



Public Open House Workshop

New Flood Insurance Rate Maps and Flood Insurance Changes for Portion of Strafford County

The New Hampshire Floodplain Management Program at the Office of Energy and Planning and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) will jointly host a public open house workshop at the Durham Public Library on June 24, 2015 between the hours of 4:00 and 7:00 p.m. No formal presentations will be made during the workshop so please attend at any time during these hours.

New FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs) will become effective on September 30, 2015 for a portion of Strafford County, which includes the communities of Dover, Durham, Madbury, and Rollinsford.

Flooding is the number one natural disaster in New Hampshire so it is important for property owners to understand their risk and how it may be changing with the release of new FIRMs.

Representatives from FEMA, the State, and their mapping partners, will be available to answer flood mapping and flood insurance questions, and assist property owners to identify and understand how their flood risk may be changing with the new maps. If a resident has a FEMA Elevation Certificate and/or flood insurance policy, they are encouraged to bring them to the open house in order to get the best information about how their flood insurance rates may change as a result of the new maps and recent legislative insurance reforms. Information about the new maps can be found at: www.nh.gov/oep/planning/programs/fmp/coastal-mapping-project/

June 24, 2015
Any time between 4:00 PM and 7:00 PM
Durham Public Library
49 Madbury Road, Durham, NH

PARKING: If the library parking lot is full, overflow parking is available across Madbury Road at the Oyster River Middle School parking lot, 1 Coe Drive. Handicapped parking is still accessible at the library.

Please RSVP to:

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