



COUNTY FLOODPLAIN FACTSHEET....

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Howard County

Howard County has recently completed or is in the process of converting their FEMA 100-year 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
11/2009	2/2010	TBD	7/2011	1/2012

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

Workshop Location	Date	Time	Address
TBD	TBD	TBD	TBD
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Contact Information for your local floodplain manager:
Howard County: 410-313-6416

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