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		Effective	Modified	
West Prong Little Pigeon River.	276 Feet Downstream of Little Valley Road .....	None	+1006	City of Sevierville, City of Pigeon Forge, Unincorporated Areas of Sevier County.
	160 Feet Downstream of West Main Street .....	+898	+901	
	1467 Feet Upstream of 321 .....	None	+1057	

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Send comments to William R. Blanton, Jr., Chief, Engineering Management Branch, Mitigation Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street, SW., Washington, DC 20472.

#### ADDRESSES

##### City of Pigeon Forge

Maps are available for inspection at Public Works, 225 Pine Mountain Road, Pigeon Forge, TN 37863.

##### City of Sevierville

Maps are available for inspection at Sevierville City Hall, 120 Gary Wade Blvd., Sevierville, TN 37862.

##### Unincorporated Areas of Sevier County

Maps are available for inspection at Sevierville County Emergency Management, 245 Bruce Street, Sevierville, TN 37862.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance No. 97.022, "Flood Insurance.")

Dated: November 30, 2007.

**David I. Maurstad,**

*Federal Insurance Administrator of the National Flood Insurance Program, Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency.*

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#### DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

##### Federal Emergency Management Agency

##### 44 CFR Part 67

[Docket No. FEMA-B-7751]

##### Proposed Flood Elevation Determinations

**AGENCY:** Federal Emergency Management Agency, DHS.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule.

**SUMMARY:** Comments are requested on the proposed Base (1 percent annual-chance) Flood Elevations (BFEs) and proposed BFE modifications for the communities listed in the table below. The purpose of this notice is to seek general information and comment regarding the proposed regulatory flood elevations for the reach described by the

downstream and upstream locations in the table below. The BFEs and modified BFEs are a part of the floodplain management measures that the community is required either to adopt or show evidence of having in effect in order to qualify or remain qualified for participation in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). In addition, these elevations, once finalized, will be used by insurance agents, and others to calculate appropriate flood insurance premium rates for new buildings and the contents in those buildings.

**DATES:** Comments are to be submitted on or before March 5, 2008.

**ADDRESSES:** The corresponding preliminary Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) for the proposed BFEs for each community are available for inspection at the community's map repository. The respective addresses are listed in the table below.

You may submit comments, identified by Docket No. FEMA-B-7751, to William R. Blanton, Jr., Chief, Engineering Management Branch, Mitigation Directorate, Federal Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street, SW., Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-3151, or (e-mail) [bill.blanton@dhs.gov](mailto:bill.blanton@dhs.gov).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** William R. Blanton, Jr., Chief, Engineering Management Branch, Mitigation Directorate, Federal

Emergency Management Agency, 500 C Street, SW., Washington, DC 20472, (202) 646-3151 or (e-mail) [bill.blanton@dhs.gov](mailto:bill.blanton@dhs.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) proposes to make determinations of BFEs and modified BFEs for each community listed below, in accordance with section 110 of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, 42 U.S.C. 4104, and 44 CFR 67.4(a).

These proposed BFEs and modified BFEs, 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. These proposed elevations are used to meet the floodplain management requirements of the NFIP and are also used to calculate the appropriate flood insurance premium rates for new buildings built after these elevations are made final, and for the contents in these buildings.

Comments on any aspect of the Flood Insurance Study and FIRM, other than the proposed BFEs, will be considered.

A letter acknowledging receipt of any comments will not be sent.

**Administrative Procedure Act Statement.** This matter is not a rulemaking governed by the Administrative Procedure Act (APA), 5 U.S.C. 553. FEMA publishes flood elevation determinations for notice and comment; however, they are governed by the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973, 42 U.S.C. 4105, and the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, 42 U.S.C. 4001 *et seq.*, and do not fall under the APA.

**National Environmental Policy Act.** This proposed rule is categorically excluded from the requirements of 44 CFR part 10, Environmental Consideration. An environmental

impact assessment has not been prepared.

**Regulatory Flexibility Act.** As flood elevation determinations are not within the scope of the Regulatory Flexibility Act, 5 U.S.C. 601–612, a regulatory flexibility analysis is not required.

**Executive Order 12866, Regulatory Planning and Review.** This proposed rule is not a significant regulatory action under the criteria of section 3(f) of Executive Order 12866, as amended.

**Executive Order 13132, Federalism.** This proposed rule involves no policies that have federalism implications under Executive Order 13132.

