

Discovery Report Appendix I

Community Acknowledgement Letters

Oneida Lake Watershed

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August 18th, 2016

Liz Swearingin
County Manager, Lewis County
Lewis County Court House
7660 North State Street
Lowville NY 13367

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Ms. Swearingin,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

These Discovery meetings were part of a new Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (Risk MAP) project for the Oneida Lake Watershed that is being conducted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The purpose of Discovery meetings is to review local flood risk and mapping data in order to determine if updated floodplain mapping is needed in your community.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 26th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the County's mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. No specific inaccuracies noted but a digital product and model-backed approximate floodplains would be useful.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

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Sincerely,



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County Manager
Lewis County

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Cc: Michele Ledoux, Executive Director Lewis Co. Cornell Cooperative Extension
David Becker, Superintendent of Highways
Nichelle Billhardt, District Manager Lewis County SWCD
Russell Brownell, GIS/Tax Mapping Manage
Frank Pace Lewis County Planning Department

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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The Honorable Mayor Joseph Fusco
Mayor, City of Rome
198 North Washington Street
Rome NY 13440

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mayor Fusco,

We would like to thank your community for completing a stakeholder survey in support of the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery project.

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Based on the information provided by your community in the stakeholder survey, it is our understanding that the City's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

The Town feels that the current Special Flood Hazard Areas shown on the FIRM are accurate and does not have any requests for new or updated studies at this time.

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Mayor
City of Rome

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Cc: Joseph Guiliano, Engineer II, City of Rome

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Albert Ash, DEC Region 6

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Mr. Anthony J. Picente Jr.
County Executive, Oneida County
Oneida County Office Building
800 Park Avenue Utica NY 1350

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Picente,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 25th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 25th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the County's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. There are many creeks/streams that have flood zones with no Base Flood Elevations associated with them. Additionally the spatial accuracy of those same flood zones is questionable. Clarification of Base Flood Elevations and a more accurate picture of the inundation area would help the citizens near these flood areas.

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Cc: Kevin Revere, Director of Emergency Services

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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Scott Leuenberger
Town Supervisor
Town of Annsville
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Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

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Based on the information gathered at the May 25th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. East Branch Fish Creek is in need of an updated detailed study. The current floodplain boundaries are not accurate.
2. Fish Creek needs an updated detailed study. The stream has moved and the floodplain boundaries are not accurate.
3. West Branch Fish Creek needs an updated detailed study. The stream has migrated and the current floodplain is overstated.
4. Green Brook is not currently studied at all but has flooding problems.

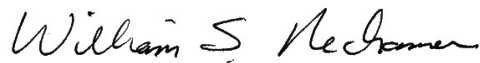


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Town Supervisor
Town of Annsville

Cc: Nathan Mosley, Code Enforcement Officer/Floodplain Administrator, Town of Annsville

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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Suzanne Collins
Town Supervisor
Town of Augusta
185 North Main Street
Oriskany Falls NY 13425

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Ms. Collins,

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1. A new detailed study for Tributary to Sconondoa Creek (East of Herney Road) in the Hamlet of Knoxboro is needed. This is currently an approximate study and is a hot spot flooding area in the town. A mapping error on the current FIRM was also noted in the vicinity of Knoxboro Road that needs to be corrected – the stream is not included with the mapped floodplain.
2. A new detailed study for Sconondoa Creek is needed. This is currently an approximately study – there are significant flooding issues in this area recently and the stream has shifted course.



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Town Supervisor
Town of Augusta

Cc: Gary Schreppel, Building Inspector/COE, Town of Augusta

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II

Albert Ash, Floodplain Management Coordinator, NYSDEC Region 6

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James Ossont
Town Supervisor, Town of Ava
5529 West Ava Road
Ava NY 13303

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Ossont,

We would like to thank your community for completing a stakeholder survey in support of the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery project.

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Town Supervisor
Town of Ava

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Cc: Joseph Pfieffer, Building Inspector

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Albert Ash, DEC Region 6

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Daniel Yerdon
Town Supervisor
Town of Camden
PO Box 265
Camden, NY 13316

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Yerdon,

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1. A new detailed study for West Branch Fish Creek (south of Van Buren Road to the western corporate limits) is needed. There has been development along this stream. The current study is approximate and the floodplain boundaries are not accurate. Base Flood Elevations are needed.

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Town Supervisor
Town of Camden

Dated _____

Cc: Tyler Henry, Building Inspector, Town/Village Code Enforcement Officer/Floodplain Administrator

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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Scott Outtrim, Town Supervisor
Town of Florence
11899 Taberg-Florence Road
Camden NY 13316

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Cc: Tyler Henry, Town Code Enforcement Officer/Floodplain Administrator

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Town of Verona
Town Hall 6600 Germany Road
Durhamville NY 13054

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1. Flood hazards along Brandy Brook and Stony Creek are much larger than stated due to beaver dams.

