

# **CTP ASFPM: Best Practices**

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### **Best Practices in the CTP Community of Practice**



- FEMA HQ: <u>Laura Algeo</u>
  - Collaboration Center, Discussion Board, Members Database, Training Resources, and shared Best Practices
- 2. Region VII: <u>Dane Bailey</u>

  CTP Collaborative Planning Process
- 3. Region V: Indiana DNR
  - Streams at Your Fingertips: Access to Flood Hazard Data in Indiana
- 4. Region IV: <u>Georgia DNR</u>
  - Georgia Flood Map Program Communication & Outreach
- 5. Region IV: <u>Kentucky Division of Water</u>

  Kentucky's Cooperating Technical Partners Best Practices
- 6. Region IX: <u>Carson Water Subconservancy District</u>

  Blueprint for CTP Success: Carson River Watershed, Nevada & California





### **FEMA HQ Best Practices**



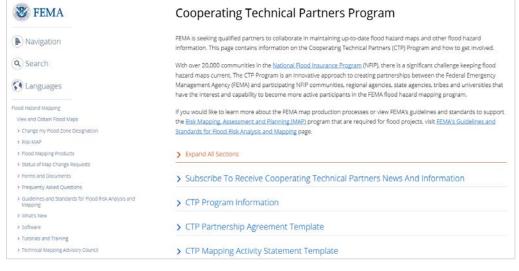
### 1. CTP Collaboration Center

- Discussion Board (Blog)
- CTP Member's Database
- Training Resources

### 2. FEMA. GOV

Best Practices











### **CTP Collaboration Center**

The CTP Collaboration Center provides crucial resources for new and existing CTPs including toolkits, MAS/SOW templates, meeting notes, training opportunities and more! Program updates and resources are shared regularly via the collaboration center to keep CTPs informed, but is also a shared spaced for CTPs to collaborate and engage as a community.



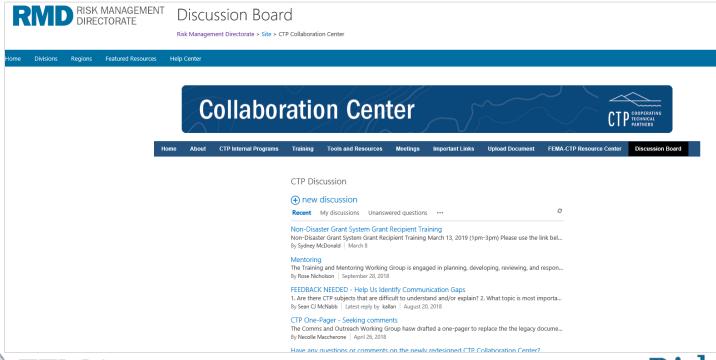




### CTP Collaboration Center: Discussion Board (Blog) CTP TECHNICAL PARTNERS



The Discussion Board or blog post section in the Collaboration Center gives the entire Community or Practice a space to "talk", collaborate, and use each other as resources. The board can be used to ask questions, highlight partnerships, share innovative approaches and in-the-field application of CTP activities.



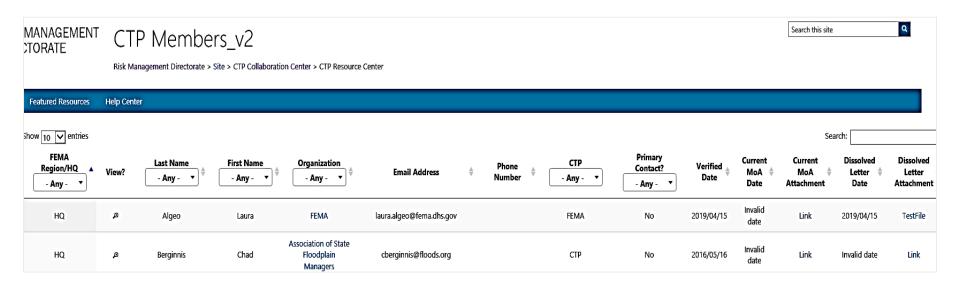


### CTP Collaboration Center: CTP Members' Database CTP TECHNICAL PARTNERS



The CTP Program Database will allow CTP Program Stakeholders to find each other. By filtering through Region, Organization and COP Member Type, users can find CTP programs and contacts.

### Access it here.









### **CTP Collaboration Center: Training Resources**

#### 1. The Self-Assessment Tool

Each identified role is separated into related competency categories known as knowledge, skills, and abilities (KSAs). Each competency is then aligned to recommended and available training courses designed to promote the continued growth of CTPs and FEMA staff.

### 2. Instructor-led Training at the Emergency Management Institute

The spring session focuses on technical topic such as mapping, guidance and standards and there system or program related topics. The summer session focuses on communications topics such as engaging stakeholders, powerful presentations, and Skillfully Handling the Q&A Exchange.

