



Resources for Floodplain Administrators

MAP AND DATA SOURCES

FEMA Map Service Center (MSC)

- Preliminary, effective, and historic maps
- <http://msc.fema.gov>

FEMA MSC: Creating/Using FIRMettes

- <http://www.fema.gov/media-library/assets/documents/34930>

PA Flood Maps

- Preliminary and effective maps
- <http://www.pafloodmaps.com>

PA Spatial Data Access (PASDA)

- Flood Depth Grids
- Imagery
- Elevation data/LiDAR
- <http://www.pasda.psu.edu>

FEMA Engineering Library

- Backup engineering data from FEMA flood studies
- <http://www.fema.gov/engineering-library>

Approximate Zone A Manual

- <http://www.fema.gov/media-library/assets/documents/7273>

FLOODPLAIN ORDINANCE RESOURCES

PADCED website: Suggested Provisions: Meeting the Minimum Requirements of the NFIP and PA Act 166

- <http://www.newpa.com/local-government/insurance>

FEMA 480, NFIP Floodplain Management Requirements

- <http://www.floods.org/index.asp?menuid=388>

FEMA Building Code Resource page

- <http://www.fema.gov/building-code-resources>

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LETTERS OF MAP CHANGE (LOMC) RESOURCES

Application Forms and Instructions

- <http://www.fema.gov/forms>

Elevation Certificate

- <http://www.fema.gov/media-library/assets/documents/160>

Tutorials

- <http://www.fema.gov/online-tutorials>

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VERTCON

Vertical datum conversion tool

- http://www.ngs.noaa.gov/cgi-bin/VERTCON/vert_con.prl



OTHER SOURCES OF ASSISTANCE

FEMA Region III Training Resources/Recorded Webinars

- <http://www.riskmap3.com/resources>

PADCED Municipal Assistance Program

www.newpa.com/find-and-apply-for-funding/funding-and-program-finder/municipal-assistance-program-map

FEMA Map Information Exchange (FMIX)

- 1-877-FEMA MAP
- FEMAMapSpecialist@riskmapcds.com

FloodSmart

- 1-888-379-9531
- FloodSmart.gov

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