating consequences for a community's economic, social, and environmental well-being. Hazard mitigation plans are key to breaking the cycle of disaster damage, reconstruction, and repeated damage, and they allow communities to remain eligible to receive certain types of state, tribal, and federal assistance.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) provides policy, guidance, products, tools, training, and technical assistance to state, local, and tribal jurisdictions to help them develop and update mitigation plans. More information on available resources can be found on FEMA's Hazard Mitigation Planning website, www.fema.gov/hazard-mitigation-planning. In addition, FEMA's Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (Risk MAP) program has developed Flood Risk Products (FRPs), which are tools created to assist in mitigating flood risk. Under the Risk MAP program, FEMA partners with local, state, and tribal governments to identify flood hazards, assess flood risks, develop plans and mitigation strategies, and implement mitigation actions using a wide range of public and private resources. Data produced from Risk MAP projects can be incorporated into a mitigation plan and help inform mitigation strategies and prioritize mitigation activities.

Statewide Flood Risk Assessment

Community Engagement & Field Verification

Community Flood Risk Assessments

- Submit flood risk assessments and data to communities, state, and federal partners.
- Review potential mitigation actions and resources with stakeholders that correlate with risk assessment outputs/analytics. Link to available FEMA and State Resource Guides:
 - Reducing Damage from Localized Flooding: A Guide for Communities
 - Community Rating System Coordinators Manual
 - WV Floodplain Management Quick Guide

Field Accuracy Checks

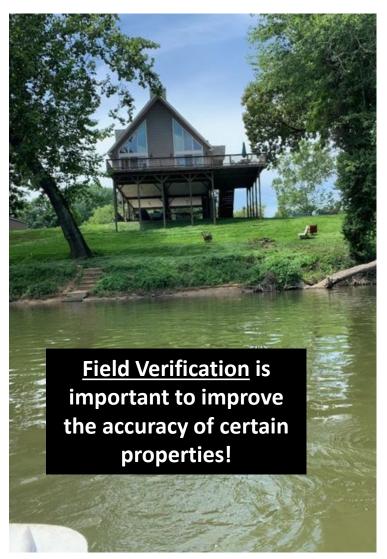
- Make necessary edits to Flood Risk Assessment GIS
- Revisions serve as new Model Inputs for Building Inventory Cycle

Communities do not need mapping software since...

 Building-Level Flood-Risk Assessments can be viewed in a Spreadsheet Table with web links to WV Flood Tool COMMUNITY
ENGAGEMENT & FIELD
ACCURACY CHECKS

Floodplain Managers
Local Govt. Officials

Field Verification



Field Verified from Shenandoah River

Field Verification of the structure located at 781 Avon Bend Road in Charles Town along the Shenandoah River in the Regulatory Floodway reveals that this Post-FIRM (2011) structure is built on a piles foundation. The Foundation Type/First Floor Height will be changed in the Building Inventory and the FAST Loss Estimate Utility executed again for this structure.

The estimated Base Flood Water Depth for this structure is 10 feet and with 2 feet of freeboard 12 feet.

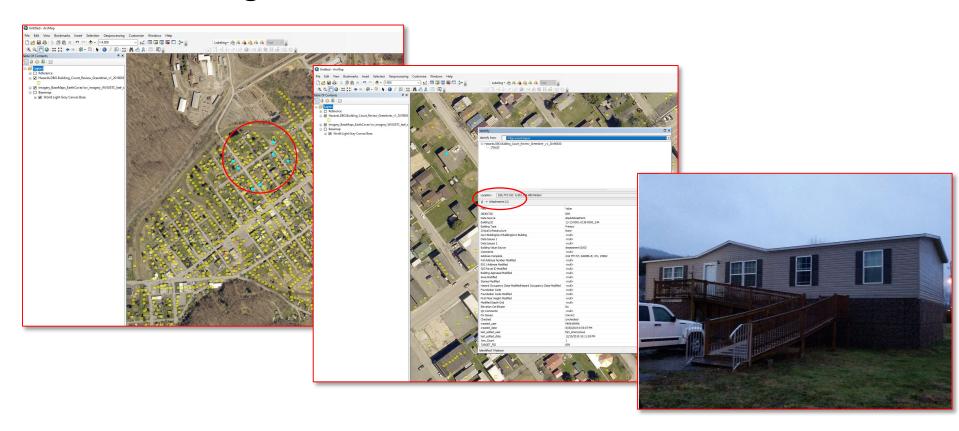
781 Avon Bend Road, Charles Town, WV 25414 Building ID 781:19-06-009H-0019-0000

WV Flood Tool Link:

https://mapwv.gov/flood/map/?wkid=102100& x=-8664165&y=4753090&l=13&v=1

Community Data Collection and Validation

 Rainelle, WV synced data showing modified first floor height



Statewide Hazard Assessment

(3) Risk PLANNING

Risk Planning

Hazard Mitigation Application & Schedule

• Risk Assessment performs Hazard Risk Identification and Risk Assessment (HIRA) requirement for Flood and Landslide Hazards.

Hazard Mitigation Plan Process

- Non-CRS Community: Local Hazard Mitigation Plan
- CRS Community: Combined Local HMP and CRS Floodplain Mgmt. Plan. Single, coordinated process.

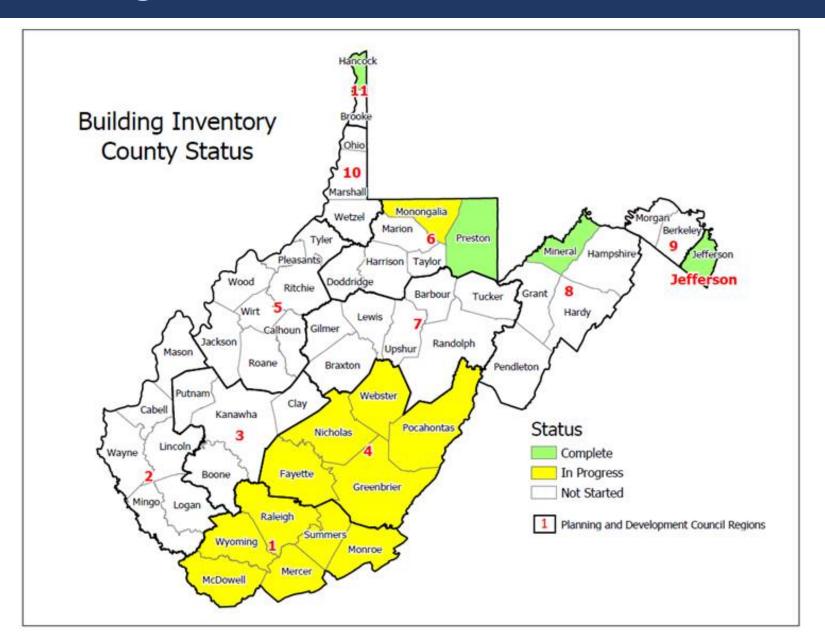
Planning Tools and Engagement

- Community Self-Assessment
 - Online Community Tracking Survey (SurveyMonkey.com)
 - Community Contact Lists (FPM ListServ, CRS User Group, PDC/GIS Contacts)
 - Target Audience: Floodplain Manager, Community Planner, Emergency Planner, Community Leader
 - Administrative Oversight: Regional Planning & Development Council/Vendor --> County Unincorporated -->
 Municipality Incorporated
- CRS Planning Tools: Planning Steps, CRS Point Sheets, etc.
- FEMA's Community Engagement Prioritization Tools (CEP-T)
- Web Planning Tools and Resources: WV Flood Tool, Mitigation calculator, FloodSmart.gov, etc.