#### 3. The CTP 101 Course

This course is designed for communities and regional and state agencies that are participating in the Cooperating Technical Partners (CTP) Programs. The course provides a foundational overview of the CTP Program.

### 4. CTP Program Webinars

CTP Webinars offer easy access to learning resources covering a variety of topics. Topics include goal setting, performance measures, grants, MAS/SOW, NOFO, appeals, and many others. Webinars may be accessed during live CoP meetings, ad hoc offerings, and recorded sessions stored here on the Collaboration Center. Users can view recording or download the webinar to their own computers.

#### Mentoring Program

The mentoring program will live to serve as a liaison between experienced and new CTP members seeking guidance or teaching opportunities.





### **FEMA.GOV: Best Practices**



This page captures success stories and notable accomplishments from CTPs across the nation and is intended for current CTP Partners or interested parties wanting to learn more about the program.

### Cooperating Technical Partners Success Stories This page captures success stories and accomplishments in the Cooperating Technical Partners (CTP) Program. This page is intended for current CTP Partners or interested parties wanting to learn more about the program. > Expand All Sections > Introduction > Maryland Department Of The Environment > Georgia Department Of Natural Resources > Kentucky Division Of Water > Illinois State Water Survey > Indiana Department Of Natural Resources > The Earth Data Analysis Center At The University Of New Mexico And The New Mexico Department Of Homeland Security And Emergency Management > Lycoming County, PA







# CTP COLLABORATIVE PLANNING TOOL

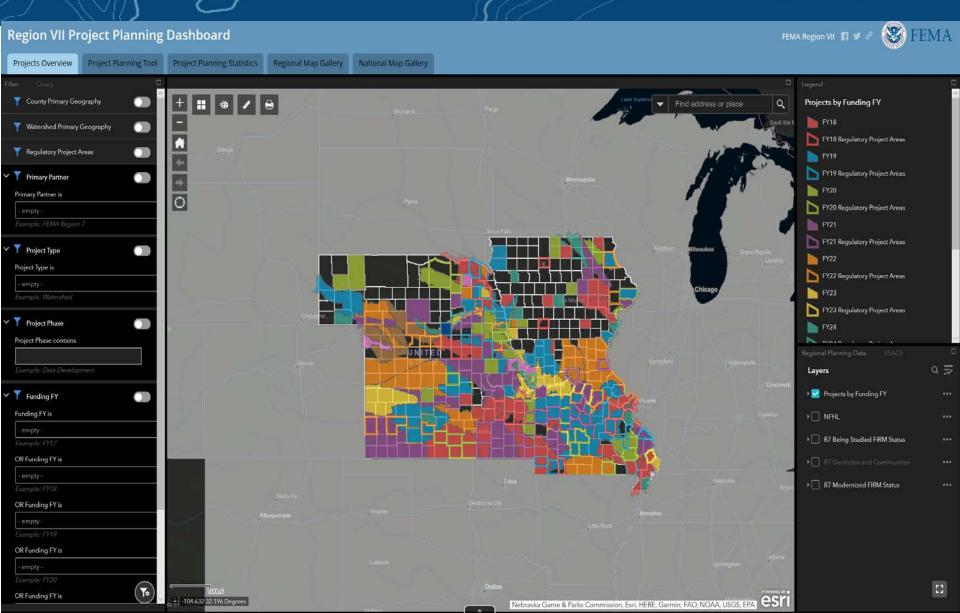
### REGION VII DANE BAILEY





# RVII Project Planning and Collaboration Tool

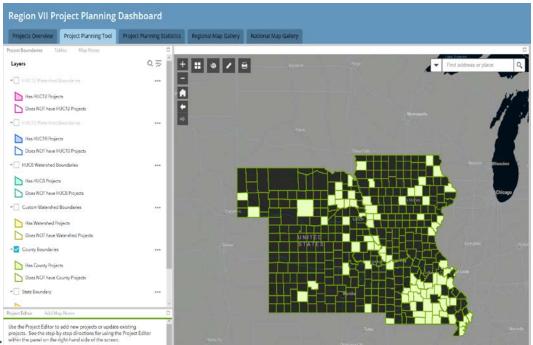




### **Tool Development and Use?**



- Developed by Region 7 and PM Team (RPML & Support)
- ArcGIS Geodatabase inventory of planned future projects hosted on the FEMA Geoplatform
- Regional and CTP-Specific Planning Applications and Viewers.

