

Source of flooding and location of referenced elevation	♦ Elevation in feet (NAVD)		Communities affected
	Existing	Modified	
Approximately 4,050 feet upstream of Dogwood Trail	♦ 165	♦ 169	
<i>City of Bossier City</i> Maps are available for inspection at City Hall, 620 Benton Road, Bossier City, Louisiana. Send comments to The Honorable George Dement, Mayor, City of Bossier City, City Hall, 620 Benton Road, Bossier City, Louisiana 71111. <i>Bossier Parish (Unincorporated Areas)</i> Maps are available for inspection at the Police Jury Office, 204 Burt Boulevard, Room 108, Benton, Louisiana. Send comments to The Honorable Rick Avery, Bossier Parish President, P.O. Box 70, Benton, Louisiana 71006.			
<i>Carter Branch:</i> Approximately 275 feet above confluence with Mill Race	♦ 943	♦ 944	City of Carthage, Jasper County (Unincorporated Areas).
Approximately 5,030 feet upstream of East 13th Street	None	♦ 1,020	
<i>City Branch:</i> Approximately 500 feet upstream of the confluence with Spring River.	♦ 935	♦ 936	Jasper County (Unincorporated Areas).
Approximately 330 feet upstream of Case Street	None	♦ 1,018	City of Carthage.

Addresses*Jasper County (Unincorporated Areas)*

Maps are available for inspection at Tri-State Engineering, Inc., 1102 West 9th Street, Joplin, Missouri.

Send comments to The Honorable Chuck Surface, Presiding Commissioner, 302 South Main Street, Carthage, Missouri 64836.

City of Carthage

Maps are available for inspection at the Engineer's Office, 623 East 7th Street, Carthage, Missouri.

Send comments to The Honorable Kenneth Johnson, Mayor, City of Carthage, 326 Grant Street, Carthage, Missouri 64836.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance No. 83.100, "Flood Insurance")

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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**Federal Emergency Management Agency****44 CFR Part 67**

[Docket No. FEMA-P-7663]

Proposed Flood Elevation Determinations

AGENCY: Federal Emergency Management Agency, Emergency Preparedness and Response Directorate, Department of Homeland Security.

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: Technical information or comments are requested on the proposed Base (1% annual-chance) Flood Elevations (BFEs) and proposed BFE modifications for the communities listed below. The BFEs and modified BFEs are the basis for the floodplain management measures that the 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 comment period is ninety (90) days following the second publication of this proposed rule in a newspaper of local circulation in each community.

ADDRESSES: The proposed 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:

Doug Bellomo, P.E., Hazard Identification Section, Emergency Preparedness and Response Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street, SW., Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-2903.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Federal Emergency Management Agency 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 ninety (90) days have elapsed since that publication. The Mitigation Division Director of the Emergency Preparedness and Response Directorate has resolved any appeals resulting from this notification.

These proposed BFEs and modified BFEs, together with the floodplain management criteria required by 44 CFR 60.3, are the minimum that are required. They should not be construed to mean that the community must change any existing ordinances that are more stringent in their floodplain management requirements. The community may at any time enact stricter requirements of its own, or pursuant to policies established by other Federal, State, or regional entities. These proposed elevations are used to meet the floodplain management requirements of the NFIP and are also used to calculate the appropriate flood insurance premium rates for new buildings built after these elevations are made final, and for the contents in these buildings.

National Environmental Policy Act

This proposed rule is categorically excluded from the requirements of 44 CFR part 10, Environmental Consideration. No environmental impact assessment has been prepared.

Regulatory Flexibility Act

The Mitigation Division Director of the Emergency Preparedness and Response Directorate certifies that this rule is exempt from the requirements of the Regulatory Flexibility Act because modified base flood elevations are required by the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, 42 U.S.C. 4105,

and are required to maintain community eligibility in the NFIP. No regulatory flexibility analysis has been prepared.

Regulatory Classification

This proposed 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 12612, Federalism

This proposed rule involves no policies that have federalism implications under Executive Order

12612, Federalism, dated October 26, 1987.

Executive Order 12778, Civil Justice Reform

This proposed rule meets the applicable standards of Section 2(b)(2) of Executive Order 12778.

List of Subjects in 44 CFR Part 67

Administrative practice and procedure, Flood insurance, Reporting and record keeping requirements.

Accordingly, 44 CFR Part 67 is proposed to be 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.

§ 67.4 Proposed flood elevation determination.