**Executive Order 12988, Civil Justice Reform.** This proposed rule meets the applicable standards of Executive Order 12988.

#### List of Subjects in 44 CFR Part 67

Administrative practice and procedure, Flood insurance, Reporting and recordkeeping requirements.

Accordingly, 44 CFR part 67 is proposed to be amended as follows:

#### PART 67—[AMENDED]

1. The authority citation for part 67 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.

#### § 67.4 [Amended]

2. The tables published under the authority of § 67.4 are proposed to be amended as follows:

Flooding source(s)	Location of referenced elevation**	* Elevation in feet (NGVD) + Elevation in feet (NAVD) # Depth in feet above ground		Communities affected
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Sonoma County, California and Incorporated Areas				
Mount Hood Creek .....	Approximately 0.38 mile downstream of Sonoma Highway (State Route 12).	None	+468	City of Santa Rosa.
Petaluma River .....	At Sonoma Highway (State Route 12) .....	None	+495	City of Petaluma.
	Approximately 400 feet south of the intersection of South McDowell Boulevard and Cader Lane.	None	+10	
Russian River (Area behind Railroad Avenue/Kelly Road levees).	Approximately 1.5 miles downstream of Crocker Road	None	+285	Unincorporated Areas of Sonoma County.
	Approximately 1,550 feet downstream of Crocker Road.	None	+300	

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#### ADDRESSES

##### City of Petaluma

Maps are available for inspection at Petaluma City Hall, 11 English Street, Petaluma, CA.

##### City of Santa Rosa

Maps are available for inspection at Santa Rosa City Hall, 100 Santa Rosa Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA.

##### Unincorporated Areas of Sonoma County

Maps are available for inspection at Sonoma County Engineering Division, 2550 Ventura Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA.

#### Miami-Dade County, Florida and Incorporated Areas

Inland canal and shallow flooding sources.	City of Coral Gables .....	*7–*10	*7–*15	City of Coral Gables.
	Town of Cutler Bay .....	*8–*9	*7–*9	Town of Cutler Bay.
	City of Doral .....	*6–*7	*5–*8	City of Doral.
	Village of El Portal .....	*7	*6	Village of El Portal.
	City of Florida City .....	*9	*3–*7	City of Florida City.
	City of Hialeah .....	*6–*8	*5–*9	City of Hialeah.
	City of Hialeah Gardens .....	*6	*5–*9	City of Hialeah Gardens.
	City of Homestead .....	*4–*10	*3–*10	City of Homestead.
	Town of Medley .....	*6	*5–*7	Town of Medley.
	City of Miami .....	*7–*8	*4–*15	City of Miami.
	Miami-Dade County (Unincorporated Areas) .....	*3–*10	*3–*21	Miami-Dade County (Unincorporated Areas).
	Village of Miami-Shores .....	None	*11	Village of Miami-Shores.

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	City of Miami Springs .....	*6-*7	*6-*7	City of Miami Springs.
	City of North Miami .....	None	*12	City of North Miami.
	City of Opa-Locka .....	*7	*5-*9	City of Opa-Locka.
	Village of Palmetto Bay .....	None	*7	Village of Palmetto Bay.
	Village of Pinecrest .....	*10	*7-*10	Village of Pinecrest.
	City of South Miami .....	*9-*10	*7-*11	City of South Miami.
	City of Sweetwater .....	None	*8	City of Sweetwater.
	Village of Virginia Gardens .....	*6	*7	Village of Virginia Gardens.

The new and revised flood elevations affect extensive inland canal and shallow flooding sources in Miami-Dade County and its incorporated areas. This proposed rule lists the range of new and/or revised elevations affecting the communities listed above. Because the specific changes are too numerous to list, residents and lessees of property in Miami-Dade County and its incorporated areas are strongly encouraged to review the FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Maps at the community offices.

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#### ADDRESSES

##### City of Coral Gables

Maps are available for inspection at the City of Coral Gables Department of Public Works, 2800 Southwest 72nd Avenue, Coral Gables, Florida.

##### Town of Cutler Bay

Maps are available for inspection at the Cutler Bay Town Hall, 10720 Caribbean Boulevard, Suite 105, Cutler Bay, Florida.

##### City of Doral

Maps are available for inspection at the City of Doral Building Department, 8300 Northwest 53rd Street, Suite 200, Doral, Florida.

##### Village of El Portal

Maps are available for inspection at the El Portal Village Hall, 500 Northeast 87th Street, El Portal, Florida.