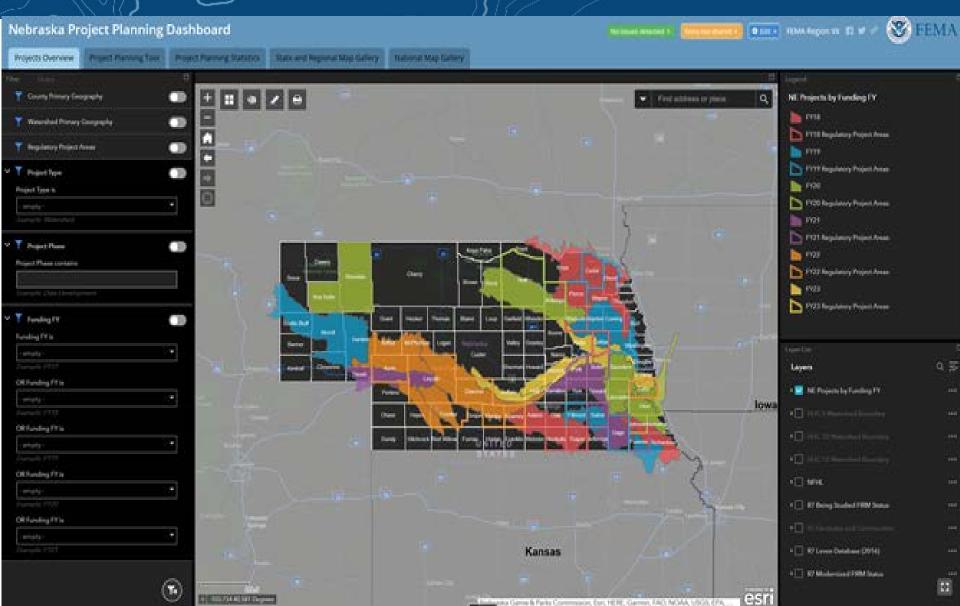








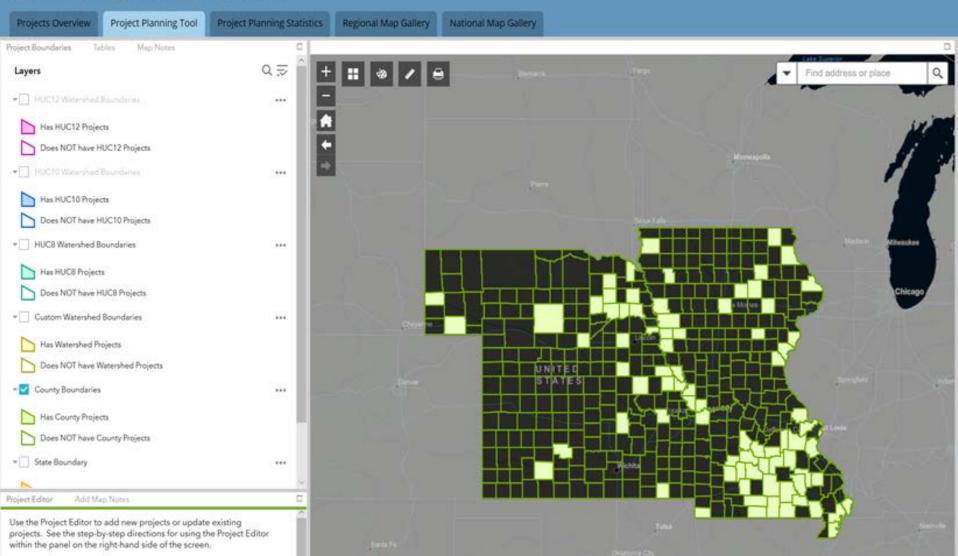




# Regional and CTP Planning Dashboards/Viewer



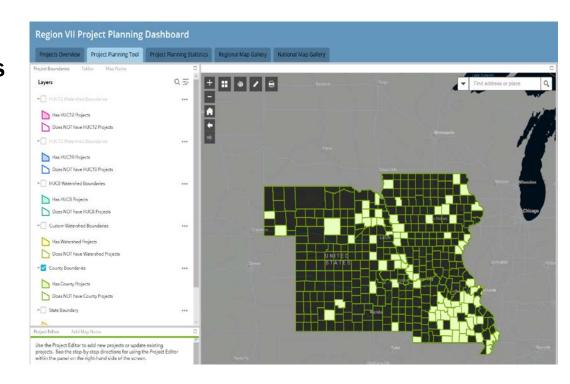
### Region VII Project Planning Dashboard



## Why did we develop the tool?



- Improve the Region's collaborative planning process with our CTP's
- Enable collaborative planning within FEMA and with our Federal Partners
- Improve FEMA's internal planning process to make better and more informed decisions







### How do we use the tool?



- Secure CTP specific groups established on the FEMA Geoplatform
- Project data entry and editing available via online portal and GIS Desktop or Pro
- Overlay planned projects with relevant data such as status of current projects, paper map inventory, NFHL
- Excel spreadsheets developed and connected directly to the planning database