2. The tables published under the authority of § 67.4 are proposed to be amended as follows:

State	City/town/county	Source of flooding	Location	# Depth in feet above ground *Elevation in feet (NGVD) ♦Elevation in feet (NAVD)	
				Existing	Modified
Indiana	Indianapolis (City) McClain County.	Berkshire Creek	At its confluence with Devon Creek	N/A	*746
			Approximately 150 feet upstream of Marrison Place.	N/A	*780
		Buffalo Creek	Just upstream of West County Line Road At East Stop 11 Road	*709	*707
		Devon Creek	Approximately 740 feet downstream of Millersville Road.	*758	*754
			Approximately 100 feet upstream of Laurel Falls Road.	*734	*733
		Little Buck Creek	Approximately 300 feet downstream of South Tibbs Avenue.	N/A	*814
			Approximately 75 feet upstream of the furthest upstream crossing of East Engewood Avenue.	*670	*669
				N/A	*844

Maps are available for inspection at 2142 City-County Building, 200 East Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Send comments to The Honorable Bart Peterson, Mayor, City of Indianapolis, 2501 City-County Building, 200 East Washington Street, Indianapolis, Indiana 46204.

Nebraska	Wakefield (City) Dixon and Wayne Counties.	Logan Creek Dredge	Approximately 1.4 miles downstream of State Highway 35.	None	♦ 1,378
			Approximately 0.6 mile upstream of County Road 859.	None	♦ 1,389
		South Logan Creek	At confluence with Logan Creek Dredge	None	♦ 1,387
			Approximately 1.2 miles upstream of the confluence with Logan Creek Dredge.	None	♦ 1,390
		Ponding areas west of State Highway 35 and north of Abandoned Railroad (4).	Entire shoreline	None	♦ 1,382
		Ponding areas adjacent to State Highway 35 and north of Abandoned Railroad (4).	Entire shoreline	None	♦ 1,380
		Ponding area east of State Highway 35.	Entire shoreline	None	♦ 1,376
		Ponding area east of State Highway 35 and south of Abandoned Railroad.	Entire shoreline	None	♦ 1,378

Maps are available for inspection at 405 Main Street, Wakefield, Nebraska.

Send comments to The Honorable Jim Clark, Mayor, City of Wakefield, 405 Main Street, P.O. Box 178, Wakefield, Nebraska 68784.

Oklahoma	Blanchard (City) Grady and McClain Counties.	Bridge Creek	Approximately 150 feet downstream of County Line Road.	None	*1,199
		East Branch Walnut Creek Tributary.	Just downstream of County Line Road Approximately 1,675 feet downstream of Southeast 7th Street.	None None	*1,199 *1,196

State	City/town/county	Source of flooding	Location	# Depth in feet above ground *Elevation in feet (NGVD) ♦Elevation in feet (NAVD)	
				Existing	Modified
		North Fork Walnut Creek ...	Approximately 525 feet upstream of Northeast 10th Street.	None	*1,270
			Approximately 2,570 feet downstream of U.S. Highway 62/277.	None	*1,164
		Stinson Creek	Approximately 22,820 feet upstream of U.S. Highway 62/277.	None	*1,201
			Approximately 20 feet downstream of Sandrock Road.	None	*1,208
		Tributary A2	Approximately 1,190 feet upstream of Sandrock Road.	None	*1,212
			At the confluence with West Branch Walnut Creek Tributary.	None	*1,217
		West Branch Walnut Creek Tributary.	Approximately 3,585 feet upstream of the confluence with West Branch Walnut Creek Tributary.	None	*1,241
			Approximately 4,035 feet downstream of Southeast 7th Street.	None	*1,195
			Approximately 3,690 feet upstream of N2990 Road.	None	*1,242

Maps are available for inspection at City Hall, 114 West Broadway, Blanchard, Oklahoma.

Send comments to The Honorable Barbara Harris, Mayor, City of Blanchard, City Hall, 114 West Broadway, Blanchard, Oklahoma 73010.

Oklahoma	Grady County (Unincorporated Areas).	West Branch Walnut Creek Tributary.	Approximately 160 feet downstream of N2990 Road.	None	*1,227
			Approximately 4,030 feet upstream of N2990 Road.	None	*1,244

Maps are available for inspection at 4th Street and Choctaw Street, Chickasha, Oklahoma.

Send comments to The Honorable Jack Porter, Chairman, Grady County Board of Commissioners, 326 West Chuctaw, Chickasha, Oklahoma 73108.

Oklahoma	McAlester (City) Pittsburg County.	Tributary A	Approximately 4,875 feet downstream of Village Boulevard.	♦681	♦682
			Approximately 2,100 feet upstream of Crooked Oak Lane..	♦764	♦756
		Tributary AA	At the confluence with Tributary A.	♦697	♦698
			Approximately 3,275 feet upstream of U.S. Highway 69.	♦755	♦754
		Tributary B	Approximately 490 feet downstream of South C Street.	♦690	♦687
		Tributary B	Approximately 300 feet upstream of U.S. Highway 69 Service Road (2nd crossing).	None	♦741
		Tributary C	Just upstream of Union Pacific Railroad ..	♦647	♦646
			Approximately 550 feet upstream of East Monroe Avenue.	♦687	♦686
		Tributary D	Just upstream of South F Street	♦681	♦678
			Approximately 1,375 feet upstream of East South Avenue.	♦725	♦726
		Tributary DD	At the confluence with Tributary D	♦701	♦703
			Approximately 325 feet upstream of East Seminole Avenue.	None	♦715

Maps are available for inspection at 28 East Washington Street, McAlester, Oklahoma.