Proposed Areas of Mitigation and Actions

WV Flood Tool can be used for mapping areas of mitigation

Alignment with Local HMP



Floodplain Managers and the Mitigation Strategy

- Responsible development and meaningful flood mitigation are crucial for a safe, resilient community
- Floodplain Managers are key stakeholders in this effort
- Floodplain Manager outreach and inclusion are extremely important and beneficial









Floodplain Managers and the Mitigation Strategy



- Floodplain Managers can bring a wealth of knowledge to mitigation strategy development during the hazard mitigation planning process
- Ultimately leading to a targeted and effective flood mitigation plan





Floodplain Managers and the Mitigation Strategy

Hazard Mitigation Plans in which Floodplain Managers have participated in the planning process tend to:



Include more specific and targeted flood mitigation projects



Consider long-term flood risk reduction strategies such as changes to local policies and ordinances



Document realistic and attainable mitigation funding sources making projects more feasible and implementable





Risk Planning

Example Community Engagement Document

STEP 1: Review and understand the risks in your floodplain. Evaluate your community's existing management, planning, and public outreach activities for multi-hazards.

Insurable Buildings have been inventoried for the high-risk flood zones in your community. Verify if Recreational Vehicles (RV) or trailers located in the SFHA are permanent structures. Report first floor heights of mitigated structures that have been elevated. Verify building and provide corrections for building replacement cost, foundation type, occupancy class, Pre-FIRM/Post-FRIM status, etc.

Critical Facilities are those buildings and facilities that are essential for the delivery of vital services or protection of a community. Please verify the essential facilities and community assets that have been mapped in the flood zones. List any critical facilities that are not listed in the report.

Most Vulnerable Building Lists are provided to identify and assess flood risk for your community. Please review and verity the following building lists:

- High Value Building Exposure: Most expensive residential and non-residential buildings located in the high-risk flood zones.
- Floodway Exposure: High-value buildings located in the regulatory floodway, the main channel
 of the river or stream where floodwaters are likely the deepest and with highest velocities.
- Building Impact Models: High physical building damage estimates for a 1-percent-annualchance flood event.
- New Development: Review permits of Post-FIRM buildings that are below the BFE or have basements. Review non-conforming buildings that are subject to substantial damage for a 1percent-annual chance flood.

Repetitive Loss Buildings and Areas. Review and updated the list of repetitive loss properties in your community using the WV Flood Tool. Verify the buildings still exists by viewing online assessment records. A community with 50 or more repetitive loss properties should perform a Repetitive Loss Area Analysis as part of updating its floodplain management plan.

FEMA Resource Documents

Mitigation Planning and the Community Rating System Key Topics Bulletin

Mitigation Planning and the Community Rating System Key Topics Bulletin

October 2018



FEMA Resource Documents

LOCAL MITIGATION PLAN REVIEW GUIDE

Local Mitigation Plan Review Guide

October 1, 2011





ELEMENT B. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION AND RISK ASSESSMENT

The hazard identification and risk assessment tasks are very similar for mitigation and CRS planning. Both require attention to repetitive loss properties.

ELEMENT B. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION AND RISK ASSESSMENT	CRS COUNTERPART	
B1. Does the Plan include a description of the type, location, and extent of all natural hazards that can affect each jurisdiction(s)? (Requirement $\S 201.6(c)(2)(i)$)	Step 4. Assess the Hazard	
B2. Does the Plan include information on previous occurrences of hazard events and on the probability of future hazard events for each jurisdiction? (Requirement $\S201.6(c)(2)(1)$)		

Up to 35 points are provided for describing the hazards facing the community, based on available studies. CRS Step 4(a) is the **flood hazard assessment** (REQUIRED, up to 15 points). It must include:

- . The Special Flood Hazard Area shown on the Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM);
- All repetitive loss areas. CRS communities should have already prepared repetitive loss area maps because they are
 prerequisite to joining the program. See also the guidance on using flood insurance data on page 18;
- · Areas not mapped on the FIRM that have flooded in the past (flood insurance claims can help with this); and
- · Other surface flooding identified in other studies.

Most multi-hazard mitigation plans sufficiently cover this minimum requirement for CRS Step 4. To obtain more than 15 points, the assessment needs to provide **more details**, address hazards that are not usually shown on the FIRM, such as levee or dam failure flooding, review future development and flooding conditions, and cover other natural hazards.

Sub-element B2 is also addressed in the creditable parts of CRS Step 4, specifically in 4(a)(3), a discussion of past floods (REQUIRED) and 4(c), identifying areas likely to be flooded and flood problems that are likely to get worse in the future.

ELEMENT B. HAZARD IDENTIFICATION AND RISK ASSESSMENT	CRS COUNTERPART
B3. Is there a description of each identified hazard's impact on the community as well as an overall summary of the community's vulnerability for each jurisdiction? (Requirement $\S 201.6(c)(2)(11)$)	Step 5. Assess the Problem
B4. Does the Plan address NFIP insured structures within the jurisdiction that have been repetitively damaged by floods? (Requirement §201.6(c)(2)(11)))	

While CRS Step 4 focuses on the hazards, CRS Step 5 reviews the impact of the hazards on people and property.

a. Under CRS Step 5, the plan is REQUIRED to include "an overall summary of the jurisdiction's vulnerability to each hazard identified in the hazard assessment (CRS Step 4) and the impact on the community" (2 points). These criteria are essentially the same as those for sub-element B3.

