| State and county | Location                 | Dates and name of newspaper where notice was published                      | Chief executive officer of community   | Effective date of modification | Community<br>No. |
|------------------|--------------------------|---|--|--------------------------------|------------------|
| Dallas           | City of Dallas           | September 19, 2000,<br>September 26, 2000,<br>Dallas Morning News.          | The Honorable Ron Kirk, mayor,<br>City of Dallas, City Hall, 150<br>Marilla Street, Dallas, Texas<br>75201.    | August 24, 2000                | 480171           |
| Dallas           | City of Richard-<br>son. | August 3, 2000, August<br>10, 2000 <i>Richardson</i><br><i>Daily News</i> . | The Honorable Gary Slagel, mayor,<br>City of Richardson, P.O. Box<br>830309, Richardson, Texas<br>75083–0309.  | November 8, 2000               | 480184           |
| Denton           | City of Denton           | August 10, 2000, August<br>17, 2000 Denton<br>Record-Chronicle.             | The Honorable Euline Brock,<br>mayor, City of Denton, 215 East<br>Mckinney Street, Denton, Texas<br>76201.     | July 14, 2000                  | 480194           |
| Harris           | Unincorporated<br>Areas. | August 29, 2000, September 5, 2000 Houston Chronicle.                       | The Honorable Robert Eckels, Harris County Judge, 1001 Preston Street, Suite 911, Houston, Texas 77002.        | August 14, 2000                | 480287           |
| Montgomery       | Unincorporated<br>Areas. | September 7, 2000, September 14, 2000 Conroe Courier.                       | The Honorable Alan Sadler, Montgomery County Judge, 301 North Thompson Street, Suite 210, Conroe, Texas 77301. | December 13, 2000              | 480483           |

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance No. 83.100, "Flood Insurance.")

Dated: October 20, 2000.

#### Michael J. Armstrong,

Associate Director for Mitigation.
[FR Doc. 00–27641 Filed 10–26–00; 8:45 am]
BILLING CODE 6718–04–P

# FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

44 CFR part 65

[Docket No. FEMA-B-7402]

### Changes in Flood Elevation Determinations

**AGENCY:** Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA).

**ACTION:** Interim rule.

SUMMARY: This interim rule lists communities where modification of the Base (1-percent-annual-chance) Flood Elevations is appropriate because of new scientific or technical data. New flood insurance premium rates will be calculated from the modified Base Flood Elevations for new buildings and their contents.

**DATES:** These modified Base Flood Elevations are currently in effect on the dates listed in the table below and revise the Flood Insurance Rate Maps in effect prior to this determination for each listed community.

From the date of the second publication of these changes in a newspaper of local circulation, any person has ninety (90) days in which to request through the community that the Associate Director for Mitigation reconsider the changes. The modified

elevations may be changed during the 90-day period.

ADDRESSES: The modified Base Flood Elevations for each community are available for inspection at the office of the Chief Executive Officer of each community. The respective addresses are listed in the table below.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Matthew B. Miller, P.E., Chief, Hazards Study Branch, Mitigation Directorate, 500 C Street SW., Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646–3461, or (e-mail) matt.miller@fema.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The modified Base Flood Elevations are not listed for each community in this interim rule. However, the address of the Chief Executive Officer of the community where the modified Base Flood Elevation determinations are available for inspection is provided.

Any request for reconsideration must be based on knowledge of changed conditions or new scientific or technical data.

The modifications are made pursuant to Section 201 of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, 42 U.S.C. 4105, and are in accordance with the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, 42 U.S.C. 4001 *et seq.*, and with 44 CFR part 65.

For rating purposes, the currently effective community number is shown and must be used for all new policies and renewals.

The modified Base Flood Elevations are the basis for the floodplain management measures that the community is required to either adopt or to show evidence of being already in effect in order to qualify or to remain qualified for participation in the

National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP).

These modified elevations, together with the floodplain management criteria required by 44 CFR 60.3, are the minimum that are required. They should not be construed to mean that the community must change any existing ordinances that are more stringent in their floodplain management requirements. The community may at any time enact stricter requirements of its own, or pursuant to policies established by other Federal, State, or regional entities.