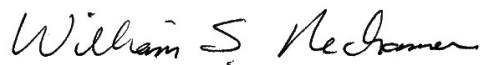
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Mr. Walt Keeney
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2083 NYS Route 49
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North Bay, NY 13123

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1. An updated detailed study for Fish Creek is needed. The floodway shown is inaccurate and the Route 13 bridge causes ice jams

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Kenneth Eisnor
Town Supervisor, Town of Westmoreland
Town Hall 100 Station Rd
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Based on the information provided by your community in the stakeholder survey, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

The Town feels that the current Special Flood Hazard Areas shown on the FIRM are accurate and does not have any requests for new or updated studies at this time.



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Town Supervisor
Town of Westmoreland

Dated _____

Cc: Jody Thieme, Code Enforcement Officer

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

The Honorable Mayor Michael Wolzmuth
Mayor Village of Camden
14 Church Street
Camden NY 13316

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mayor Wolzmuth,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 25th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

These Discovery meetings were part of a new Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (Risk MAP) project for the Oneida Lake Watershed that is being conducted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The purpose of Discovery meetings is to review local flood risk and mapping data in order to determine if updated floodplain mapping is needed in your community.

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1. A new detailed study for West Branch Fish Creek (south of Van Buren Road to the western corporate limits) is needed. There has been development along this stream. The current study is approximate and the floodplain boundaries are not accurate. Base Flood Elevations are needed.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

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Mayor
Village of Camden

Dated _____

Cc: Tyler Henry, Town/Village Code Enforcement Officer/Floodplain Administrator

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Albert Ash, NYSDEC Region 6

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August 18th, 2016

The Honorable Mayor Gregory Horan
Mayor, Village of Sylvan Beach
808 Marina Drive PO Box 508
Sylvan Beach NY 13157

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mayor Horan,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 25th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 25th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Village's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. A revised detailed study is needed for Fish Creek, which is the main area for repeat flooding in the village.

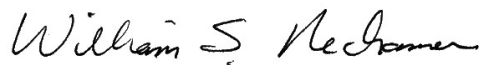
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Village of Sylvan Beach

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Cc: John Porter, Village Code Enforcement Officer

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

The Honorable Mayor Gerald Seymour Jr.
Mayor, Village of Vernon
8 Ruth Street, PO Box 1130
Vernon NY 13476

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mayor Seymour,

We would like to thank your community for completing a stakeholder survey in support of the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery project.

The stakeholder survey was performed as part of a new Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (Risk MAP) Discovery project for the Oneida Lake Watershed that is being conducted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The purpose of the Discovery project is to review local flood risk and mapping data in order to determine if updated floodplain mapping is needed in your community.

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August 18th, 2016

Honorable Max Smith
Mayor, City of Oneida
109 North Street
Oneida, NY 13421

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mayor Smith,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 24th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 24th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Village's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. The unnamed tributary to Higinbotham Brook south of Cleveland Avenue is in need of a new detailed study. This area is being developed and it currently has an approximate study.
2. Higinbotham Brook is in need of an updated detailed study. Recent drainage improvements, including retention facilities, have occurred.
3. Oneida Creek is in need of an updated detailed study. Mitigation options are being considered for this flooding source - a railroad bridge is too small and a berm may be removed.
4. Cowaselon Creek Reach 2 (from Canal Road to eastern corporate limits) is in need of an updated detailed study. There is a proposed new industrial development along this stream.



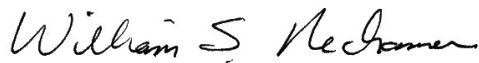
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5. Cowaselon Creek Reach 1 (from western corporate limits to 1,155 feet upstream to Canal Road)) is in need of a new detailed study. However, there is no development pressure in this area. This is a NYSDEC-owned wetland.

The City feels that the digital FIRMS would be very helpful to have, as the current maps are not yet digital, and there is a discrepancy in the political boundary on the FIRM.

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Mayor
City of Oneida

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Cc: John Rauscher, City Engineer, City of Oneida

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Kevin Delaney, DEC Region 7

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August 18th, 2016

Mark Scimone
County Administrator, Madison County
138 North Court Street
Wampsville, NY 13163

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Scimone,

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Based on the information gathered at the May 24th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the County's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. FIRMs date back to the early 1980s. Digital format is badly needed, although the maps are not necessarily inaccurate.

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County Administrator
Madison County

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Cc: Mike Sudol, County Hazard Mitigation Planner, Madison County

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

Mr. Joseph Pinard
Town Supervisor, Town of Lenox
205 South Petersboro Street
Canastota, NY 13032

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Pinard,

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Based on the information gathered at the May 24th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. An updated detailed study for Oneida Lake is needed due to recent development and regular seasonal flooding.
2. A new detailed study for the Tributary to Erie Canal north of Seneca Turnpike is needed. This flooding source currently has an approximate study, and recent residential development has occurred. The current floodplain is overstated.
3. An updated detailed study for Cowaselon Creek is needed. Flooding occurs in this area and the current study is outdated.
4. The Town has conducted a flood study along Main Street for Canastota Creek due to past flooding issues. This flood study should be reviewed for possible incorporation into the FIRM.

