

Current Issues in Emergency Management 2012



MITIGATION

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- Statewide conference calls
- Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) workshops
- Rule 27P-22 allocation
- Local Mitigation Strategy (LMS) project lists

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Management Costs

- In the project application, local administrative/management costs can be captured in a line item.
- Remember that these costs are considered as a part of the total project cost, which must be cost-beneficial.

Florida's Enhanced Hazard Mitigation Plan



- Updated state plan is due to FEMA in 2013
- THIRA appendix is due December 31, 2012.
- The State Hazard Mitigation Plan Advisory Team (SHMPAT) has been meeting– all are invited
- Review of local project lists

Rule 27P-22.004 (4)



(e) To submit annual LMS updates to the Division by the last working weekday of each January. Updates shall address, at a minimum:

1. Changes to the hazard assessment;
2. Changes to the project priority list;
3. Changes to the critical facilities list;
4. Changes to the repetitive loss list; and
5. Revisions to any maps.

Post-disaster Assessment of Mitigated Properties



Loss Avoidance Calculators for

- Elevation, acquisition, and floodproofing projects
- Drainage projects
- Wind retrofit projects

New DEM Mitigation Publications

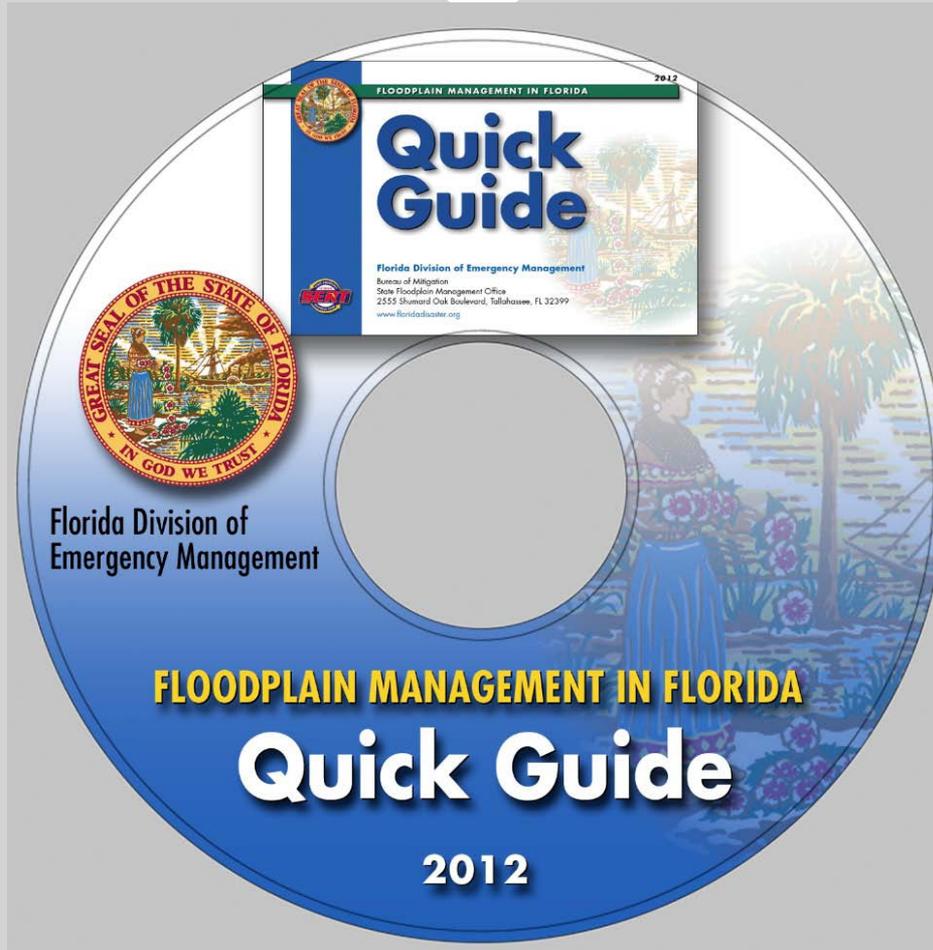


- ***Strengthening the Floodplain Portions of the LMS***— a guidance tool for integrating floodplain management plans into the LMS plan

Go to: www.floridadisaster.org/Mitigation/Local

- ***“Getting to Drier Ground”***– a best practices guide for implementing flood mitigation projects at the local level

Updated FPM Quick Guide



Non-disaster Grants



Pre-Disaster Mitigation
Flood Mitigation Assistance
Repetitive Flood Claims
Severe Repetitive Loss

There has been no 2012 cycle.
FEMA is not sure when the next cycle will open.

Flood Maps



- Map Modernization is coming to a close.
- Risk MAP (Mapping Assessment & Planning) is the new mapping format.
- Risk MAP is organized by watershed, rather than by county boundaries.
- Risk MAP priorities are first coastal then other.

2010 Florida Building Code



- Code now contains all standards for flood-resistant construction (as of March 15, 2012)
- New state model flood ordinance is a “companion” to the code
- Local coordination between building department and office where FPM is located

Floodplain Management Resources



<http://www.floridadisaster.org/Mitigation/SFMP>

Floods Helpline: 850-413-9960

For local ordinance revision assistance:

1-800-595-0724 or

Flood.ordinance@em.myflorida.com

Post-disaster Coordination



- EMs sharing flood damaged neighborhoods with FPMs and building officials
- TS Debby high water marks
- Florida's Silver Jackets Team

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