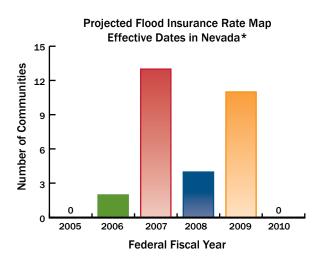
Nevada Five-Year Plan Summary

COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM – STATE SUPPORT SERVICES ELEMENT



*Currently includes both participating and non-participating communities from Multi-Year Flood Hazard Identification Plan sequencing, Version 1.5. June 2005.

PURPOSE

This report is an outcome of the review of the Federal Fiscal Year (FY) 2005-2009 Floodplain Management Work Plans by the Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). It is intended to show the relationship of Community Assistance Program - State Support Services Element (CAP-SSSE) activities, and resource allocation, the State is undertaking in response to the flood mapping production schedule of Flood Map Modernization, and to highlight the efforts that are underway to achieve the flood loss reduction goals of the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP).

STATE VISION FOR FLOODPLAIN **MANAGEMENT**

The long-term vision of the Nevada floodplain management program is to provide enhanced coordination among State agencies to implement NFIP floodplain management standards for State building or development projects within Special Flood Hazard Areas (SFHAs), areas subject to inundation by the base (1-percent-annualchance) flood, and increase the range of workshop topics offered to local community

officials and increase residents' awareness of the NFIP.

STATE FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY

The authority for the Nevada floodplain management program within the Division of Water Resources and the State's implementation of the NFIP in Nevada resides in a Governor's Executive Order dated April 10, 2003.

SIGNIFICANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS, STRENGTHS. OR SUCCESS STORIES OF THE FLOODPLAIN **MANAGEMENT PROGRAM**

Although constrained by limited staffing, the floodplain management program has continuous records since its establishment in 1997 within the Department of Conservation and Natural Resources and has developed productive relationships with FEMA Region IX staff and with regional, county, and city officials responsible for floodplain management at the local level. Program staff has also made contacts within other State agencies responsible for insuring State facilities and for development in SFHAs.

GAP ANALYSIS

**How many Full Time Equivalents (FTEs) are employed for floodplain management in the State agency:

1.5

2

94%/34

How many additional FTEs are needed to perform FPM activities:

the NFIP:

What percent/number of floodprone communities participate in

What percent/number of NFIP communities participate in **Community Rating System:** 24%/8

Floodplain Managers' Floodplain Management 2003, State and Local Programs



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OVER THE NEXT FIVE YEARS, WHERE DOES NEVADA FORESEE A SHORTAGE OF RESOURCES?

The floodplain management program is under contract to provide technical support to the NFIP through the CAP-SSSE grant. Nevada is currently unable to assist in the implementation of the State's priorities, because of budgetary and staffing limitations, and will not be seeking additional funding under the Map Modernization Management Support program. The State may enlist regional authorities that serve participating NFIP communities in the program

and encourage local communities to partner with FEMA to accomplish flood mapping through the Cooperating Technical Partners Program.

SIGNIFICANT COOPERATIVE EFFORTS WITH FEDERAL, STATE, OR LOCAL PARTNERS IN SUPPORT OF FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT

Closer coordination with other State agencies is needed to implement the 2003 Executive Order and to enhance floodplain management in Nevada. This effort is considered work outside of the current scope of the CAP-SSSE program.

FEDERALLY DECLARED DISASTERS/EMERGENCIES BY CALENDAR YEAR

NEVADA	2004	2005
Federally Declared Disasters	Wildland Fire – August 26	Heavy Rains and Flooding - March 7
Federal Emergency Declarations	N/A	Snow - February 23
Fire Management Assistance Declarations	Andrew Fire – August 25 Robbers Fire – July 26 Waterfall Fire – July 14	Good Springs Fire – June 24

FLOOD INSURANCE AND LOSS SUMMARY FROM 1978 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2005

	TOTAL CURRENT POLICIES	TOTAL PREMIUM (\$)**	NUMBER OF CLAIMS***	TOTAL PAID DOLLARS (\$)****
NATIONAL RANKINGS*	15,503	\$7,053,365	1,205	\$26,464,207
	32nd	35th	46th	39th

^{*} National ranking based on NFIP NextGen data; ranked from highest to lowest.

** The total amount of premiums for policies in-force.

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^{***} The total number of claims reported.

^{****} The total amount paid on claims.