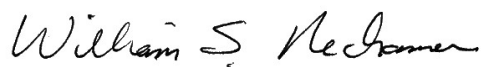


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Town Supervisor
Town of Lenox

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Cc: Josh Stagnitti, Building Inspector, Town of Lenox

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

Darrin Ball
Town Supervisor, Town of Lincoln
3849 Timmerman Road
Canastota, NY 13032

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Ball,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 24th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 24th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. Clockville Creek is badly in need of a new detailed study. Residential development is occurring in this area. This flooding source is currently mapped as an approximate floodplain and the boundaries are not accurate. There is a narrow valley at risk from flooding and landslides.
2. Cowaselon Creek is in need of a new detailed study. The current approximate floodplain is not accurate.

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Town Supervisor
Town of Lincoln

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Cc: Dennis Fields, Building Inspector, Town of Lincoln

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

John Becker
Town Supervisor, Town of Sullivan
7507 Lakeport Road
Chittenango, NY 13037

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Becker,

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Based on the information gathered at the May 24th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. North Chittenango Creek in the northwest corner of town needs an updated detailed study.
2. Oneida Lake needs an updated detailed study. There is floodway development pressure and an existing restudy on the Onondaga County side of the lake.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

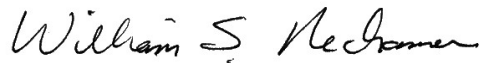
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Town Supervisor
Town of Sullivan

Dated _____

Cc: Phil Constanzo, Building Administrator, Town of Sullivan

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

Honorable Carla DeShaw
Mayor, Village of Canastota
205 South Petersboro Street
Canastota, NY 13032

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mayor DeShaw,

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Based on the information gathered at the May 24th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Village's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. A detailed study for unnamed tributary to Canastota Creek (from Village line to the confluence with Canastota Creek) is needed. It is the main flooding source that affects the village and has not yet been studied.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

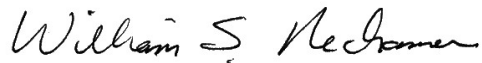
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Mayor
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Cc: Michael Adsit, Building Inspector, Village of Canastota

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August 18th, 2016

The Honorable Mayor Ronny Goeler
Mayor, Village of Chittenago
Village Hall
222 Genesee Street
Chittenago, NY 13037

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mayor Goeler,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 24th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

These Discovery meetings were part of a new Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (Risk MAP) project for the Oneida Lake Watershed that is being conducted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The purpose of Discovery meetings is to review local flood risk and mapping data in order to determine if updated floodplain mapping is needed in your community.

All information provided will be considered when developing the scope of the Risk MAP project, including, but not limited to, the development of new digital Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs). Please understand that budget constraints will prevent us from fulfilling all of the requested studies at this time but every request will be considered and all unfulfilled requests will be officially cataloged as a stream study need for future remapping projects.

Based on the information gathered at the May 24, 2016, Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Village's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

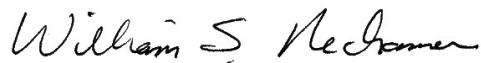
1. An updated detailed study for Chittenango Creek is needed. Multiple bridge and culvert replacements have occurred since the last study. There is also a Letter of Map Change cluster in the Valley Acres subdivision. The current flood hazard information shown is not accurate.
2. A new detailed study for the unnamed tributary to Chittenango Creek south of West Genesee Street is needed. This flooding source currently has an approximate study, the floodplain boundaries of which are not accurate.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.



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Sincerely,



William Nechamen, Chief
Floodplain Management Section
New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

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Mayor
Village of Chittenango

Dated _____

Cc: Jeff Geer, Code Enforcement Officer

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Kevin Delaney, DEC Region 7

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August 18th, 2016

Joanne Mahoney
Onondaga County Executive
Onondaga County
John H. Mulroy Civic Center - 14th Floor
Syracuse NY 13202

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Ms. Mahoney,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

These Discovery meetings were part of a new Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (Risk MAP) project for the Oneida Lake Watershed that is being conducted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The purpose of Discovery meetings is to review local flood risk and mapping data in order to determine if updated floodplain mapping is needed in your community.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 26th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the County's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

The Town feels that the current Special Flood Hazard Areas shown on the FIRM are accurate and does not have any requests for new or updated studies at this time

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County Executive
Onondaga County

Dated _____

Cc: Edward Hart, GIS Program Manager

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Kevin Delaney, NYSDEC Region 7

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August 18th, 2016

Jessica Zambrano
| Town Supervisor, Town of Cicero
8236 Brewerton Road
Cicero NY 13039

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Ms. Zambrano,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

These Discovery meetings were part of a new Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (Risk MAP) project for the Oneida Lake Watershed that is being conducted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The purpose of Discovery meetings is to review local flood risk and mapping data in order to determine if updated floodplain mapping is needed in your community.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 26th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. Oneida Lake needs an updated detailed study. Recent lakeshore development has occurred.
2. Mud Creek Reach 1 needs an updated detailed study. There are erosion issues present and recent development pressures.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

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Town Supervisor
Town of Cicero

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Cc: Richard Hooper, Building Inspector

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

Damian Ulatowski, Town Supervisor
Town of Clay
4401 Route 31
Clay, NY 13041

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Ulatowski,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

These Discovery meetings were part of a new Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (Risk MAP) project for the Oneida Lake Watershed that is being conducted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The purpose of Discovery meetings is to review local flood risk and mapping data in order to determine if updated floodplain mapping is needed in your community.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 26th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. An updated detailed study is needed for Willow Stream. Townhouses near the stream were mapped into the floodplain in the 1980s but development was planned before the mapping study.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate

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Town Supervisor
Town of Clay

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Cc: Cindy Beckhusen, Building Inspector

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

Dr. Edward Michalenko
Town Supervisor, Town of Dewitt
5400 Butternut Drive
East Syracuse NY 13057

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Dr. Michalenko,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 26th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. Ley Creek floodplain may be understated, as there is industrial/dense residential development in the area.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

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Town Supervisor
Town of Dewitt

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Cc: Samuel Gordon, Planning and Zoning Director

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Kevin Delaney, NYSDEC Region 7

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August 18th, 2016

Melanie Vilardi
Town Supervisor, Town of Fabius
PO Box 59
Fabius NY 13063

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Ms. Vilardi,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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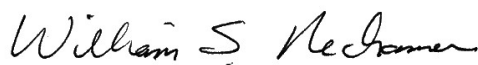
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Based on the information gathered at the May 26th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

The Town feels that the current Special Flood Hazard Areas shown on the FIRM are accurate and does not have any requests for new or updated studies at this time.

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Town Supervisor
Town of Fabius

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Cc: Richard Penhall, Building Inspector

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

Mr. Tony Bush
Town Supervisor, Town of Hastings
1134 US Route 11
Central Square NY 13036

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Bush,

We would like to thank your community for completing a stakeholder survey in support of the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery project.

The stakeholder survey was performed as part of a new Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (Risk MAP) Discovery project for the Oneida Lake Watershed that is being conducted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The purpose of the Discovery project is to review local flood risk and mapping data in order to determine if updated floodplain mapping is needed in your community.

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Based on the information provided by your community in the stakeholder survey, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

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Town Supervisor
Town of Hastings

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Cc: Mark Bombardo, Code Enforcement Officer

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

William McConnell
Town Supervisor, Town of Lafayette
2577 US Route 11, PO Box 193
Lafayette NY 13084

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. McConnell,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 26th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. The floodplain for Cascades Creek is overstated on the FIRM and needs an updated detailed study.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

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Town Supervisor
Town of Lafayette

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Cc: Ralph Lamson, Code Enforcement Officer

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

Edmond Theobald
Town Supervisor, Town of Manlius
301 Brooklea Drive
Fayetteville NY 13066

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Theobald,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 26th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. Area in the vicinity of Schepps Corner Road is prone to flooding from Limestone Creek.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

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Town Supervisor
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Cc: Michael Jones, Building Inspector

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

Carole Marsh
Town Supervisor, Town of Pompey
8354 US Route 20
Pompey Center NY 13104

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Ms. Marsh,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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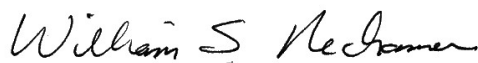
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Town Supervisor
Town of Pompey

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Cc: Richard Penhall, Building Inspector

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

Mark Nicotra
Town Supervisor, Town of Salina
201 School Road
Liverpool NY 13088

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Nicotra,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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1. Bloody Brook needs an updated detailed study. A remediation project is underway that will widen and deepen the channel, which will have an impact on the floodplain and residential structures in the vicinity.
2. Ley Creek needs an updated detailed study. A remediation project is planned for this flooding source.

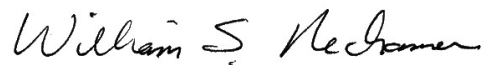
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Town Supervisor
Town of Salina

Dated _____

Cc: George Keeler, Building Inspector

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Kevin Delaney, NYSDEC Region 7

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August 18th, 2016

The Honorable Mayor Mark Olson
Mayor, Village of Fayetteville
425 East Genesee Street
Fayetteville NY 13066

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mayor Olson,

We would like to thank your community for completing a stakeholder survey in support of the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery project.

The stakeholder survey was performed as part of a new Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (Risk MAP) Discovery project for the Oneida Lake Watershed that is being conducted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The purpose of the Discovery project is to review local flood risk and mapping data in order to determine if updated floodplain mapping is needed in your community.

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The Honorable Mayor Gary Butterfield
Mayor, Village of North Syracuse
600 South Bay Road
North Syracuse NY 13212

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mayor Butterfield,

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Philip R. Church
County Administrator, Oswego County
46 East Bridge Street
Oswego NY 13126

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Church,

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1. Oneida River (from Oneida Lake to Schroepfel and at County Route 10 crossing) is in need of an updated detailed study due to new development.
2. Bay Creek in southwestern Central Square needs an updated detailed study. This area is close to schools.
3. Various culvert sizes within the county need to be correctly reflected in the FIRM and Flood Insurance Study/flood modeling.