The changes in Base Flood Elevations are in accordance with 44 CFR 65.4.

## **National Environmental Policy Act**

This rule is categorically excluded from the requirements of 44 CFR part 10, Environmental Consideration. No environmental impact assessment has been prepared.

### **Regulatory Flexibility Act**

The Associate Director for Mitigation certifies that this rule is exempt from the requirements of the Regulatory Flexibility Act because modified Base Flood Elevations are required by the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, 42 U.S.C. 4105, and are required to maintain community eligibility in the NFIP. No regulatory flexibility analysis has been prepared.

### **Regulatory Classification**

This interim rule is not a significant regulatory action under the criteria of Section 3(f) of Executive Order 12866 of September 30, 1993, Regulatory Planning and Review, 58 FR 51735.

## Executive Order 12612, Federalism

This rule involves no policies that have federalism implications under Executive Order 12612, Federalism, dated October 26, 1987.

# Executive Order 12778, Civil Justice Reform

This rule meets the applicable standards of Section 2(b)(2) of Executive Order 12778.

## List of Subjects in 44 CFR Part 65

Flood insurance, Floodplains, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Accordingly, 44 CFR Part 65 is amended to read as follows:

### PART 65—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for Part 65 continues to read as follows:

**Authority:** 42 U.S.C. 4001 *et seq.*; Reorganization Plan No. 3 of 1978, 3 CFR, 1978 Comp., p. 329; E.O. 12127, 44 FR 19367, 3 CFR, 1979 Comp., p. 376.