Dynamic Story Maps developed to communicate multi-year plans to internal

and external partners



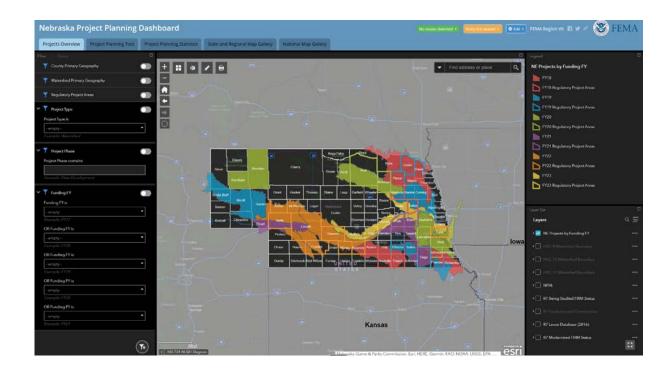


### What benefits have we gained?



### Consistency

- Data
- Level of Planning
- Budget Awareness
- Submission Format
- Convenience
  - One Stop Shop
- Transparency
- Information
  - Queries
  - Statistics







### **CTP Planning Statistics**



Nebraska Project Planning Dashboard

FEMA Region VII

FY23 Project Type



Projects Overview

Project Planning Tool

Project Planning Statistics

State and Regional Map Gallery

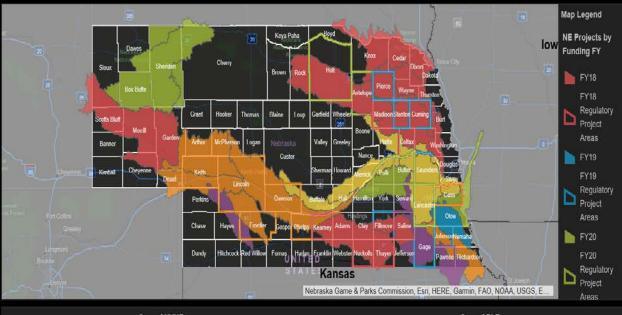
National Map Gallery

Nebraska Project Planning Statistics (FY18-FY23)

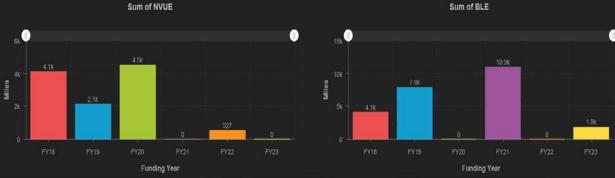








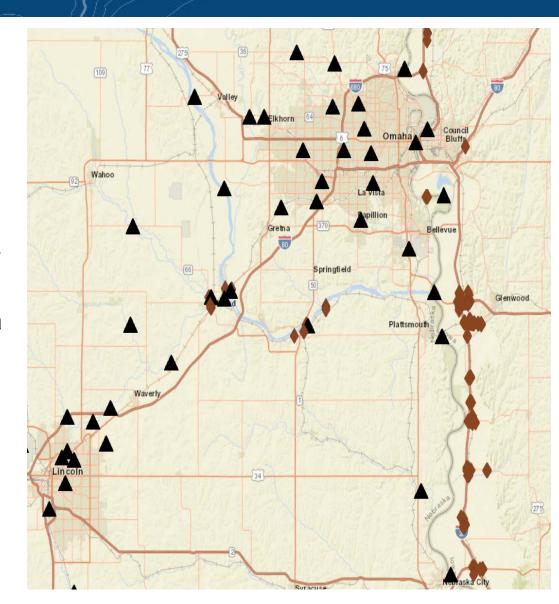
Funding Year FY18 FY19



### Where do we go from here?



- Use of historical data to capture NFIP policies, claims, individual assistance, buyouts, etc; to identify areas for targeted mitigation
- Overlay USACE and OFA project information
- Adding available technical data

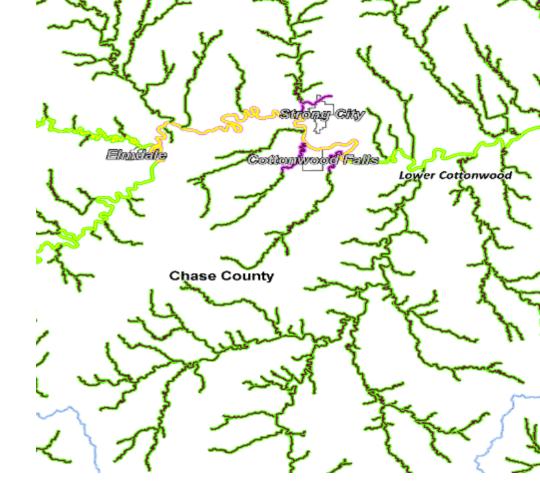




### Where do we go from here?



- Project proposals submitted by attributed Shapefile
- CTPs will submit detailed scope linework rather than data enter project information
- Platform will calculate mileage,
   NVUE stats, and export to MAS (hopefully)
- "Pre-project" linework will reduce Proposed vs CNMS mileage errors