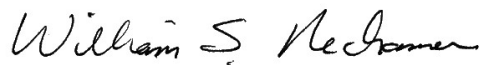
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County Administrator
Oswego County

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Cc: Terry Bennett, County Hazard Mitigation Planner

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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Kathleen Wilkinson
Town Supervisor, Town of Amboy
822 New York State Route 69
Amboy NY 13493

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Ms. Wilkinson,

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1. A new detailed study of Panther Lake is needed. Development has occurred in this area.
2. A new detailed study of Carterville Pond is needed. Development has occurred in this area

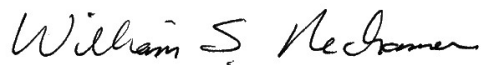
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Town Supervisor
Town of Amboy

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Cc: Wayne Hall, Building Inspector

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August 18th, 2016

Charles Gilkey
Town Supervisor, Town of Constantia
14 Frederick Street
Constantia NY 13044

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

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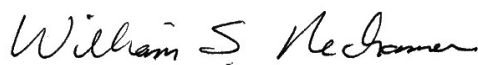
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The Honorable Mayor Norman B. Youmans
Mayor Village of Cleveland
2 Clay Street PO Box 501
Cleveland NY 13042

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

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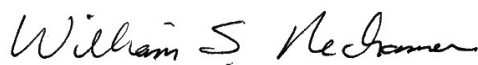
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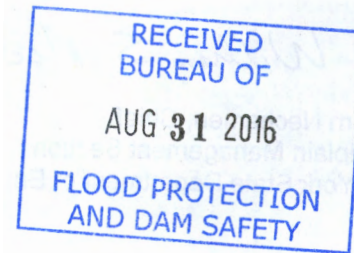
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August 18th, 2016

Liz Swearingin
County Manager, Lewis County
Lewis County Court House
7660 North State Street
Lowville NY 13367

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Ms. Swearingin,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 26th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the County's mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. No specific inaccuracies noted but a digital product and model-backed approximate floodplains would be useful.

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Charles Eyr Dated *8/23/16*
County Manager
Lewis County

Cc: Michele Ledoux, Executive Director Lewis Co. Cornell Cooperative Extension
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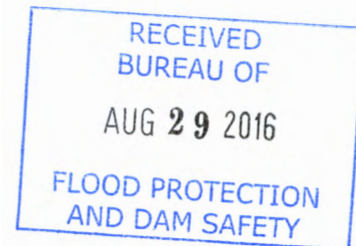
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*7:00 to
Jim Tuesday*

August 18th, 2016

Suzanne Collins
Town Supervisor
Town of Augusta
185 North Main Street
Oriskany Falls NY 13425



Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Ms. Collins,

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2. A new detailed study for Sconondoa Creek is needed. This is currently an approximately study – there are significant flooding issues in this area recently and the stream has shifted course.

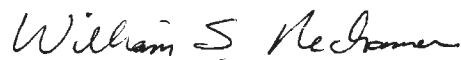


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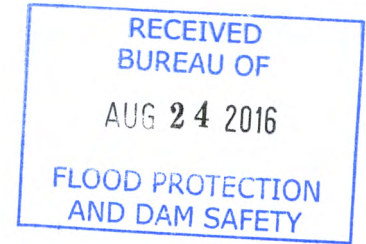
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Town Supervisor
Town of Augusta

Cc: Gary Schreppel, Building Inspector/COE, Town of Augusta

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Albert Ash, Floodplain Management Coordinator, NYSDEC Region 6

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August 18th, 2016

James Ossont
Town Supervisor, Town of Ava
5529 West Ava Road
Ava NY 13303

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

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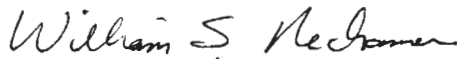
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**Town Supervisor
Town of Ava**

Dated 8-22-16

Cc: Joseph Pfeiffer, Building Inspector

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Albert Ash, DEC Region 6

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August 18th, 2016

Mr. Scott Musacchio
Town Supervisor
Town of Verona
Town Hall 6600 Germany Road
Durhamville NY 13054

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Musacchio,, ,

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Based on the information gathered at the May 25th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. Flood hazards along Brandy Brook and Stony Creek are much larger than stated due to beaver dams.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

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Sincerely,

William S. Nechamen

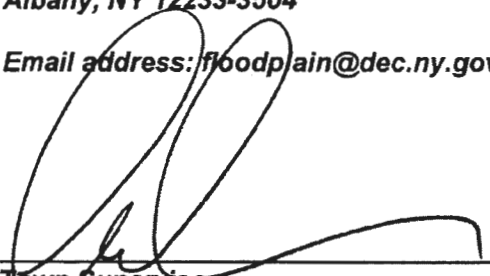
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Town Supervisor
Town of Verona

Dated 8/22/16

Cc: Chris Childs, Code Enforcement Officer

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

William A. Graham
Mr. ~~Walt Keeney~~
Town Supervisor, Town of Vienna
2083 NYS Route 49
PO Box 250
North Bay, NY 13123

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Keeney,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 25th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 25th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. An updated detailed study for Fish Creek is needed. The floodway shown is inaccurate and the Route 13 bridge causes ice jams