## §65.4 [Amended]

2. The tables published under the authority of  $\S$  65.4 are amended as follows:

| State and county           | Location                  | Dates and name of newspaper where notice was published                     | Chief executive officer of community  | Effective date of modification | Community<br>No. |
|----------------------------|---------------------------|--|---|--------------------------------|------------------|
| Arizona:<br>Gila           | Town of Payson            | June 6, 2000, June 13,<br>2000, <i>Payson Round-</i><br>up.                | The Honorable Vernon M. Stiffler,<br>Mayor, Town of Payson, 303<br>North Beeline Highway, Payson,<br>Arizona 85541–4306.                                | May 18, 2000                   | 040107           |
| Mohave                     | Unincorporated<br>Areas.  | May 3, 2000, May 10,<br>2000, <i>Kingman Daily</i><br><i>Minor</i> .       | The Honorable Buster Johnson,<br>Chairman, Mohave County Board<br>of Supervisors, 809 East Beale<br>Street, Kingman, Arizona 86401–<br>5924.            | Oct. 20, 2000                  | 040058           |
| Navajo                     | Unincorporated<br>Areas.  | May 17, 2000, May 24,<br>2000, Holbrook Trib-<br>une News.                 | The Honorable Tommy Thompson,<br>Chairperson, Navajo County<br>Board of Supervisors, P.O. Box<br>668, Holbrook, Arizona 86025.                          | April 20, 2000                 | 040066           |
| Pima                       | City of Tucson            | June 20, 2000, June 27,<br>2000, <i>Arizona Daily</i><br><i>Star.</i>      | The Honorable Robert Walkup,<br>Mayor, City of Tucson, P.O. Box<br>27210, Tucson, Arizona 85726.  | May 31, 2000                   | 040076           |
| Arkansas:<br>Crawford.     | Unincorporated<br>Areas.  | June 7, 2000, June 14,<br>2000, <i>Crawford County</i><br><i>Courier</i> . | The Honorable Jerry Williams,<br>Crawford County Judge, Crawford<br>County Courthouse, 300 Main<br>Street, Room 4, Van Buren, Ar-<br>kansas 72956–5798. | Sept. 12, 2000                 | 050428           |
| California:<br>Alameda     | City of Fremont           | June 1, 2000, June 8,<br>2000, <i>The Argus</i> .                          | The Honorable Gus Morrison,<br>Mayor, City of Fremont, P.O. Box<br>5006, Fremont, California 94537.   | April 25, 2000                 | 065028           |
| Lake                       | Unincorporated<br>Areas.  | June 14, 2000, June 21,<br>2000, <i>Lake County</i><br><i>Record Bee</i> . | The Honorable D. W. Merriman,<br>Chairperson, Lake County Board<br>of Supervisors, 255 North Forbes<br>Street, Lakeport, California 95453.              | May 25, 2000                   | 060090           |
| Colorado:<br>Adams         | City of Northglenn        | May 18, 2000, May 25,<br>2000, Northglenn-<br>Thornton Sentinel.           | The Honorable Don Parsons,<br>Mayor, City of Northglenn, P.O.<br>Box 330061, Northglenn, Colo-<br>rado 80233–8061.                                      | Aug. 23, 2000                  | 080257           |
| Adams                      | City of Thornton          | May 18, 2000, May 25,<br>2000, Northglenn-<br>Thornton Sentinel.           | The Honorable Noel Busck, Mayor,<br>City of Thornton, 9500 Civic Cen-<br>ter Drive, Thornton, Colorado<br>80229.  | Aug. 23, 2000                  | 080007           |
| Missouri: St.<br>Charles.  | City of O'Fallon          | June 9, 2000, June 16,<br>2000, <i>St. Charles</i><br><i>Journal</i> .     | The Honorable Paul Renaud,<br>Mayor, City of O'Fallon, 138<br>South Main Street, O'Fallon, Mis-<br>souri 63366.   | May 24, 2000                   | 290316           |
| New Mexico:<br>Bernadillo. | Unincorporated<br>Areas.  | May 11, 2000, May 18,<br>2000, Albuquerque<br>Journal.                     | The Honorable Tom Rutherford,<br>Chairperson, Bernalillo County<br>Board of Commissioners, 2400<br>Broadway Southeast, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87102.   | Mar. 31, 2000                  | 350001           |
| Oklahoma:<br>Oklahoma      | City of Oklahoma<br>City. | May 31, 2000, June 7, 2000, <i>Daily Oklaho-man</i> .                      | The Honorable Kirk Humphreys,<br>Mayor, City of Oklahoma City,<br>200 North Walker, Suite 302,<br>Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102.                        | May 12, 2000                   | 405378           |
| Tulsa                      | City of Glenpool          | May 31, 2000, June 7, 2000, <i>Tulsa World</i> .                           | The Honorable Charles Campbell, Mayor, City of Glenpool, P.O. Box 70, Glenpool, Oklahoma 74033.   | Sept. 5, 2000                  | 400208           |
| Texas:                     |                           |  | 15, 5.5   |                                |                  |