Up to 50 more points are provided for providing more details:

 A description of the impact of flooding on various community attributes, such as critical facilities and the local economy (25 points)

Risk Planning

Table 3. Comparison of the Planning Processes				
Mitigation Planning Elements*	CRS Planning Steps**	Max Points	Average	
A. Diamoing Drasses	1. Organize to prepare the plan	15	10	
	2. Involve the public	120	34	
A. Planning Process	3. Coordinate	35	10	
B. Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment	10. Implement, evaluate, revise	26	5	
	4. Assess the hazard	35	25	
	5. Assess the problem	52	29	
	6. Set goals	2	2	
C. Mitigation Strategy	7. Review possible activities	35	20	
	CRS Planning Steps** Max Points Avera 1. Organize to prepare the plan 15 10 2. Involve the public 120 34 3. Coordinate 35 10 10. Implement, evaluate, revise 26 5 4. Assess the hazard 35 25 5. Assess the problem 52 29 6. Set goals 2 2 7. Review possible activities 35 20 8. Draft an action plan 60 42 10. Implement, evaluate, revise 5-year update See Element A 9. Adopt the plan 2 2 2 2 2	42		
D. Plan Update		See Element A		
E. Plan Adoption	9. Adopt the plan	2	2	
		382	171	

^{*} The planning elements are per Local Mitigation Plan Review Guide and its Plan Review Tool

^{**} The 10 steps are detailed in Activity 510, Section 512.a, Floodplain Management Planning (FMP) in the CRS Coordinator's Manual

The CEP-Tool indicators align to a community's strategic attributes



- · Average Residential Growth Over Previous Decade
- · Claims Outside the SFHA (Zones BCX)
- · Compliance at Last Visit
- · Estimated Population Growth Rate
- · Percent of SFHA Structures Without Flood Insurance
- Number of LOMCs
- Dollar Amounts of Previous Claims
- Number of Declared Disasters with Flooding Since 1989
- Number of pre-FIRM Policies
- Number of Policies
- Number of Repetitive Loss Structures
- Population in SFHA
- Social Vulnerability (SOVI)



Date of Last Disaster **Opportunity**

- Number of Mitigated Properties
- Number of Pre-FIRM Policies
- · Number of Repetitive Loss Structures
- · Estimated Population Growth in the SFHA



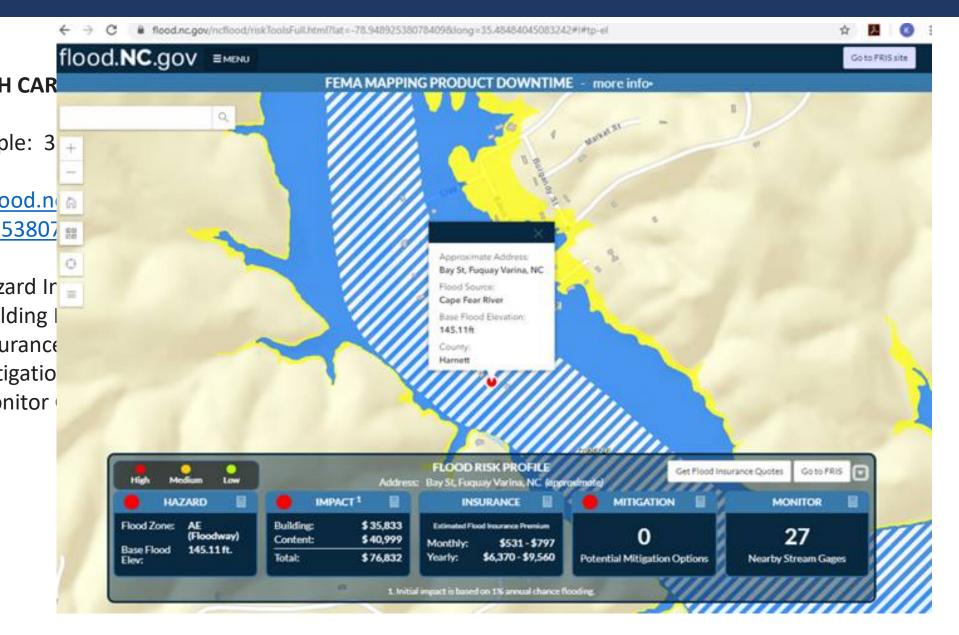
nterest/Need

- Active of Planned Mapping Study in the Fiscal Year
- Current CRS Class
- Current CRS Enrollment Application?
- Current CRS Status
- Date of Last CAV/CAC
- Date of Last Floodplain Management Training/Workshop
- · Higher Standards Adopted?
- Number of GTA Contacts in the Last Year
- Number of Mitigated Properties

