

Marinette County Countywide Map Update Kickoff Meeting

Meeting date/time: Thursday, June 29, 2023, 2:00 p.m.

Zoom meeting and in-person

Agenda

- Introductions
- Risk MAP Overview / NFIP
- Countywide Map Update Project Scope
- Desired Input from Communities
- Engineering Methods / Mitigation
- Individual questions/discussion
- Close

Meeting Synopsis

Introductions of state and FEMA staff were made (meeting attendance list included below). Emily then summarized the goals of Risk MAP and the timeline for the project; provided basic information about the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP); gave broad details about what the affected communities can expect to see out of this project; and explained what types of data we would like to obtain from the county/communities. Details on the project specifics and scope of work, impacts the communities might see from the new data, and hazard mitigation topics were also briefly discussed. This project is currently funded through Draft work maps.

Engineering: Approximately 820 miles of Zone A will be redone. Zone A areas will remain Zone As, be model backed with current engineering standards and include elevations.

Hazard Mitigation: The Marinette County Hazard Mitigation Plan is up to date. Any assistance you might want is available through WDNR, WEM, or FEMA.

During the meeting, questions were asked related to:

- How do you know if you are participating in the NFIP?
 - You can ask DNR or FEMA staff and they can let you know your communities' status.
 - If you are a non-participating community, DNR will be in contact with you at some point to see if you would like to join.
- How far does the data drill down on the MSC?
 - Townships are included as part of the county map panels. Looking at the index map can help determine what panel you need to look at for your area.
- What is a LOMC (what does it cover?)
 - General term for all LOMAs and LOMRs
- Will the floodplain be the same for the Menominee River on both the WI and MI side?
 - The WI side will be better with elevations being more accurate based on the latest terrain data. Zone As on the Menominee River will tie-in with the detailed studies done previously.
- 5' or ½ a foot for DEMs?

- 5-foot grid (5x5 foot cells), not contours, will be created from the latest LiDAR data
- Will the county be required to bring the floodplain ordinance up to standard when the project is nearing completion?
 - Yes, and you will get assistance from the NFIP coordinator and associated staff.
 - There are resources available on our website (i.e., model ordinance, guides)
 - Communities will have 6 months to adopt an updated floodplain ordinance starting with the receipt of the Letter of Final Determination (LFD) in the final phase of the project.
 - All cities and villages will also have to do this. Townships are considered part of the County ordinance update.
 - Dam failure analyses must be updated at the time they are approved and is usually done separately from this process.

Attendance

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