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

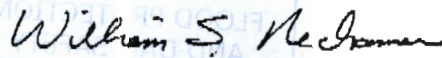
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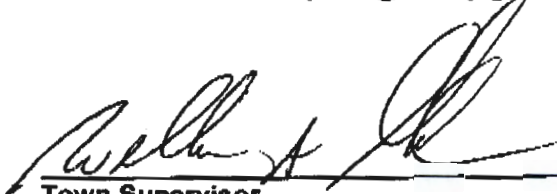
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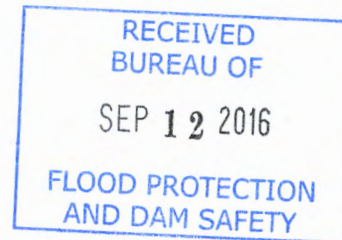
Dated 8.22.16

Cc: Chris Soullas, Building Inspector

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

The Honorable Mayor Michael Wolzmut
Mayor Village of Camden
14 Church Street
Camden NY 13316

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mayor Wolzmut,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 25th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

These Discovery meetings were part of a new Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (Risk MAP) project for the Oneida Lake Watershed that is being conducted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The purpose of Discovery meetings is to review local flood risk and mapping data in order to determine if updated floodplain mapping is needed in your community.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 25th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Village's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. A new detailed study for West Branch Fish Creek (south of Van Buren Road to the western corporate limits) is needed. There has been development along this stream. The current study is approximate and the floodplain boundaries are not accurate. Base Flood Elevations are needed.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

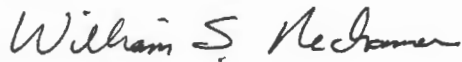
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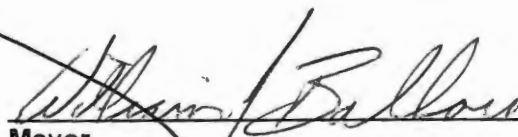
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Mayor
Village of Camden

Dated 8-7-16

Cc: Tyler Henry, Town/Village Code Enforcement Officer/Floodplain Administrator

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Albert Ash, NYSDEC Region 6

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August 18th, 2016

The Honorable Mayor Gerald Seymour Jr.
Mayor, Village of Vernon
8 Ruth Street, PO Box 1130
Vernon NY 13476

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mayor Seymour,

We would like to thank your community for completing a stakeholder survey in support of the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery project.

The stakeholder survey was performed as part of a new Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (Risk MAP) Discovery project for the Oneida Lake Watershed that is being conducted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The purpose of the Discovery project is to review local flood risk and mapping data in order to determine if updated floodplain mapping is needed in your community.

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Based on the information provided by your community in the stakeholder survey, it is our understanding that the Village's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

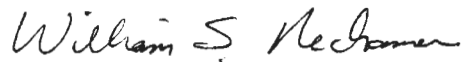
The Village feels that the current Special Flood Hazard Areas shown on the FIRM are accurate and does not have any requests for new or updated studies at this time.



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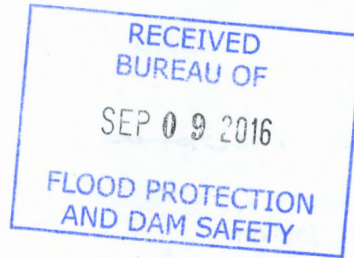
Cc: Jody Thieme, Code Enforcement Officer

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016



Mark Scimone
County Administrator, Madison County
138 North Court Street
Wampsville, NY 13163

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Scimone,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 24th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 24th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the County's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. FIRMs date back to the early 1980s. Digital format is badly needed, although the maps are not necessarily inaccurate.

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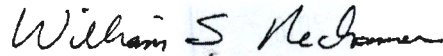


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County Administrator
Madison County

Dated

9/8/16

Cc: Mike Sudol, County Hazard Mitigation Planner, Madison County

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Kevin Delaney, DEC Region 7

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August 18th, 2016

Mr. Joseph Pinard
Town Supervisor, Town of Lenox
205 South Petersboro Street
Canastota, NY 13032

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Pinard,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 24th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 24th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. An updated detailed study for Oneida Lake is needed due to recent development and regular seasonal flooding.
2. A new detailed study for the Tributary to Erie Canal north of Seneca Turnpike is needed. This flooding source currently has an approximate study, and recent residential development has occurred. The current floodplain is overstated.
3. An updated detailed study for Cowaselon Creek is needed. Flooding occurs in this area and the current study is outdated.
4. The Town has conducted a flood study along Main Street for Canastota Creek due to past flooding issues. This flood study should be reviewed for possible incorporation into the FIRM.

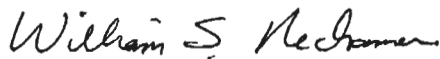


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All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

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Town of Lenox

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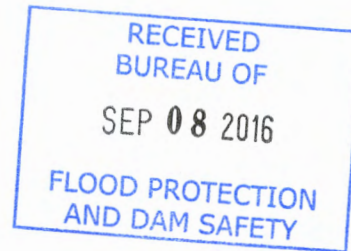
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Cc: Josh Stagnitti, Building Inspector, Town of Lenox

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Kevin Delaney, DEC Region 7

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August 18th, 2016

Joanne Mahoney
Onondaga County Executive
Onondaga County
John H. Mulroy Civic Center - 14th Floor
Syracuse NY 13202

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Ms. Mahoney,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 26th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the County's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

The County does not have any requests for new or updated studies at this time.
~~The Town feels that the current Special Flood Hazard Areas shown on the FIRM are accurate and does not have any requests for new or updated studies at this time.~~