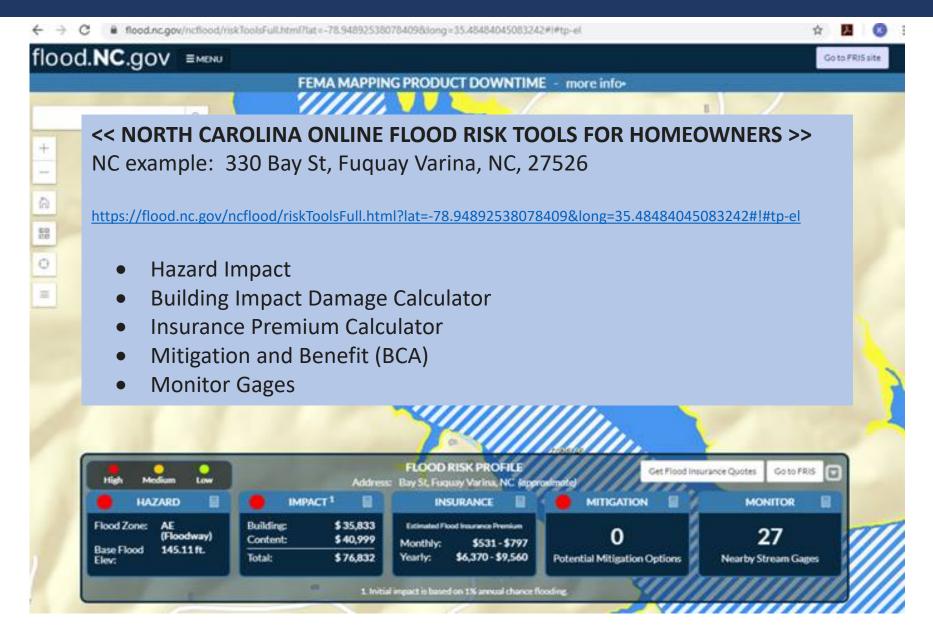




Online Hazard & Mitigation Tools



Online Hazard & Mitigation Tools



Statewide Hazard Assessment

(4) CRS / NFIP

CRS / NFIP

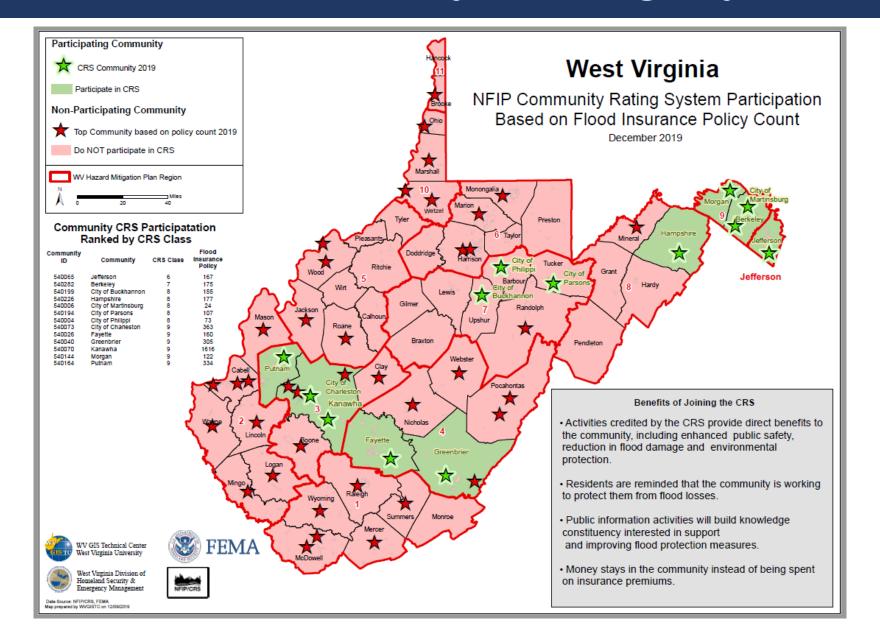
State-Based CRS Credits

- CRS Assessments: Evaluate CRS Credit Breakdowns by Community. Assist CRS
 Communities to move to Higher Class. Need updated report of CRS credits. Identify
 full or partial
- Identify Full or Partial State-Based CRS credits for Communities
- Potential Credits from Local Flood Risk Assessments
 - CRS 300 Public Outreach Activities
 - 350 Flood Protection Information (WEB) Community Web Pages: Community-Level Risk Profile, Risk/Insurance/Mitigation Calculators, web links (FloodSmart.gov, etc.)
 - CRS 400 Mapping and Regulations
 - 410 Flood Hazard Mapping New Study (NS) Model Ordinance: BFE's in Advisory A Zones and Community Identified Floodplains (Non-SFHA Advisory A or Updated AE)
 - 420 Open Space Preservation (OSP). Freeboard information needed.
 - CRS 500 Flood Damage Reduction Activities
 - 510 Floodplain Mgmt. Planning (FMP) and Repetitive Loss Area Analyses (RLAA)
 - 520 Acquisition and Relocation (AR)

Alignment of Local HMP with CRS Floodplain Mgmt. Planning

 CRS Assessments: Evaluate CRS Credit Breakdowns by Community. Assist CRS Communities to move to Higher Class. Need updated report of CRS credits.

FEMA's Community Rating System



CRS Point System

Table 110-2. Credit points awarded for CRS activities.*				
Activity	Maximum Possible Points	Maximum Points Earned	Average Points Earned	Percentage of Communities Credited
300 Public Information Activities				
310 Elevation Certificates	116	116	38	96%
320 Map Information Service	90	90	73	85%
330 Outreach Projects	350	350	87	93%
340 Hazard Disclosure	80	62	14	84%
350 Flood Protection Information	125	125	38	87%
360 Flood Protection Assistance	110	100	55	41%
370 Flood Insurance Promotion ⁵	110	110	39	4%
400 Mapping and Regulations				
410 Flood Hazard Mapping	802	576	60	55%
420 Open Space Preservation	2,020	1,603	509	89%
430 Higher Regulatory Standards	2,042	1,335	270	100%
440 Flood Data Maintenance	222	249	115	95%
450 Stormwater Management	755	605	132	87%
500 Flood Damage Reduction Activities				
510 Floodplain Mgmt. Planning	622	514	175	64%
520 Acquisition and Relocation	2,250	1,999	195	28%
530 Flood Protection	1,600	541	73	13%
540 Drainage System Maintenance	570	454	218	43%
600 Warning and Response				
610 Flood Warning and Response	395	365	254	20%
620 Levees	235	207	157	0.5%
630 Dams	160	99	35	35%

^{*} Figures are based on communities that have received verified credit under the 2013 CRS Coordinator's Manual (about 43% of CRS communities), as of October 2016. The maximum possible points are based on the 2013 Coordinator's Manual. Growth adjustments are not included.

Public Outreach – Story Maps

Floods

Flood Risk in West Virginia: What We Learned from the June 2016 Flood

https://wvu.maps.arcgis.com/apps/Cascade/index.html?appid=32292859b21b44e99c0be706f6da8aa3

2016 Flood: WV Flooded Towns, June 2016. The Historic Flooding of Southern West Virginia on June 23, 2016

https://wvu.maps.arcgis.com/apps/Cascade/index.html?appid=7b98379452094cd6827dc8f09c8293bd

1985 Flood: The Historic WV Flooding of November 4-5 1985

https://wvu.maps.arcgis.com/apps/Cascade/index.html?appid=8c8fd107215443b98dbd61252a9c6c40

Landslides

Causes of Landslides in Mountain State, West Virginia

https://arcg.is/1SW0Sn

West Virginia Landslides and Slide Prone Areas, WVGES 1976. An online Story Map of the landslide risk assessment published in 1976 by the WV Geological and Economic Survey that was funded by the Appalachian Regional Commission. https://arcg.is/1KDnvq

Community Profile Dashboards



Bluefield City Hall 200 Rogers Street Bluefield West Virginia, 24701 Community ID: 540285

Flood Risk

Area Flood Policy Summary

Flood Insurance Policies \$378,000

in Force

Written Premiums In 572

Force

Policies In Force 2

CRS Credits

Landslide Risk



WV Flood Tool Quick View of Bluefield

National Flood Insurance Program Status



Initial FIRM Date

3/2/2005

Effective FIRM Date

3/2/2005

Community Rating System

CRS Status	Not Participating		
Current CRS Class	10		
Discount for SFHA Status	0%		
Discount for Non-SFHA Status	0%		

Story Maps of Flood Risk and Mitigation

3D Flood Visualizations

Brooke County

https://www.mapwv.gov/flood/map/?v=1&pid=05-07-W22P-0161-0000

1412 Charles St, Wellsburg, WV, 26070, Parcel ID: 05-07-W22P-0161-0000



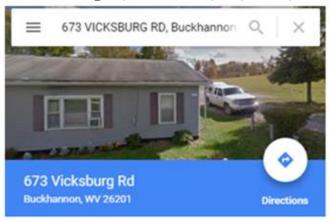
"This is the coolest thing ever....thank you!!!"

Source: 3D Flood Visualization Comment from Terri Jo Bennett, CFM, Upshur County Building Permit, Floodplain and Addressing and Mapping Coordinator

Upshur County

https://www.mapwv.gov/flood/map/?v=0&pid=49-05-0003-0031-0000

673 Vicksburg RD, Buckhannon, WV, 26201, Parcel ID: 49-05-0003-0031-0000





WV Flood Tool Outreach

Charleston WV Billboard Marketing (April 2017)



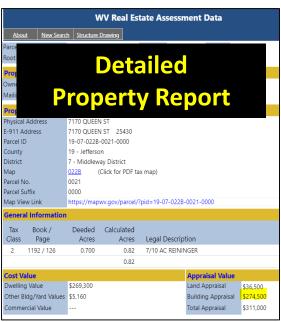
Which instrument is better for the public discovering the WV Flood Tool – a Billboard Campaign or a Real Estate Property Viewer?

