JOINS PANEL LA-CC32

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See Effective FIRM

Mississippi River

Magellan Canal

Donner Canal

Orleans Parish

Jefferson Parish

ABFE
EL 1.5 ft or
3 ft above HEAG

ABFE
3 ft above HEAG

ABFE
EL -1.5 ft or
3 ft above HEAG

MAGELLAN ST
COLUMBUS ST
MCDONOUGH ST
MONROE ST
AMERICUS ST
RUPP ST
PERRY ST
ISBELL ST
BURMASTER ST
HANCOCK ST
FRANKLIN AVE
MADISON ST
ANSON ST
WEIDMAN ST
VIRGIL ST
JEFFERSON ST
WASHINGTON ST
HAMILTON ST
ADAMS ST
OCEAN AVE
RAILROAD
ROMAIN ST
PALFREY ST
OCONNOR ST
PRATT ST
THEARD ST
COOK ST
SOLON ST
LEBOEUF ST
KEPLER ST
BROAD ST
1ST ST
2ND ST
3RD ST
4TH ST
5TH ST
6TH ST
7TH ST
FRIED ST
RICHARD ST
WILLOW DR
GOVERNOR HALL ST
VERNON ST
HOLLY DR
HUBER ST
EVERGREEN DR
LAVOISIER ST
AMELIA ST
STUMPF BLVD
CHILO ST
OAKVIEW ST
CONSTANZA DR
WHITNEY AVE
VAN TRUMP ST
HECTOR AVE
HECTOR ST
WRIGHT AVE
TERRY PKWY
HOLMES BLVD
APPLETREE LN
ADONIS WAY
AMAPOLA CIR
ARROW LN
VILLEMAR PL
NEL CT
NEL PL
ROUYER ST
TRUXTON ST
BARNS LN
STEPHENS ST
DUPAS ST
FRIEDRICHS ST
FRIEDRICHS RD
HAWKINS ST
KASS ST
LEE ST
HAMILTON RD
LANDRY ST
GAUDIN ST
ROBERTS ST
ELLEN ST
ALEXANDER CT
ELI CT
GARY CT
WILBER CT
COOPER RD
HINYUB AVE
BORDENAVE ST
FRISELLA ST
HELEN ST
FAIRLAWN DR
FIELDING AVE
HERITAGE AVE
FRIEDRICA ST
FORDHAM PL
CAMEO LN
CEDARWOOD AVE
FARMINGTON PL
GRETNA BLVD
TULIP DR
AZALEA DR
RANDALL CT
LINDA CT
RAILROAD
WESTBANK EXPY
NEWTON ST
LAFAYETTE ST
8TH ST
9TH ST
10TH ST
11TH ST
12TH ST
WEYER ST
DERBIGNY ST
15TH ST
16TH ST
17TH ST
18TH ST
20TH ST
THOMAS ST
CALDER ST
MARIE DR
DERBES DR
SMITHWAY DR
HUEY P LONG AVE
18
23
90

HURRICANES KATRINA & RITA SURGE INUNDATION and ADVISORY BASE FLOOD ELEVATION MAP

Jefferson Parish, Louisiana

Map Number: LA-BB32

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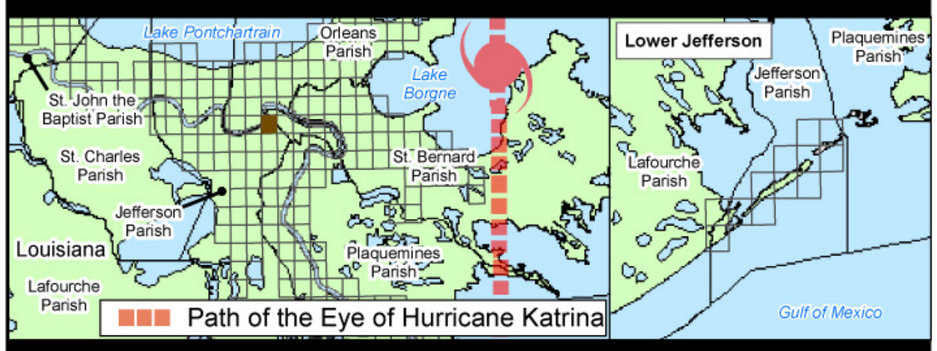
OVERVIEW MAP



