

# MARYLAND COUNTY FLOODPLAIN FACTSHEET....

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## **Dorchester County**

Dorchester County has recently completed or is in the process of converting their FEMA 100year floodplain maps from a paper format into a digital product. The following schedule developed by MDE and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Region III lists the status of each Maryland County with the date of the latest map upgrade (effective date), the scheduled release date of the Preliminary Digital Flood Insurance rate Maps (DFIRM), and the Targeted Effective Map date amongst other outreach meetings. The time needed to progress from Preliminary DFIRM to effective maps issued has expanded due to Federal Registry publication issues from eight months to approximately 18-24 months. Dates are subject to change.

### **Important Dates to Remember**

#### **FEMA Map Adoption Process:**

Preliminary Map Release Date	CCO Meeting Date	End of Appeal Period	LFD Date	Map Effective Date
3/12/2009	6/25/2009	4/28/2010	11/24/2010	5/24/2011

MDE Public Workshops will be held in your community, see the table below for details:

Workshop Location	Date	Time	Address
Dorchester County Office Building, Room 110	3/10/2011	2-4PM 6-8PM	501 Court Lane Cambridge MD, 21613
TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
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**Contact Information for your local floodplain manager:** 

**Dorchester County: 410-228-9636 Brookview: 410-943-4181** Cambridge: 410-228-1955 Church Creek: 410-943-4181

Eldorado: 410-943-4187 Galestown: 410-943-4181 Hurlock: 410-943-4181 Secretary: 410-943-3113

Vienna: 410-376-3442





### Coastal Analysis

FEMA has also recently initiated Coastal Analysis of the Chesapeake Bay and the Atlantic Ocean. Tidal floodplain maps are anticipated for your community and will be released on a separate schedule under development by FEMA. The target dates for these maps are listed below. Dates are subject to change.

### **Important (Coastal) Dates to Remember**

#### **FEMA Map Adoption Process:**

Preliminary Map	CCO Meeting	End of Appeal	LFD Date	Map Effective
Release Date	Date	Period		Date
11/30/2011	TBD	TBD	11/16/2012	5/16/2013





# Facts About...

### Maryland's DFIRM Outreach Program