WV Property Viewer www.mapwv.gov/property



WV Property Application







WV Assessment		ABOUT	FAQ	RESOURCES	
Property Search	Property Search	n Tool			
Search Options: ○ Hide ● Basic ○ Appraisal/Sales ○ Advanced (Hover over input fields to view help)					
County: All	District: All ∨	Full Parcel ID: 19	-07-022B-0	0021-0000	
Owner Name:	Map Number:	Property Class: R	- Resident	ial ∨	
Street Name:	Parcel:	Tax Class: 2	~		
	Sub-Parcel:	Land Use Al	1		
Search Reset Lines per page: 15					

WV Property Viewer

www.mapwv.gov/parcel

WV Property Search

www.mapwv.gov/
assessment

WV Flood Tool Website Visits



Statewide Hazard Assessment

(5) GIS

GIS

Flood Risk Assessment GIS

- Flood Risk Assessment Layers
- Mitigated Buyout Properties
- Repetitive Loss Structures
- LOMAs

Dam and Levee Inundation Zones

Communities downstream of Significant Hazard Level Dams

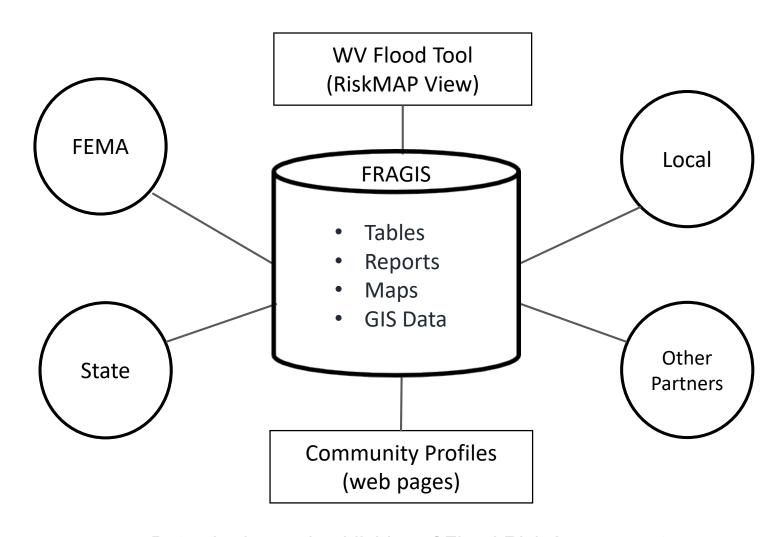
Reference GIS Layer Development

- o Parcels
- Addresses / Assessment Records
- Aerial Imagery

Other GIS Data Layers and Information

- State Owned or Leased Buildings
- Red Cross Sheltering Data for 2016 Flood

Flood Risk Assessment GIS (FRAGIS)



Data sharing and publishing of Flood Risk Assessments

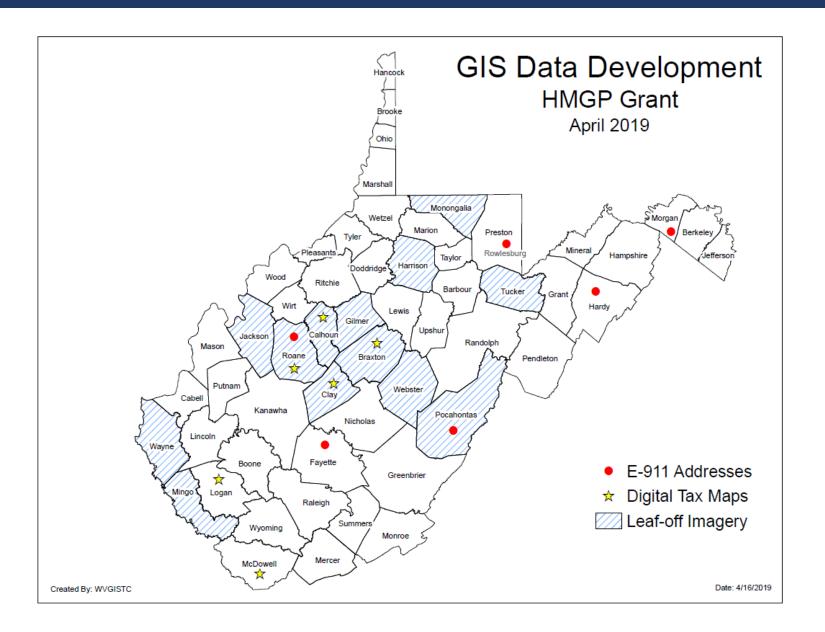
WV Flood Tool Updates

New Aerial Imagery

- 2018 USDA National Agriculture Imagery Program (NAIP) (2-ft pixel resolution)
- 2019 County Leaf-Of Aerial Imagery (4-inch pixel resolution)

Imagery can vary greatly in resolution. Pixel resolution refers to the actual distance on the ground that each pixel represents in the orthophotography. For example, four-inch pixel resolution means that each pixel in the image covers four inches on the ground.

Counties benefiting from HMGP



Statewide E-911 Addresses

Address Issues

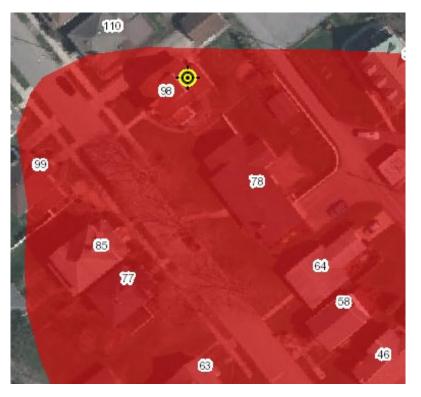
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City of Fairmont) 540099 0 0

Fairmont, WV

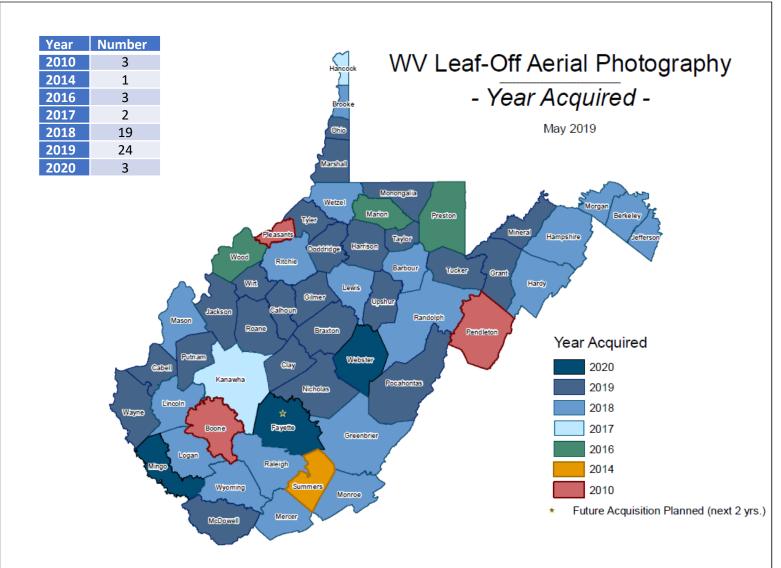
Wrong Addresses

(98 Graham St. should be 315 Graham St.)