# STREAMS AT YOUR FINGERTIPS: ACCESS TO FLOOD HAZARD DATA IN INDIANA

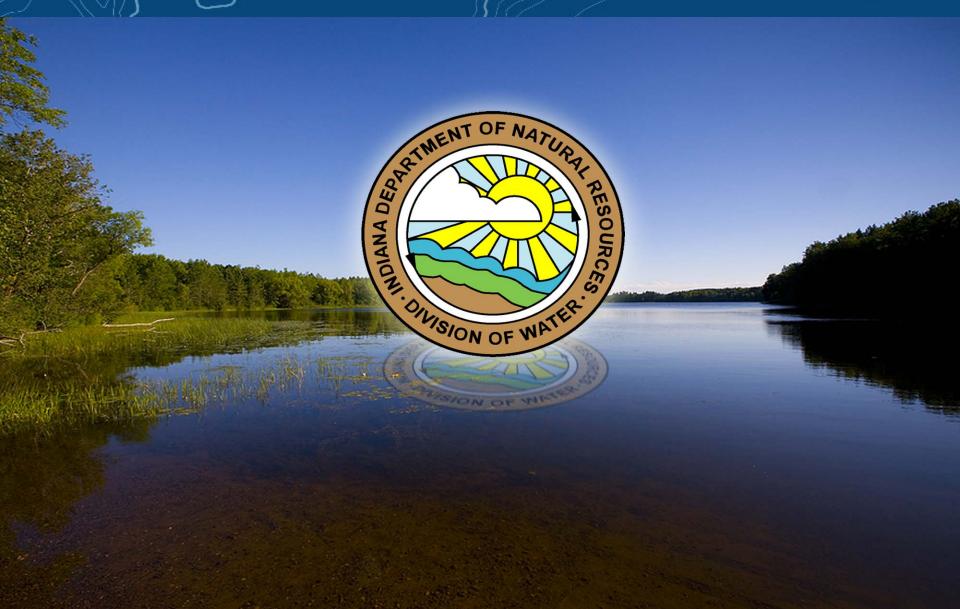
### REGION V INDIANA DNR





# Access to Flood Hazard Data in Indiana





### **The Portals**



- 1. The Indiana Hydrology and Hydraulics Model Library
- 2. The Indiana Floodplain Information Portal
- 3. The Indiana Peak Discharge Determination System

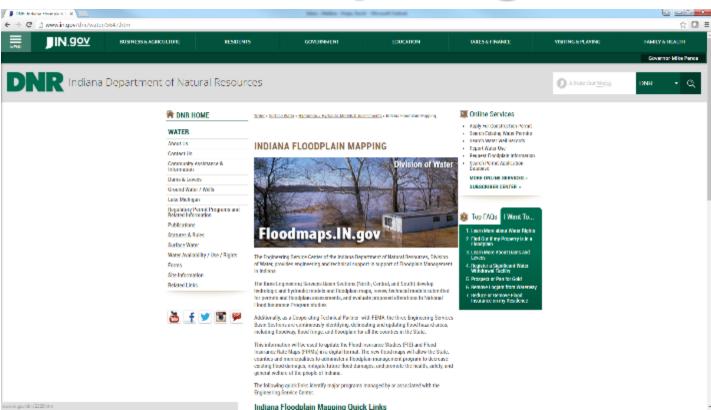




### Where do I find all of these???



# Floodmaps.in.gov

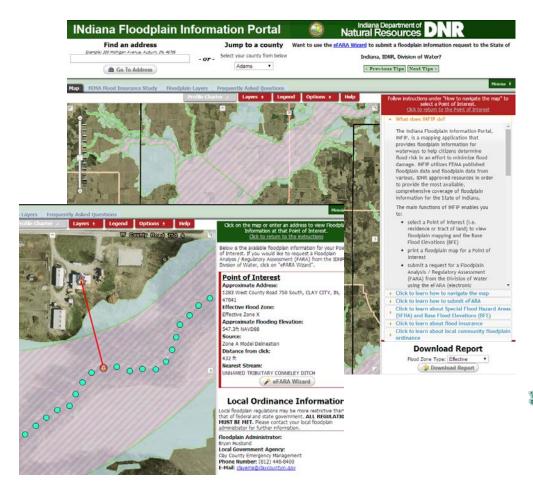


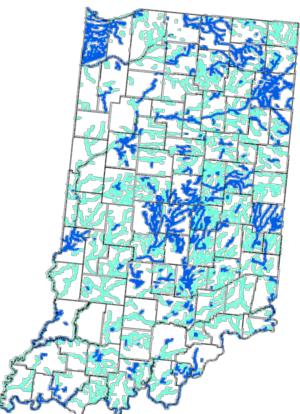






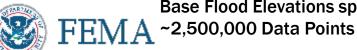
## Indiana Floodplain Information Portal (INFP)





4,388 Miles of Detailed Points 18,739 Miles of Approximate Points 22,767 Total Miles of Data