Send comments to The Honorable Dale Covington, Mayor, City of McAlester, 28 East Washington Street, McAlester, Oklahoma 74502.

Oklahoma	McClain County (Unincorporated Areas).	East Branch Walnut Creek Tributary.	At the confluence with West Branch Walnut Creek Tributary.	None	*1,180
			Approximately 2,320 feet upstream of confluence with West Branch Walnut Creek Tributary.	None	*1,197
		North Fork Walnut Creek ...	Approximately 24,660 feet upstream of the confluence with Walnut Creek.	None	*1,164
			Approximately 7,340 feet upstream of State Highway 76.	None	*1,201
		Stinson Creek (Lower Reach).	At the confluence with North Fork Walnut Creek.	None	*1,175

State	City/town/county	Source of flooding	Location	# Depth in feet above ground *Elevation in feet (NGVD) ♦Elevation in feet (NAVD)	
				Existing	Modified
		West Branch Walnut Creek Tributary.	Approximately 6,500 feet upstream of Quailhaven Road.	None	*1,208
			Approximately 3,350 feet upstream of the confluence with Walnut Creek.	None	*1,171
			Approximately 2,590 feet upstream of Tyler Avenue.	None	*1,206

Maps are available for inspection at 501 North Street, Purcell, Oklahoma.

Send comments to The Honorable Loyd Tucker, Chairman, McClain County Board of Commissioners, 501 North Street, P.O. Box 629, Purcell, Oklahoma 73080.

Texas	Eagle Pass (City) Maverick County.	Eagle Pass Creek	At the confluence with Rio Grande.	*712	*716
			Approximately 200 feet upstream of Vista Hermosa Drive.	None	*790
		Eagle Pass Creek Tributary 1.	Just upstream of Union Pacific Railroad ..	*727	*726
			Approximately 330 feet upstream of Travis Street.	*743	*741
		Eagle Pass Creek Tributary 2.	Just upstream of the confluence with Eagle Pass Creek.	*743	741
			Approximately 2,100 feet upstream of North Bibb Avenue.	None	*799
		Rio Grande	Approximately 1,950 feet downstream of International Union Pacific Railroad Bridge.	*709	*710
			Approximately 1,950 feet upstream of East Garrison Street.	*719	*722
		Tributary to East Seco Creek.	Approximately 100 feet downstream of U.S. Highway 277.	None	*736
			Approximately 1,185 feet upstream of U.S. Highway 277.	None	*744
		Unnamed Tributary of Rio Grande.	Approximately 1,620 feet downstream of FM 3443 (1st Crossing).	None	*739
			Approximately 1,620 feet upstream of East Main Street.	None	*772

Maps are available for inspection at City Hall, 100 South Monroe Street, Eagle Pass, Texas.

Send comments to The Honorable Chad Foster, Mayor, City of Eagle Pass, City Hall, 100 South Monroe Street, Eagle Pass, Texas 78852.

Wisconsin	Manitowoc (City) ... Manitowoc County	Manitowoc River	At South 10th Street	*584	*585
			Approximately 2,550 feet downstream of Michigan Avenue.	*603	*604

Maps area available for inspection at the Manitowoc City Hall, 900 Quay Street, Manitowoc, Wisconsin.

Send comments to The Honorable Kevin Crawford, Mayor, City of Manitowoc, 900 Quay Street, Manitowoc, Wisconsin 54220.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Fish and Wildlife Service

50 CFR Part 17

RIN 1018-AI49

Endangered and Threatened Wildlife and Plants; Extension of the Comment Period on Proposed Designation of Critical Habitat for the Southwestern Willow Flycatcher

AGENCY: Fish and Wildlife Service, Interior.

ACTION: Proposed rule; extension of public comment period.

SUMMARY: We, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (Service), announce the extension of the public comment period

for the proposal to designate critical habitat for southwestern willow flycatcher (*Empidonax extimus traillii*) to allow all interested parties to comment on the proposed critical habitat designation under the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended. The proposed rule was published and the public comment period opened on October 12, 2004 (69 FR 60706).

DATES: The deadline for submitting comments on this proposal is extended from December 13, 2004, to March 31, 2005. Comments must be submitted directly to the Service (see **ADDRESSES** section) on or before March 31, 2005. Any comments received after the closing date may not be considered in the final determination on the proposal.