Elkins, WV

County Aerial Imagery (2019)



Ideally, leafoff imagery
should not
be older
than 5 years.
Imagery is
important for
identifying
at-risk
structures
and accurate
disaster
mapping.

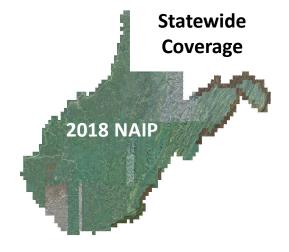
Source: County GIS Map created by WVGISTC 20190517

New 2018 NAIP Aerial Imagery

http://www.mapwv.gov/floodtest/?wkid=102100&x=-9176629&y=4583554&l=13&v=1 **2-Foot Pixel Resolution** Zone AE FLOODWAY Zone AE

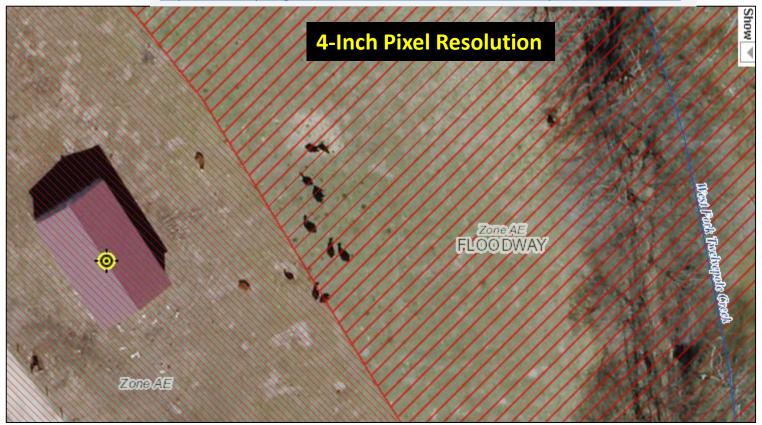
Choose **WV NAIP (2018)** from Base Map Layers Pulldown Menu





New 2019 Leaf-Off Aerial Imagery

http://www.mapwv.gov/floodtest/?wkid=102100&x=-9176629&v=4583554&l=13&v=1



Choose WV Best Leaves Off Base Map









Cows in the Floodway West Fork Twelvepole Creek, Wayne County

4-inch Resolution **Leaf-Off Aerial Imagery**

- Braxton
- Calhoun
- Clay
- Gilmer
- Harrison
- **Jackson**
- Monongalia
- **Pocahontas**
- Roane
- Monongalia
- Wayne

More 2019 county aerial imagery to be added

Communities benefiting from HMGP

GIS Data Development Costs associated with Statewide Multi-Hazards Project

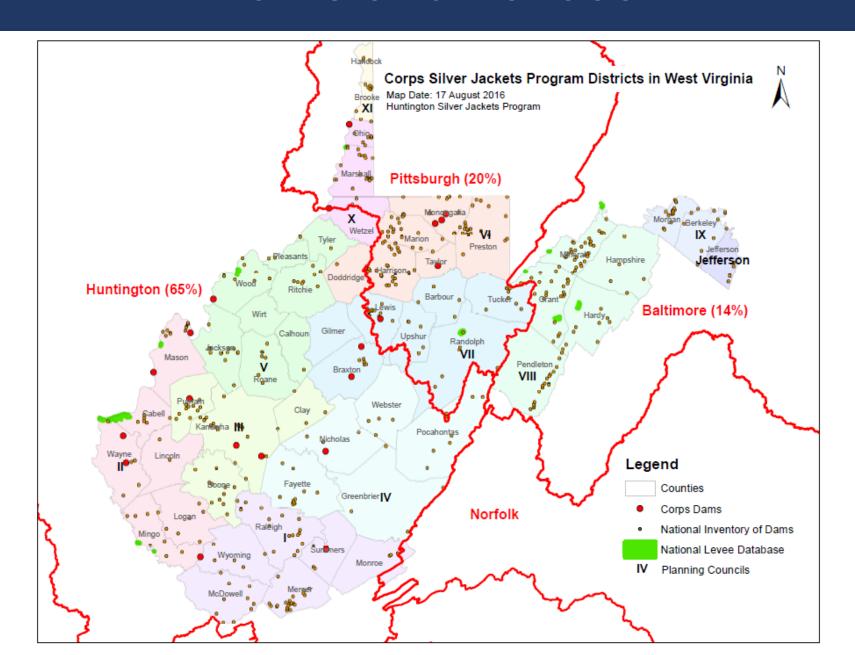
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			Atlas Geographic		In-Kind (field		
E-911 Addresses	7	7	Data	\$81,629	validation)	\$75,520	\$156,149
·- · · -							
Digital Tax	_	_	Atlas Geographic			4	4
Maps/Parcels	6	6	Data	\$27,474	In-Kind (imagery)	\$235,533	\$263,007
			Blue Mountain /				
Leaf-Off Imagery	13	13	Thrasher	\$205,536	Dollars (\$)	\$56,958	\$262,494
TOTAL	26	26		\$314,639 (40%)		\$437,991	\$752,630