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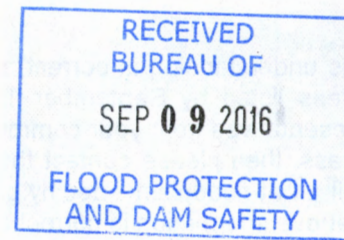
Joanne M. Mahoney Dated 9-2-16
County Executive
Onondaga County

Cc: Edward Hart, GIS Program Manager

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

The Honorable Mayor Ronny Joel
Mayor, Village of Chittenago
Village Hall
222 Tennessee Street
Chittenago, NY 1303

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mayor Joel,

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Based on the information gathered at the May 24, 2016, Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Village's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. An updated detailed study for Chittenango Creek is needed. Multiple bridge and culvert replacements have occurred since the last study. There is also a Letter of Map Change cluster in the Valley Acres subdivision. The current flood hazard information shown is not accurate.
2. A new detailed study for the unnamed tributary to Chittenango Creek south of West Tennessee Street is needed. This flooding source currently has an approximate study, the floodplain boundaries of which are not accurate.

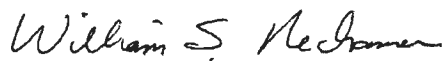
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Mayor
Village of Chittenango

Dated 8/31/2016

Cc: eff eer, Code Enforcement Officer

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
evin Delaney, DEC Region

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August 18th, 2016

Dr. Edward Michalenko
Town Supervisor, Town of Dewitt
5400 Butternut Drive
East Syracuse NY 13057

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Dr. Michalenko,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 26th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. Ley Creek floodplain may be understated, as there is industrial/dense residential development in the area.

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[Signature]

Town Supervisor
Town of Dewitt

Dated

8.29.16

Cc: Samuel Gordon, Planning and Zoning Director

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th, 2016

Mr. Tony Bush
Town Supervisor, Town of Hastings
1134 US Route 11
Central Square NY 13036

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Bush,

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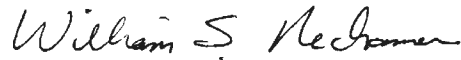
The Town feels that the current Special Flood Hazard Areas shown on the FIRM are accurate and does not have any requests for new or updated studies at this time.



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Sincerely,



William Nechamen, Chief
Floodplain Management Section
New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

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New York State Department of Environmental Conservation
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Town Supervisor
Town of Hastings

Dated

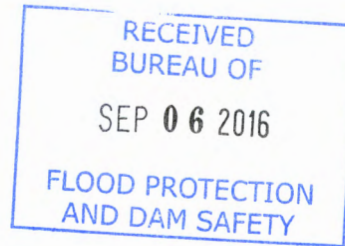
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Cc: Mark Bombardo, Code Enforcement Officer

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Kevin Delaney, DEC Region 7

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August 18th, 2016

Edmond Theobald
Town Supervisor, Town of Manlius
301 Brooklea Drive
Fayetteville NY 13066

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Theobald,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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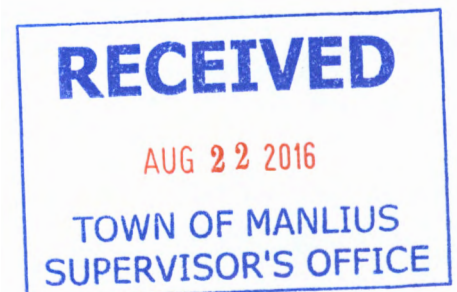
1. Area in the vicinity of Schepps Corner Road is prone to flooding from Limestone Creek.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

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**Town Supervisor
Town of Manlius**

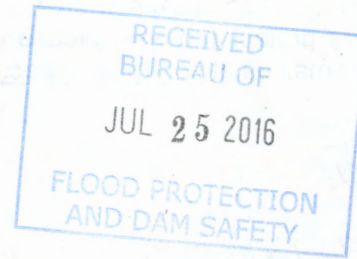
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Cc: Michael Jones, Building Inspector
Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Kevin Delaney, NYSDEC Region 7

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July 8, 2016

The Honorable Paul Whorrall
Mayor, Village of Manlius
One Arkie Albanese Avenue
Manlius, NY 13104

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA RiskMAP Program

Dear Mayor Whorrall:

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Absent different information, we are assuming the Village of Manlius is satisfied with the current FIRMs and has no new flood study requests at this time. If this understanding is correct, then please sign below and return a copy of this letter to my attention by July 28, 2016.

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If you or representatives from your community have questions or comments regarding the Discovery project process, please contact NYSDEC floodplain management staff at 518-402-8185 or email us at floodplain@dec.ny.gov.

Sincerely,

William S. Nechamen

William Nechamen, Chief
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Paul Whorrell

Mayor
Village of Manlius

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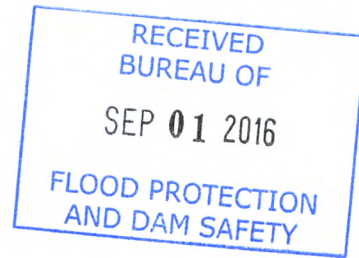
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Cc: John Illingworth, Building Inspector, Village of Manlius

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Albert Ash, DEC Region 6

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August 18th, 2016

Mark Nicotra
Town Supervisor, Town of Salina
201 School Road
Liverpool NY 13088

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mr. Nicotra,

We would like to thank your community for participating in the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meeting on May 26th, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs.