LEGEND

State Boundary

Parish Boundary

Vertical Control Point[1]

Levee

Flood Advisory Related Data

Advisory Base Flood Elevation (ABFE) Zone, including Flood Zone Type (AE, or VE), and elevation (in feet)[2]

3 ft Above HEAG Criterion Applies

Hurricane Katrina/Rita Related Data

Preliminary Indoor High Water Mark[2,3]

Preliminary Outdoor High Water Mark[2,3]

Preliminary Debris High Water Mark[2,3]

Limit of Surge Inundation[3]

Date of Events:
Katrina – August 29, 2005
Rita – September 24, 2005
Date of Map: June 5, 2006

0 500 1,000 1,500 2,000

Feet

Data Sources:

Aerial Imagery:
USDA National Agriculture Imagery Program, 2004
Flood Zones and Elevations:
FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Maps (Jefferson Parish, 1995)
High Water Marks:
FEMA (Identified and surveyed Sept-Dec., 2005)
Vertical Control Monuments:
National Geodetic Survey
Storm Track:
NOAA National Weather Service

HOW TO READ THIS MAP

In levee-protected areas, **the Advisory Base Flood Elevation (ABFE) to be used for rebuilding at a particular property is the higher of these two options:**

(1) Current, effective Base Flood Elevation (BFE) shown on the community's Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM), or
(2) 3 feet above Highest Existing Adjacent Grade (HEAG) at the building site. The HEAG is defined as the highest natural elevation of the ground surface prior to construction next to the proposed walls of a structure.

Using the best-available data, FEMA has mapped the areas of the Parish where each of these two options should be applied:

– In green-shaded areas, FEMA recommends that the first floor of the building (including basement) be elevated 3 feet above HEAG at the building site.

– Outside of green-shaded areas, FEMA recommends that the first floor of the building (including basement) be elevated at or above the BFE shown on the community's FIRM. FEMA has provided the current BFEs on the map above in yellow and black text (for example, "EL 1.5 ft"). The zone or area where each BFE applies is outlined in yellow; these zone boundaries are the same as those shown on the FIRM. If the FIRM does not have a BFE for a particular area, no elevation will be listed on the map above. In those cases, buildings should be elevated to 3 feet above HEAG.

Anywhere in the Parish, the Community Floodplain Administrator may determine a site-specific ABFE rather than rely on the information mapped above. Using detailed topographic data for the site, the Floodplain Administrator can determine what elevation corresponds with 3 feet above HEAG and compare it to the FIRM BFE. Again, FEMA's guidance is that buildings should be elevated to **whichever of those two elevations is higher at the site.**

For more information on how the ABFE guidance was determined for this Parish, please see: ***http://www.fema.gov/pdf/hazard/flood/recoverydata/jefferson_parish04-12-06.pdf.***

Notes:

[1] Measured in feet relative to the North American Vertical Datum of 1988.

[2] Measured in feet relative to the National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929 (NGVD29). To convert from NGVD29 to the North American Vertical Datum of 1988 in Jefferson Parish, subtract 0.23 feet.

[3] Inundation limits estimated from surveyed, surge-only High Water Marks. Local wave effects (wave heights and wave runup) are not included in these elevations.

MAPS FOR ADVISORY PURPOSES ONLY - NOT FOR INSURANCE RATING PURPOSES

For insurance rating purposes, refer to the currently effective Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM), available from your local government or the FEMA Map Service Center (1-800-358-9616/ http://msc.fema.gov)

For more information on these advisory maps, please see http://www.fema.gov/hazard/flood/recoverydata/katrina/katrina_la_index.shtm or http://www.fema.gov/hazard/flood/recoverydata/rita/index.shtm