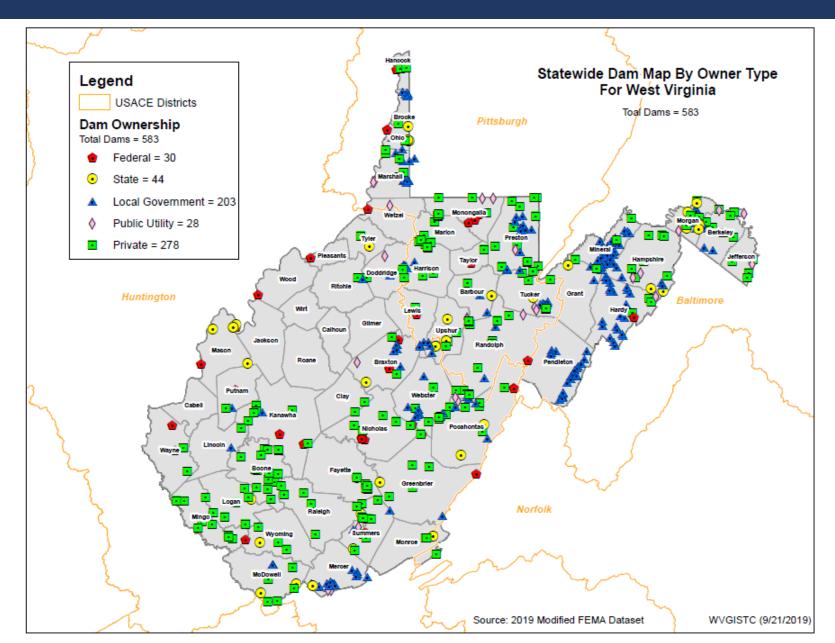
Statewide Flood Risk Assessment

Dams and Levees

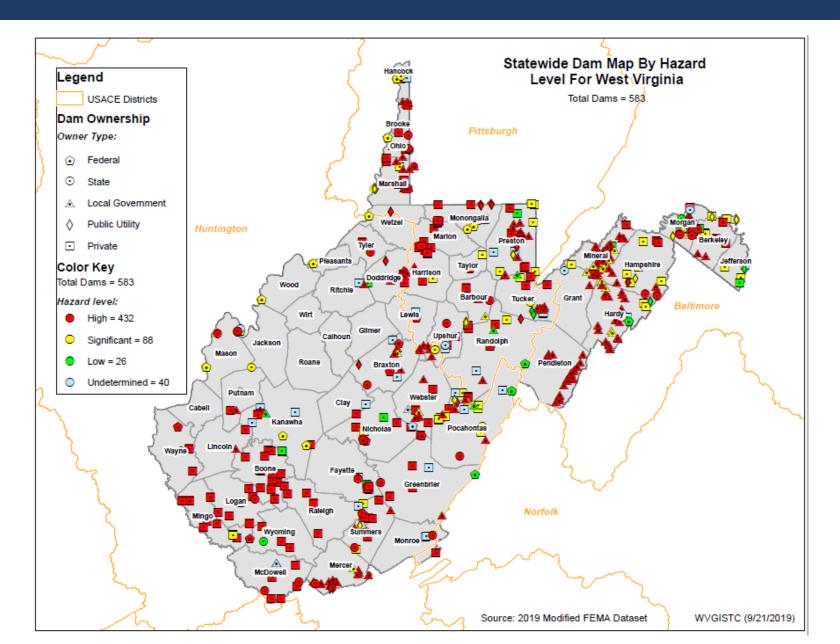
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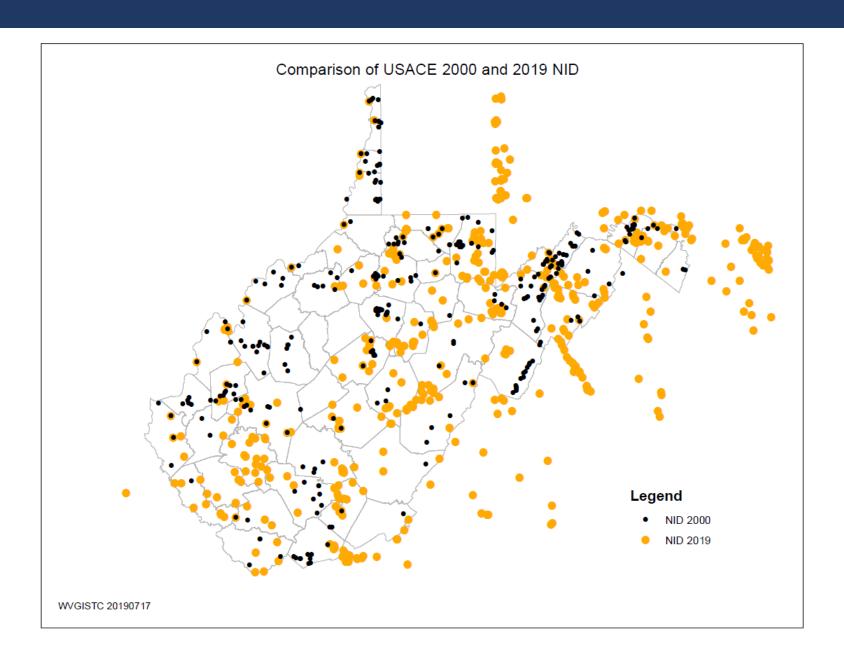
Dams by Owner Type



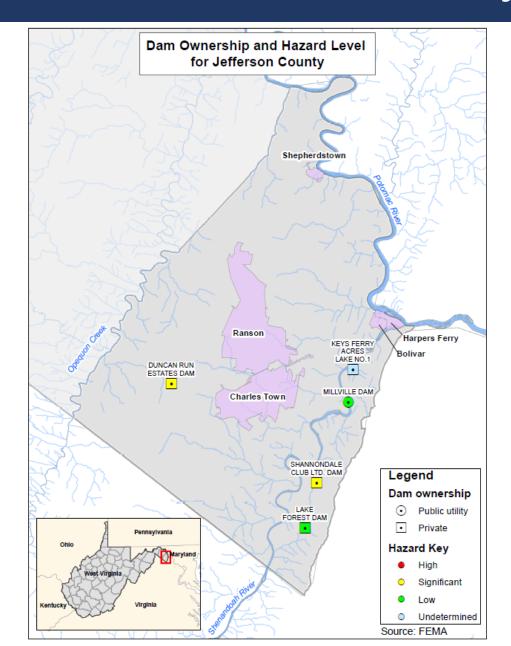
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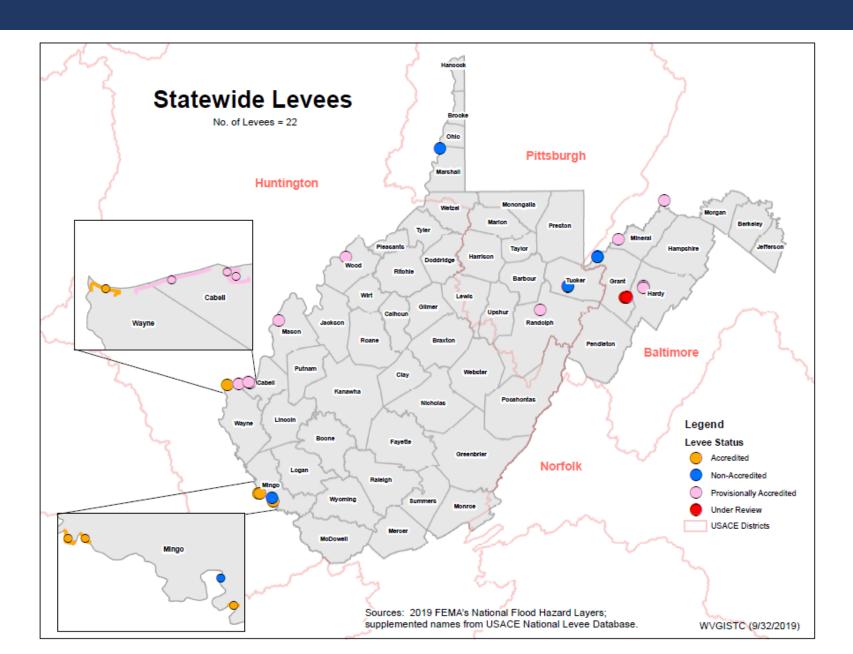
NID Non-Federal Dam Issues