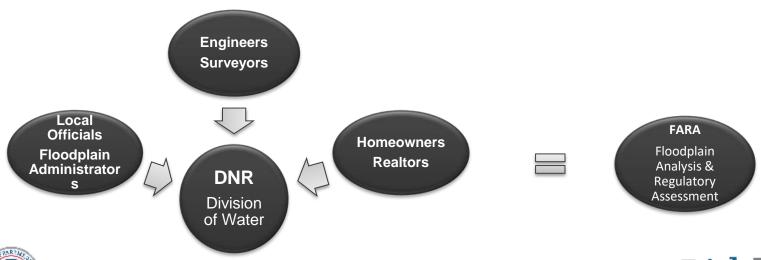


Base Flood Elevations spaced by 50 feet

### What does INFIP do?



- View Published, Preliminary and Best Available data layers
- Determine Base Flood Elevations for both Zone A and Zone AE streams
- Submit a request to DNR for verification
- Letter of Map Amendment
- Local Permitting Requirements

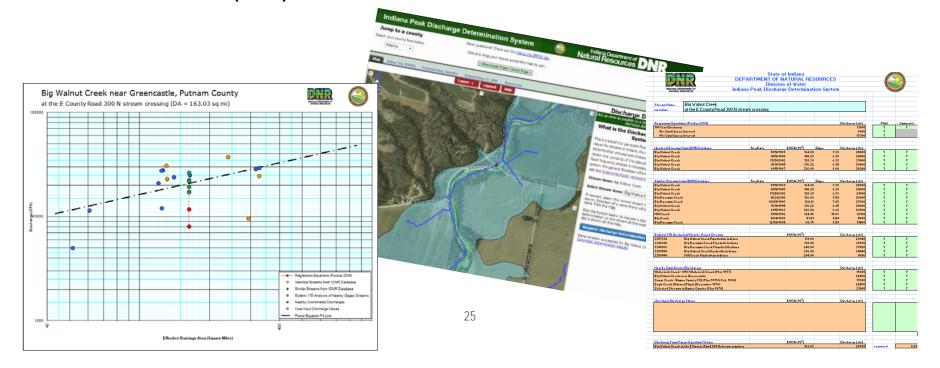






# **Peak Discharge Determination System**

- Allows for engineers to generate and then analyze a flood frequency discharge value
- Used internally for many years
- Based on connections between Streamstats (USGS) & historical determinations (DNR)





# GEORGIA FLOOD MAP PROGRAM COMMUNICATION & OUTREACH BEST PRACTICES

### GEORGIA DNR REGION IV





# Georgia CTP Program at a Glance



\$44M

In mapping since FY2008

694 Communities 100% Modernized

41,470 mi

**Model Back Studies** 

16 % of Region IV Inventory 35,561 A Zone I 5,909 AE Zone

28,182 mi NVUE Compliant I 13,288 mi Unverified

201

Communities have active Risk MAP Projects

54

Communities Participate in

CRS & 33 are a class 7 or lower

**\$7.15M** in CRS community savings

231 Communities received effective Risk MAP projects

565 Communities participate in NFIP

83

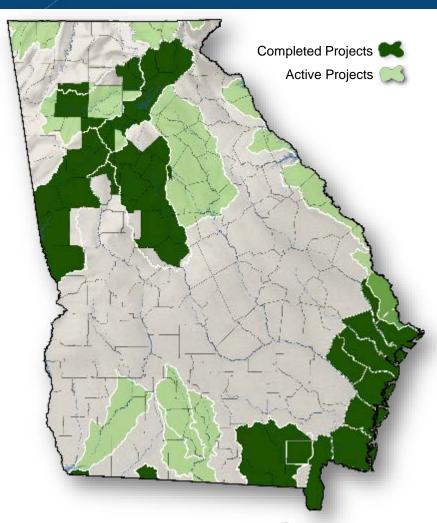
Communities with mapped SFHA still do not participate in

NFIP BUT 16

Communities <u>without mapped</u>
SFHA do participate



Statewide LiDAR





# Robust Qο Outreach Program

### **Path to Communication Plan**



### **DRIVERS**

**FEMA Metrics** 

**Volume of mapping** 

> 100 counties / < 2yrs

Population receiving Risk MAP Projects

1<sup>st</sup> Risk MAP Watershed Project covered Metro-Atlanta, ~6m pop.