##### City of Florida City

Maps are available for inspection at the Florida City Building and Zoning Department, 404 West Palm Drive, Building 3, Florida City, Florida.

##### City of Hialeah

Maps are available for inspection at the City of Hialeah Planning and Zoning Department, 501 Palm Avenue, 4th Floor, Hialeah, Florida.

##### City of Hialeah Gardens

Maps are available for inspection at the Hialeah Gardens City Hall, 10001 Northwest 87th Avenue, Hialeah Gardens, Florida.

##### City of Homestead

Maps are available for inspection at the Homestead City Hall, 790 North Homestead Boulevard, Homestead, Florida.

##### Town of Medley

Maps are available for inspection at the Medley Town Hall, 7331 Northwest 74th Street, Medley, Florida.

##### City of Miami

Maps are available for inspection at the City of Miami Fire/Emergency Management Department, Miami Riverside Center, 444 Southwest 2nd Avenue, 10th Floor, Miami, Florida.

#### Miami-Dade County (Unincorporated Areas)

Maps are available for inspection at the Miami-Dade County Department of Environmental Resource Management, 701 Northwest 1st Court, 4th Floor, Miami, Florida.

##### Village of Miami-Shores

Maps are available for inspection at the Miami Shores Village Hall, 10050 Northeast 2nd Avenue, Miami Shores, Florida.

##### City of Miami Springs

Maps are available for inspection at the Miami Springs City Hall, 201 Westward Drive, Miami Springs, Florida.

##### City of North Miami

Maps are available for inspection at the North Miami City Hall, 776 Northeast 125th Street, North Miami, Florida.

##### City of Opa-Locka

Maps are available for inspection at the Opa-Locka City Hall, 780 Fisherman Street, Suite 335, Opa-Locka, Florida.

##### Village of Palmetto Bay

Maps are available for inspection at the Palmetto Bay Village Hall, 8950 Southwest 152nd Street, Palmetto Bay, Florida.

##### Village of Pinecrest

Maps are available for inspection at the Pinecrest Village Hall, 12645 Pinecrest Parkway, Pinecrest, Florida.

##### City of South Miami

Maps are available for inspection at the South Miami City Hall, 6130 Sunset Drive, South Miami, Florida.

##### City of Sweetwater

Maps are available for inspection at the Sweetwater City Hall, 500 Southwest 109th Avenue, Sweetwater, Florida.

##### Village of Virginia Gardens

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Maps are available for inspection at the Virginia Gardens Village Hall, 6498 Northwest 38th Terrace, Virginia Gardens, Florida.

#### Brown County, Minnesota, and Incorporated Areas

Minnesota River .....	Approximately 5,530 feet downstream of Dakota, Minnesota, and Eastern Railroad.	+805	+807	City of New Ulm, Unincorporated Areas of Brown County.
	Approximately 1,673 feet upstream of county boundary.	+823	+825	

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#### ADDRESSES

##### City of New Ulm

Maps are available for inspection at 100 North Broadway, New Ulm, MN 56073.

##### Unincorporated Areas of Brown County

Maps are available for inspection at 14 South State Street, New Ulm, MN.

#### Bertie County, North Carolina, and Incorporated Areas

Cashie River .....	Approximately 4.0 miles upstream of NC-45 .....	+8	+7	Town of Windsor, Unincorporated Areas of Bertie County.
	Approximately 1,150 feet upstream of the confluence of Cashie River Tributary 5.	None	+79	
Indian Creek .....	At the confluence with Roanoke River .....	None	+25	Unincorporated Areas of Bertie County, Town of Lewiston Woodville.
Jacks Branch .....	At the confluence of Jacks Branch .....	None	+44	
	At the confluence with Indian Creek .....	None	+44	Unincorporated Areas of Bertie County, Town of Lewiston Woodville.
	Approximately 0.5 mile downstream of Jack Branch Road (State Route 1119).	None	+53	

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#### ADDRESSES

##### Unincorporated Areas of Bertie County

Maps are available for inspection at Bertie County Building Inspections Department, 106 Dundee Street, Windsor, NC.

##### Town of Lewiston Woodville

Maps are available for inspection at Lewiston Woodville Town Hall, 103 West Church Street, Lewiston Woodville, NC.

##### Town of Windsor

Maps are available for inspection at Town of Windsor Building Inspections Department, 128 South King Street, Windsor, NC.