| State and county       | Location  | Dates and name of newspaper where notice was published                  | Chief executive officer of community  | Effective date of modification | Community<br>No. |
|------------------------|---|---|---|--------------------------------|------------------|
| Brazos                 | City of Bryan   | June 14, 2000, June 21, 2000, <i>Bryan-College</i> Station Eagle.       | The Honorable Lonnie Stabler,<br>Mayor, City of Bryan, P.O. Box<br>1000, Bryan, Texas 77805.  | Sept. 19, 2000                 | 480082           |
| Brazos                 | City of College<br>Station.                           | June 14, 2000, June 21,<br>2000, <i>Bryan-College</i><br>Station Eagle. | The Honorable Lynn McIlhaney, Mayor, City of College Station, P.O. Box 9960, College Station, Texas 77842–0960.   | Sept. 19, 2000                 | 480083           |
| Denton                 | City of Denton  | June 22, 2000, June 29,<br>2000, Denton Record<br>Chronicle.            | The Honorable Eulene Brock,<br>Mayor, City of Denton, 215 East<br>McKinney Street, Denton, Texas<br>76201.  | June 1, 2000                   | 480194           |
| Denton                 | City of Lewisville                                    | May 26, 2000, June 2, 2000, <i>Lewisville News</i> .                    | The Honorable Bobbie J. Mitchell,<br>Mayor, City of Lewisville, P.O.<br>Box 299002, Lewisville, Texas<br>75029–9002.  | May 5, 2000                    | 480195           |
| Denton                 | Unincorporated Areas.                                 | June 22, 2000, June 29,<br>2000, Denton Record<br>Chronicle.            | The Honorable Kirk Wilson, Denton<br>County Judge, 110 West Hickory<br>Street, Denton, Texas 76201.   | June 1, 2000                   | 480774           |
| Denton                 | Town of Westlake                                      | June 6, 2000, June 13,<br>2000, <i>Keller Citizen</i> .                 | The Honorable Scott Bradley,<br>Mayor, Town of Westlake, 3 Vil-<br>lage Circle, Suite 207, Westlake,<br>Texas 76262.  | May 15, 2000                   | 480614           |
| Fort Bend              | Fort Bend County, Municipal Utility, District No. 34. | May 12, 2000, May 19, 2000, <i>Herald-Coaster</i> .                     | Mr. Saib Y. Saour, P.E., R.L.S., District Engineer, 34 Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 34, c/o Benchmark Engineer- ing Corporation, 2401 Fountainview Drive, Suite 220, Houston, Texas 77057. | Mar. 31, 2000                  | 481520           |
| Fort Bend              | Fort Bend County, Municipal Utility, District No. 35. | May 12, 2000, May 19, 2000, <i>Herald-Coaster</i> .                     | Mr. Saib Y. Saour, P.E., R.L.S., District Engineer, Fort Bend County Municipal Utility District No. 35, c/o Benchmark Engineer- ing Corporation, 2401 Fountainview Drive, Suite 220, Houston, Texas 77057.    | Mar. 31, 2000                  | 481519           |
| Fort Bend              | Unincorporated Areas.                                 | May 12, 2000, May 19,<br>2000, The Herald-<br>Coaster.                  | The Honorable James Adolphus,<br>Fort Bend County Judge, 301<br>Jackson Street, Suite 719, Rich-<br>mond, Texas 77469.  | Mar. 31, 2000                  | 480228           |
| Harris                 | City of Houston                                       | June 6, 2000, June 13,<br>2000, Houston Chron-<br>icle.                 | The Honorable Lee Brown, Mayor,<br>City of Houston, P.O. Box 1562,<br>Houston, Texas 77251–1562.  | Sept. 11, 2000                 | 480296           |
| Washington:<br>Skagit. | Unincorporated<br>Areas.                              | May 11, 2000, May 18,<br>2000, Skagit Valley<br>Herald.                 | The Honorable Harvey Wolden,<br>Chairperson, Skagit County<br>Board of Commissioners, 700<br>South Second Street, Room 202,<br>Mount Vernon, Washington<br>98273.   | April 7, 2000                  | 530151           |

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance No. 83.100, "Flood Insurance")

Dated: October 16, 2000.

## Michael J. Armstrong,

Associate Director for Mitigation.

[FR Doc. 00–27640 Filed 10–26–00; 8:45 am]

BILLING CODE 6718-04-P

# FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

### 44 CFR Part 67

### **Final Flood Elevation Determinations**

**AGENCY:** Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). **ACTION:** Final rule.

SUMMARY: Base (1% annual chance) flood elevations and modified base flood elevations are made final for the communities listed below. The base flood elevations and modified base flood elevations are the basis for the floodplain management measures that each community is required either to adopt or to show evidence of being already in effect in order to qualify or remain qualified for participation in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP).

**EFFECTIVE DATES:** The date of issuance of the Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) showing base flood elevations and

modified base flood elevations for each community. This date may be obtained by contacting the office where the maps are available for inspection as indicated on the table below.

ADDRESSES: The final base flood elevations for each community are available for inspection at the office of the Chief Executive Officer of each community. The respective addresses are listed in the table below.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Matthew B. Miller, P.E., Chief, Hazards Study Branch, Mitigation Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street SW., Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646–3461, or (email) matt.miller@fema.gov.