**Complex Mapping Projects** 

Revised Coastal Mapping for 9 Counties

**Public Policy** 

2010 HB introducing individual property notification

**Risk MAP Products** 

Statewide LiDAR

### **GA DNR GOALS**

Increase community NFIP participation

Create a quality community experience

Achieve greater acceptance of modeling & mapping

Educate and create a more flood risk aware and responsible society

Reduce flood risk to life and property







### **Community Engagement Workflow**







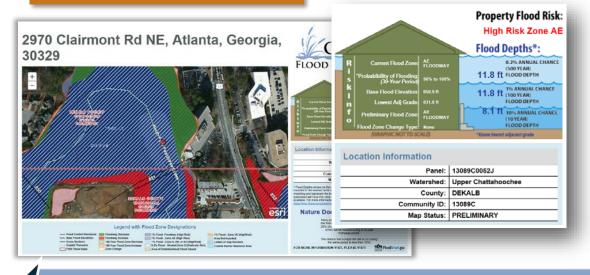


# Georgia Flood MAP Website www.georgiadfirm.com











Best Practice & Outreach Guidebooks



Quick Guides & Toolkits



Educational Materials & Videos

High usage I Downtime reported immediately I Informed calls based on

➤ information from site I Reported Users: Realtors, Insurance Agents, FPAs



### **Plan Benefits**



Engaged and informed communities

Smoother due diligence and compliance stages

Quickly disseminate data and info to broader -- audience

Access to property specific flood risk information

GA
Communication
& Outreach
Plan

Community officials armed with tools to better serve their citizens

Better positioned to address local official turnover

Additional layer of quality control



Progress towards a more flood risk aware and resilient state





# KENTUCKY'S COOPERATING TECHNICAL PARTNERS BEST PRACTICES

# KENTUCKY DIVISION OF WATER REGION IV









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To Protect and Enhance Kentucky's Environment





## **Kentucky's Best Practices**



### 1. DOW Water Maps Portal

- Flood Hazard Portal
- Flood hazard map updates
- Story Maps

### 2. Structure-based flood risk assessments

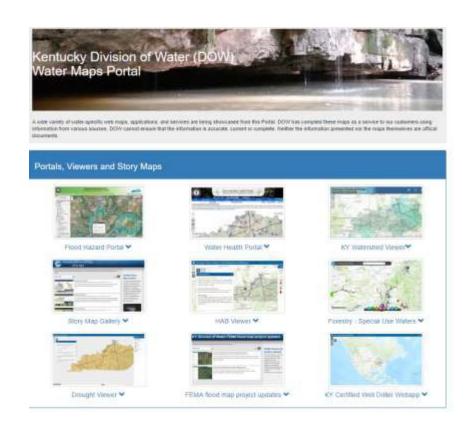




# **Kentucky DOW Water Maps Portal**



- ► Flood Hazard Portal
- Water Health Portal
- KY Watershed Viewer
- DOW Story Maps Gallery
- Harmful Algal Blooms (HAB)Viewer
- Special Use Waters
- Drought Viewer
- Flood Map Project Updates
- Certified Well Driller's Webapp



http://watermaps.ky.gov





### **Kentucky Flood Hazard Portal**



#### Statewide flood hazard areas in a single map

 Displays the same floodplain as the FEMA GeoPlatform

#### Provides: Zone A flood hazard data in 119 counties (excludes Louisville Metro)

- 1% annual chance flood elevations in Zone A floodplains with a simple click on the stream centerline
- Hydrologic & Hydraulic reports and HEC RAS models available for download
- FIS also available for download

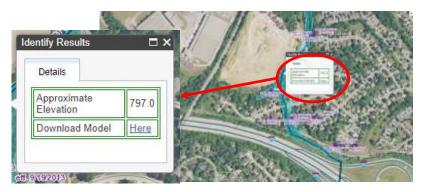
#### Future Improvements

- Flood depth grids and other Risk MAP products
- Dam safety information
- Mobile-friendly

http://watermaps.ky.gov/RiskPortal/









### **Story Maps**



- Simplifies engagement
- Facilitates consistent interaction between stakeholders
- Provides robust tools in a simple





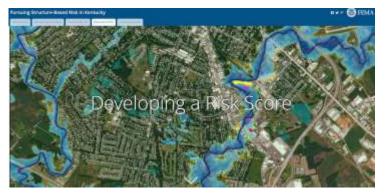


### Structure-based flood risk



- DOW focused on defining a methodology with the following objectives:
  - May be implemented with currently available data;
  - Is cost effective;
  - Produces a risk score that is not skewed towards high-value assets (i.e. is independent of structure value);
  - Has the flexibility to be applied to structure values to help floodplain administrators and community officials quantify projected flood damage and losses









### Structure-based flood risk



- Average Annualized Percent Loss (AAPL)
- ► AAPL is a risk score and coefficient that is specific to a structure.
- May be produced from datasets created through Risk MAP program and other available public data.
- AAPL is derived from the relationship of how much damage a structure is projected to sustain during a flood event and the probability of that event happening.
- ▶ Damage to a structure is expressed as the percent of a structure's value that is lost during a flood event.