#### Jefferson County, Tennessee, and Incorporated Areas

Douglas Lake .....	Approximately 5,100 feet upstream of confluence of Leadvale Creek.	None	+1002	Unincorporated Areas of Jefferson County, City of Baneberry, Town of Dandridge.
Mossy Creek .....	At Sevier/Jefferson county boundary .....	None	+1002	
	Approximately 2,200 feet downstream of Russell Avenue.	+1073	+1075	Unincorporated Areas of Jefferson County, Town of Jefferson City.

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	Approximately 1,050 feet downstream of Russell Avenue.	+1073	+1075	

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#### ADDRESSES

##### City of Baneberry

Maps are available for inspection at 667 Harrison Ferry Road, Baneberry, TN 37890.

##### Town of Dandridge

Maps are available for inspection at P.O. Box 249, Dandridge, TN 37725.

##### Town of Jefferson City

Maps are available for inspection at P.O. Box 530, 112 West Broadway Boulevard, Jefferson City, TN 37760

##### Unincorporated Areas of Jefferson County

Maps are available for inspection at P.O. Box 710, 214 West Main Street, Dandridge, TN 37725.

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Dated: November 30, 2007.

**David I. Maurstad,**

*Federal Insurance Administrator of the National Flood Insurance Program, Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

### National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

#### 50 CFR Part 679

[Docket No. 071106671-7723-01]

RIN 0648-XD67

#### Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska; Gulf of Alaska; Proposed 2008 and 2009 Harvest Specifications for Groundfish

**AGENCY:** National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

**ACTION:** Proposed rule; request for comments.

**SUMMARY:** NMFS proposes 2008 and 2009 harvest specifications, reserves and apportionments, and Pacific halibut prohibited species catch (PSC) for the groundfish fishery of the Gulf of Alaska (GOA). This action is necessary to establish harvest limits for groundfish

during the 2008 and 2009 fishing years and to accomplish the goals and objectives of the Fishery Management Plan for Groundfish of the Gulf of Alaska (FMP). The intended effect of this action is to conserve and manage the groundfish resources in the GOA in accordance with the Magnuson-Stevens Fishery Conservation and Management Act (Magnuson-Stevens Act).

**DATES:** Comments must be received by January 7, 2008.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by "RIN 0648-XD67", by any one of the following methods:

- Electronic Submissions: Submit all electronic public comments via the Federal eRulemaking Portal Web site at <http://www.regulations.gov>;
- Mail: P. O. Box 21668, Juneau, AK 99802;
- Fax: (907) 586-7557; or
- Hand delivery to the Federal Building: 709 West 9th Street, Room 420A, Juneau, AK.

Send comments to Sue Salvesson, Assistant Regional Administrator, Sustainable Fisheries Division, Alaska Region, NMFS, Attn: Ellen Sebastian.

All comments received are a part of the public record and will generally be posted to <http://www.regulations.gov> without change. All Personal Identifying Information (e.g., name, address) voluntarily submitted by the commenter may be publicly accessible. Do not submit Confidential Business Information or otherwise sensitive or protected information.

NMFS will accept anonymous comments. Attachments to electronic comments will be accepted in Microsoft Word, Excel, WordPerfect, or Adobe PDF file formats only.

Copies of the Final Alaska Groundfish Harvest Specifications Environmental Impact Statement (Final EIS) and the Initial Regulatory Flexibility Analysis (IRFA) prepared for this action are available from NMFS at the addresses above or from the Alaska Region Web site at <http://www.fakr.noaa.gov>. Copies of the final 2006 Stock Assessment and Fishery Evaluation (SAFE) report for the groundfish resources of the GOA, dated November 2006, and the October 2007 North Pacific Fishery Management Council (Council) meeting minutes are available from the Council at 605 West 4th Avenue, Suite 306, Anchorage, AK 99510 or from its Web site at <http://www.fakr.noaa.gov/npfmc>.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Tom Pearson, Sustainable Fisheries Division, Alaska Region, 907-481-1780, or e-mail at [tom.pearson@noaa.gov](mailto:tom.pearson@noaa.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** NMFS manages the GOA groundfish fisheries in the exclusive economic zone (EEZ) of the GOA under the FMP. The Council prepared the FMP under the authority of the Magnuson-Stevens Act, 16 U.S.C. 1801, *et seq.* Regulations governing U.S. fisheries and implementing the FMP appear at 50 CFR parts 600, 679, and 680.

These proposed specifications are based in large part on the 2006 SAFE reports. In November 2007, the 2007