Dams of Jefferson County



Levees



FEMA Levee Accreditation

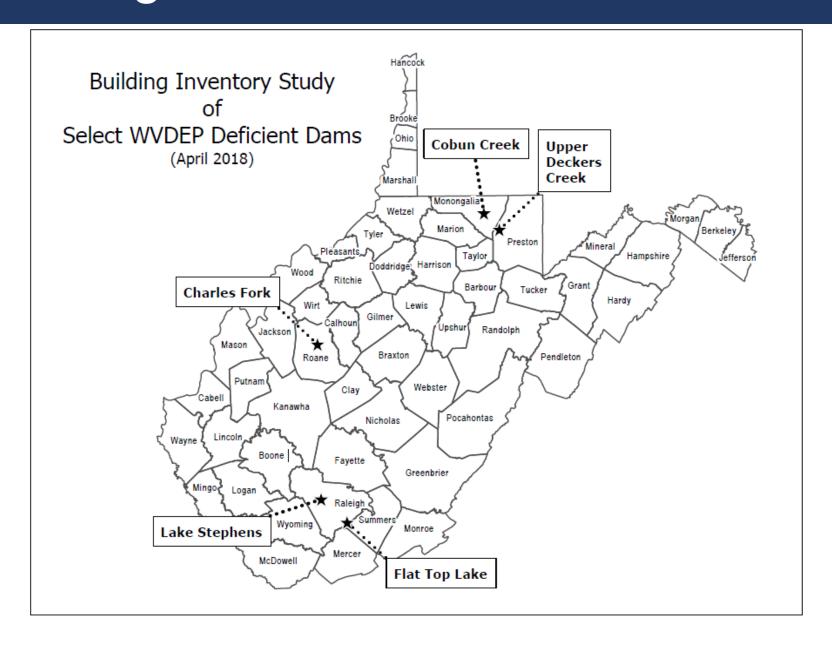


LEVEE ACCREDITATION STATUS WEST VIRGINIA - REGION 3 AS OF 5/20/2019

*ALL EXPIRED PALS (12 TOTAL) ARE SHOWN AS UNDER REVIEW SOURCES: FAST, NLD WY ORTHOIMAGERY NAIP 2016



Building Inventories – Deficient Dams



Building Inventories – Deficient Dams

BUILDING INVENTORIES

Building Points
Critical Infrastucture



BUILDING REPLACEMENT VALUES

Parcels (\$) BRIM (\$)



DAM INUNDATION ZONES

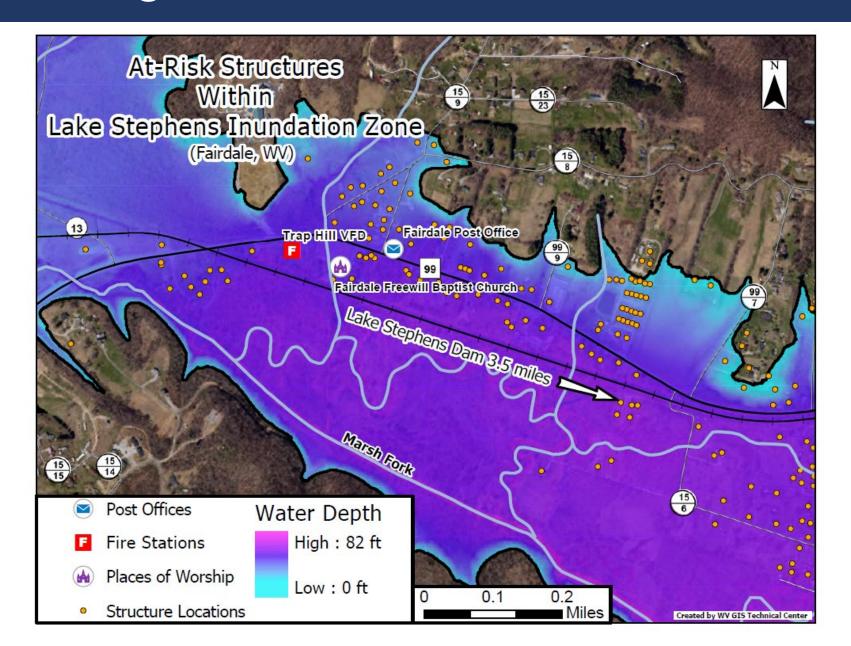
(Flood Water Depths)



DAM FAILURE AT-RISK BUILDINGS & PROPERTIES

Category	Charles Fork #17 Dam	Cobun Creek Dam	Flat Top Lake Dam	Lake Stephens Dam	Upper Deckers #1 Dam	
Hazard Potential Classification	High Risk	Significant Risk	High Risk	High Risk	Significant Risk	
WV DEP Deficient Dams / Rank	T1/5	Ť	T1/14	T1/7		
Flood Inundation Area (sq. mi.)	3.06	0.04	3.38	4.91	1.55	
Flood Inundation Area (acres)	1955	23	2164	3141	995	
River or Stream	Charles Fork	Cobun Creek	Beaverpond Branch	Stephens Branch	Decker's Creek	
Watershed	Little Kanawha	Upper Monongahela	Lower New	Coal	Upper Monongahela	
County	Roane	Monongalia	Raleigh	Raleigh	Preston	
Community and distance (mi)	Spencer (2 miles)	Morgantown (1 mile)	Cool Ridge (1 mile)	Surveyor (1 mile)	Arthurdale (1 mile)	
Owner	City of Spencer	Morgantown Utility Board	Flat Top Lake Assoc.	Raleigh County Rec. Authority	Monongahela SCD	
# Structures	983	7	252	1,071	188	
Building Type - % Residential	58%	29%	85%	80%	75%	
Building Type - % Farm	16%	0%	9%	5%	12%	
Building Type - % Commercial / Industrial	13%	57%	1%	12%	9%	
Building Type - % Other	13%	14%	5%	3%	4%	
At-Risk Building Exposure Value (\$)	\$33,821,000	\$83,900	\$11,244,500	\$27,286,500	\$7,465,600	
# Critical Facilities	7	0	1	5	0	
Critical Facilities Exposure Value (\$)	\$2,025,500		\$203,300	\$1,175,800		
# Parcels Intersecting Inundation Zone	1,253	25	478	2,063	277	
Land Use Type - % Vacant / Open Space	24%	68%	23%	44%	28%	
and Use Type - % Residential	40%	0%	45%	34%	50%	
and Use Type - % Agriculture	14%	0%	20%	8%	10%	
Land Use Type - % Commercial / Industrial	9%	28%	5%	2%	8%	
Land Use Type - % Other	13%	4%	7%	11%	5%	

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