### **Questions?**



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## BLUEPRINT FOR CTP SUCCESS: CARSON RIVER WATERSHED, NEVADA & CALIFORNIA

# CARSON WATER SUBCONSERVANCY DISTRICT REGION IX





### **Carson Water Subconservancy District**



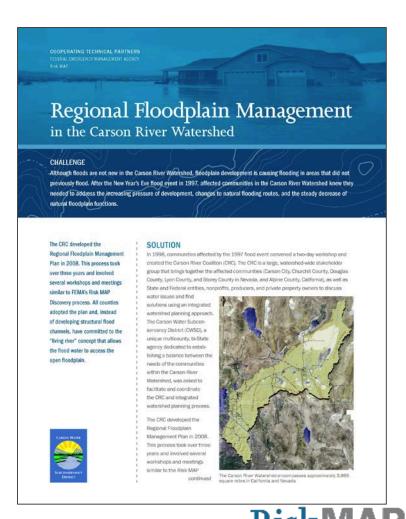
Increasing Resilience Together

- Already recognized for its best practices for its facilitation of the Carson River Coalition
- Created Watershed Floodplain Management Plan in 2008



Fallon Shoshone Paiute Tribal Wetlands, 2016
Carson River Coalition's Get on the Bus Watershed Tour Courtesy of Brenda Hunt





### **Integrated Watershed Program Management**



#### Who We Are

- A unique multi-county, bi-state agency;
- Originally established in 1959, revised by the Nevada legislature in 1989;
- 14 Directors comprising elected officials from six counties, two agricultural representatives, and one advisory member:
- Serve as lead agency for integrated watershed planning and management of the Carson River Watershed;
- Funded with ad valorem taxes and federal, state, and local grants.

#### What We Do

- Promote cooperative action across agency and political boundaries;
- Establish a balance between the needs of communities in the Watershed and the function of the river system;
- Develop regional planning and management solutions for the Carson River Watershed:
- Provide local grant funding to local entities for project implementation;
- Coordinate the Carson River Coalition (CRC), a large stakeholder group of federal, state, county, and tribal agencies: non-governmental entities, private citizens and landowners.



Adaptive Stewardship Plan - 2008, 2012 & 2017

Holistic Watershed
 Management is the nexus
 that drives all CWSD
 planning, projects, and
 programs.





# Since Nevada still floods, CWSD's CTP Efforts Continue:





Churchill County, Diverting Flood Water Around the City of Fallon, 2017,
Photo by Pete Olson

- Original Floodplain Management Plan provided blueprint for ongoing actions – adopted by 5 watershed counties
- CRC Floodplain Management Working Group meets regularly – provides venue for constant communication with local floodplain managers and other stakeholders staff
- Floodplain's Natural Function and Value is underscored.
- In the Carson River Watershed, we stress every dollar spent in Mitigation saves \$6 in recovery costs.







### **CWSD's CTP Outcomes:**



#### **DISCOVERY REPORTS**

- 2013 FMP Update added 2012 Discovery Report
- 2018 FMP Revision includes an updated Discovery Report

#### **2018 FMP**

- Stakeholders Identified Goals and Strategies – "Suggested Actions" for Regional Floodplain Management and Flood Risk Reduction
- Alluvial Fan Hazard Reduction & Minimize Stormwater Impacts were added in 2018 FMP.

Increasing Resilience Together



### **CWSD's CTP Outcomes:**

#### **COOPERATION**

- ✓ EPA Stewardship
  Plan for Integrated
  Watershed
  Management FMP is
  a component of this
  plan
- ✓ USACE HEC-RAS 2D Beta tester
- ✓ Nevada Silver Jackets
- ✓ Inundation Maps from NOAA's National Weather Service
- ✓ LIDAR through USGS

## MAP STUDIES AND REVISIONS

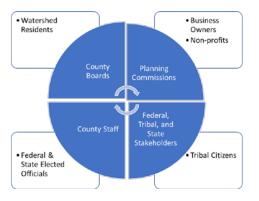
- Restudied hundreds of miles
- Physical Map Revision through 4 counties
- Multiple LOMRs throughout watershed
- Area Drainage Master
   Plans for several
   critical alluvial fans
- Flood Mitigation Plan2016 providedtemplate for
- Revised or New Floodplain Ordinances

#### **OUTREACH**

- Multi-faceted
  Outreach Approach –
  Internal to External
  Audiences
- CWSD participates in Flood Awareness program led by state floodplain manager
- Created Floodplain
  Outreach and
  Education Video
  Series



Nevada Governor Steve Sisolak and his wife watch flood awareness demonstration of Watershed/ Floodplain Model 2/28/2019







### Resources



Carson Water Subconservancy District is happy to share CTP knowledge, templates or documents.

Check out CWSD's floodplain management page:

http://www.cwsd.org/floodplain-management/

**Documents:** 

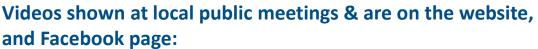
http://www.cwsd.org/flood-risk-mitigation-projects/

Flood Awareness Info

http://www.cwsd.org/flood-awareness/

or Contact:

<u>debbie@cwsd.org</u> edjames@cwsd.org



- Agriculture is a Good Fit for Floodplain Lands
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UPdSlp0Lcyk
- Floodplains as a Community Asset/Developers:
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CVIF2rguGO0
- Floodplains as a Community Asset/Officials:
- https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uUswSHIXUUI
- Sample script provided by another CTP Urban Drainage & Flood Control District,
   Denver, Colorado

















