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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Federal Emergency Management Agency

44 CFR Part 67

[Docket ID FEMA-2014-0002]

Final Flood Elevation Determinations

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency, DHS.

ACTION: Final rule.

SUMMARY: Base (1-percent-annual-chance) Flood Elevations (BFEs) and modified BFEs are made final for the communities listed below. The BFEs and modified BFEs are the basis for the floodplain management measures that each community is required either to adopt or to show evidence of being already in effect in order to qualify or remain qualified for participation in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP).

DATES: The date of issuance of the Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) showing BFEs and modified BFEs for each community. This date may be obtained by contacting the office where the maps are available for inspection as indicated in the table below.

ADDRESSES: The final BFEs for each community are available for inspection at the office of the Chief Executive Officer of each community. The respective addresses are listed in the table below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Luis Rodriguez, Chief, Engineering Management Branch, Federal Insurance and Mitigation Administration, Federal Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street SW., Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-4064, or (e-mail) Luis.Rodriguez3@fema.dhs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) makes the final determinations listed below for the modified BFEs for each community listed. These modified elevations have been published in newspapers of local circulation and 90 days have elapsed since that publication. The Deputy Associate Administrator for Mitigation has resolved any appeals resulting from this notification.

This final rule is issued in accordance with section 110 of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, 42 U.S.C. 4104, and 44 CFR part 67. FEMA has developed criteria for floodplain management in floodprone areas in accordance with 44 CFR part 60.

Interested lessees and owners of real property are encouraged to review the proof Flood Insurance Study and FIRM available at the address cited below for each community. The BFEs and modified BFEs are made final in the communities listed below. Elevations at selected locations in each community are shown.

National Environmental Policy Act. This final rule is categorically excluded from the requirements of 44 CFR part 10, Environmental Consideration. An environmental impact assessment has not been prepared.

Regulatory Flexibility Act. As flood elevation determinations are not within the scope of the Regulatory Flexibility Act, 5 U.S.C. 601-612, a regulatory flexibility analysis is not required.

Regulatory Classification. This final rule is not a significant regulatory action under the criteria of section 3(f) of Executive Order 12866 of September 30, 1993, Regulatory Planning and Review, 58 FR 51735.

Executive Order 13132, Federalism. This final rule involves no policies that have

federalism implications under Executive Order 13132.

Executive Order 12988, Civil Justice Reform. This final rule meets the applicable standards of Executive Order 12988.

List of Subjects in 44 CFR Part 67

Administrative practice and procedure, Flood insurance, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Dated: December 11, 2014

Roy E. Wright,

Deputy Associate Administrator for Mitigation,

Department of Homeland Security,

Federal Emergency Management Agency.

Accordingly, 44 CFR part 67 is amended as follows:

PART 67—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for part 67 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 42 U.S.C. 4001 et seq.; Reorganization Plan No. 3 of 1978, 3 CFR, 1978 Comp., p. 329; E.O. 12127, 44 FR 19367, 3 CFR, 1979 Comp., p. 376.

§ 67.11 [Amended]

2. The tables published under the authority of § 67.11 are amended as follows:

Ottawa County, Ohio, and Incorporated Areas			
Docket Nos: FEMA-B-1178			
Flooding Source(s)	Location of Referenced Elevation	*Elevation in feet (NGVD) +Elevation in feet (NAVD) #Depth in feet above ground ^Elevation in meters (MSL) Modified	Communities Affected
Ayers Creek (backwater effects from Crane Creek)	Approximately 0.5 mile downstream of Billman Road	+597	Unincorporated Areas of Ottawa County
	Approximately 530 feet downstream of Private Drive	+597	
Crane Creek Tributary (backwater effects from Crane Creek)	Approximately 0.4 mile downstream of Billman Road	+598	Unincorporated Areas of Ottawa County
	Approximately 570 feet downstream of Billman Road	+598	
Indian Creek (backwater effects from Little Portage River)	Approximately 0.4 mile downstream of Portage River Road	+591	Unincorporated Areas of Ottawa County
	Approximately 0.6 mile downstream of Harris Salem Road	+591	
Lake Erie	At the east side of Poplar Street	+577	City of Port Clinton, Unincorporated Areas of Ottawa County, Village of Put-In-Bay
	At the Lucas County boundary	+578	
Little Portage River (backwater effects from Lake Erie)	Approximately 62 feet downstream of Muddy Creek Road	+577	Unincorporated Areas of Ottawa County
	Approximately 1.1 miles upstream of Muddy Creek Road	+577	
Portage River	Approximately 1.3 miles downstream of Locust Street	+578	Village of Oak Harbor
	Approximately 1.2 miles downstream of Locust Street	+578	
South Branch Turtle Creek Tributary (backwater effects from South Branch Turtle Creek)	Approximately 0.8 mile downstream of Private Drive	+597	Unincorporated Areas of Ottawa County
	Approximately 0.6 mile downstream of Private Drive	+597	

*National Geodetic Vertical Datum.

+North American Vertical Datum.

#Depth in feet above ground.

^Mean Sea Level, rounded to the nearest 0.1 meter.

ADDRESSES:

City of Port Clinton:

Maps are available for inspection at 1868 East Perry Street, Port Clinton, OH 43452.

Unincorporated Areas of Ottawa County:

Maps are available for inspection at 315 Madison Street, Port Clinton, OH 43452.

Village of Oak Harbor:

Maps are available for inspection at 146 Church Street, Oak Harbor, OH 43449.

Village of Put-In-Bay:

Maps are available for inspection at 157 Concord Avenue, Put-In-Bay, OH 43456.

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