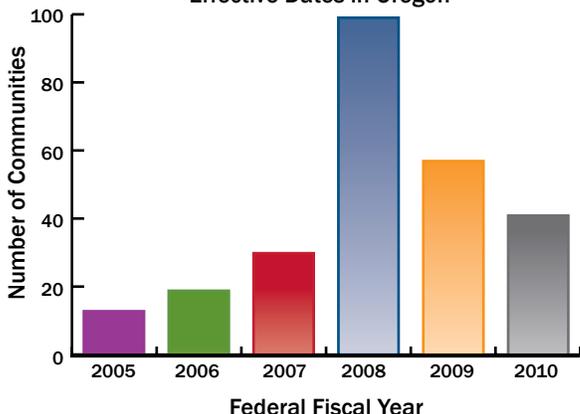


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## COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM – STATE SUPPORT SERVICES ELEMENT

Projected Flood Insurance Rate Map  
Effective Dates in Oregon\*



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

\*\*Percentages may have been rounded to the nearest whole number. The pie chart shows the CAP-SSSE activities the State agency responsible for floodplain management is undertaking in relation to other activities.

### 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 Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD) strongly believes that the Oregon floodplain management program will continue to be successful. Success will come from the faithful administration of floodplain ordinances by local governments and State-level actions such as community assistance visits, public outreach and education projects, and working in partnership with other State agencies to maximize efficiencies. Despite Oregon's past and anticipated future successes, a lot of work remains to deliver a comprehensive floodplain management program for Oregon.

There exists constant pressure to develop and redevelop in floodplains along many of Oregon's coastal and riverine shorelines,

creating an equally constant demand for DLCD's floodplain management services.

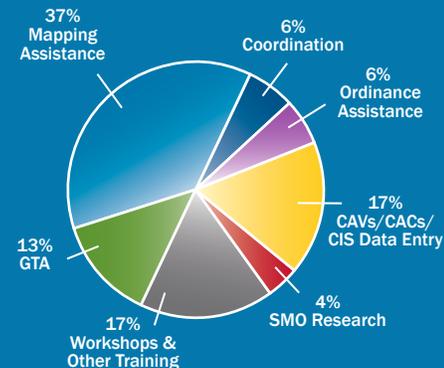
### STATE FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT AUTHORITY

The State floodplain program is supported by strong, clear authority under Oregon's statewide land use planning program. Pursuant to Oregon Revised Statutes Chapter 197, all local governments must prepare and administer comprehensive land use plans programs that address State and federal floodplain standards. Oregon has also adopted building codes and requires local governments to comply with these codes in approving new development and substantial improvements in the floodplain.

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

As previously stated, Oregon's floodplain management program has enjoyed much success over the years. The results of the State program have included greater public awareness of flood risks, enhanced understanding among local officials and the public of the benefits of the NFIP, continued implementation of local floodplain development ordinances that meet and in many cases exceed NFIP requirements, and on-going technical assistance for local governments and other stakeholders regarding flood hazards. Oregon residents have also benefited from increased

According to the FY 2005-2009 Work Plan, Oregon will perform the following activities in FY 2005\*\*:



0% – Develop the 5-Year Plan  
0% – Post-Disaster Assistance

### GAP ANALYSIS

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

agency: **2**

How many additional FTEs are needed to perform FPM activities:

**1**

What percent/number of floodprone communities participate in the NFIP: **96%/246**

What percent/number of NFIP communities participate in Community Rating System: **11%/29**

\*\*\*Referenced from the Association of State Floodplain Managers' Floodplain Management 2003, State and Local Programs



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coordination between emergency and floodplain program managers and better communication among State-level hazard mitigation agencies. Oregon's floodplain management program continues to be steadfast but also looks to be innovative and proactive in its efforts.

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

One full-time employee located at the DLCD serves as Oregon's NFIP coordinator. DLCD anticipates that the NFIP coordinator will perform the same type of duties as identified in the FY05 & FY06 CAP-SSSE grants over the 5 year planning period.

In late 2005, DLCD secured a full-time map modernization coordinator in a limited duration position (position expires June 30, 2007). Anticipated map modernization activities are described in the state's business plan and the FY05 MMMS grant. DLCD's work is directly dependent on the availability of MMMS funding, and legislative approval will be required to continue the limited duration position into the state's 2007–2009 budget. Legislative approval will likely be tied to the continued availability of federal map modernization funding to support the position.

A number of variables will affect the amount of time spent performing specific duties under the CAP-SSSE and MMMS programs during the next five years. For example, if a federally-declared flood disaster

occurs within the five-year period, the NFIP coordinator could spend ¼ to ½ of the FTE allocation for that year performing disaster assistance duties, thereby greatly reducing time spent performing other duties listed in the grant. Or as map modernization efforts increase, the NFIP coordinator may have less time for other duties with work fluctuating accordingly. When additional funds become available but not additional FTE, the NFIP and map modernization coordinators may spend additional time on contract and project management related to securing external services. The map modernization coordinator will likely assist with CAP-SSSE type activities, such as ordinance reviews, technical assistance, and outreach.

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

The DLCD has an established track record of partnering with Oregon's local governments to accomplish land use planning. Because Oregon's statewide land use program is implemented through local comprehensive plans and land use ordinances, a culture has been established that requires promotes coordination on various levels between State agencies and local governments. DLCD also manages multiple federally-funded programs, including the state coastal management program, and is accustomed to working in partnership with federal agencies.

### FEDERALLY DECLARED DISASTERS/EMERGENCIES BY CALENDAR YEAR

OREGON	2004	2005
Federally Declared Disasters	Severe Winter Storms - February 19	N/A
Fire Management Assistance Declarations	Bland Mountain #2 Fire - August 21 Redwood Highway Fire - August 4	N/A

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

	TOTAL CURRENT POLICIES	TOTAL PREMIUM (\$) **	NUMBER OF CLAIMS ***	TOTAL PAID DOLLARS (\$) ****
<b>NATIONAL RANKINGS *</b>	27,113	\$14,071,979	3,810	\$52,719,161
	24th	25th	34th	32nd

\* National ranking based on NFIP NextGen data; ranked from highest to lowest.

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

\*\*\* The total number of claims reported.

\*\*\*\* The total amount paid on claims.

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