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Based on the information gathered at the May 26th, 2016 Discovery meeting, it is our understanding that the Town's flood mapping requests, in order of importance, are as follows:

1. Bloody Brook needs an updated detailed study. A remediation project is underway that will widen and deepen the channel, which will have an impact on the floodplain and residential structures in the vicinity.
2. Ley Creek needs an updated detailed study. A remediation project is planned for this flooding source.

All other mapped Special Flood Hazards Areas (SFHAs) in the community are adequate.

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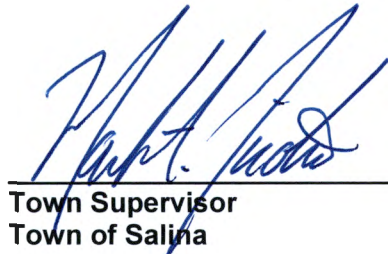
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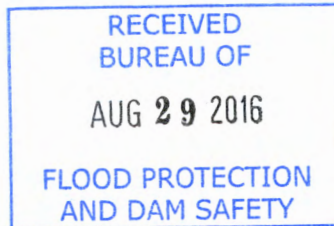
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Cc: George Keeler, Building Inspector

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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August 18th 2016

The Honorable Mayor Gary Butterfield
Mayor, Village of North Syracuse
600 South Bay Road
North Syracuse NY 13212

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA Risk MAP Program

Dear Mayor Butterfield,

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The Village feels that the current Special Flood Hazard Areas shown on the FIRM are accurate and does not have any requests for new or updated studies at this time.



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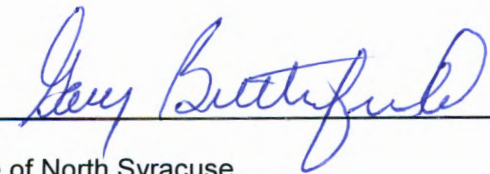
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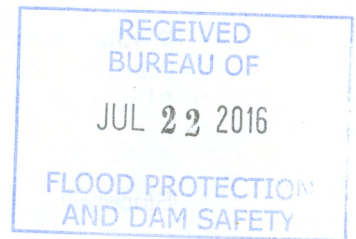
 _____ Dated 8 24 2016
Mayor
Village of North Syracuse

Cc: Richard Greene, Building Inspector

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Kevin Delaney, DEC Region 7

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July 8, 2016

Mr. Cliff Moses
Supervisor, Town of Eaton
35 Cedar Street, PO Box 66
Morrisville, NY 13408

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA RiskMAP Program

Dear Mr. Moses:

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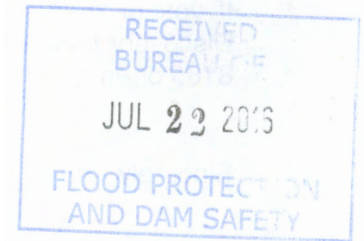
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Supervisor
Town of Eaton

Cc: John Fewer, Building Inspector, Town of Eaton

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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July 8, 2016

Mr. Dennis Lockwood
Supervisor, Town of Volney
1445 County Route 6
Fulton, NY 13069

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA RiskMAP Program

Dear Mr. Lockwood:

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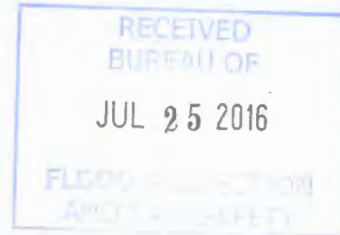
Dennis Subwood _____ Dated *7/18/18* _____
Supervisor
Town of Volney

Cc: Robert Dalton, Building Inspector, Town of Volney

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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July 8, 2016

The Honorable Stephanie Miner
Mayor, City of Syracuse
233 East Washington Street, City Hall Commons
Syracuse, NY 13202

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA RiskMAP Program

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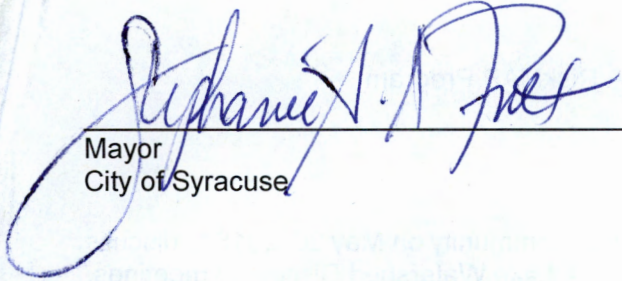
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William S. Nechamen

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Mayor
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Dated 7.20.16

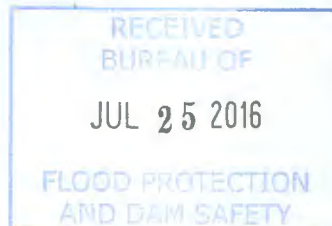
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July 8, 2016

Ms. Lynett Greco
Supervisor, Town of Schroepfel
69 County Route 57A
Phoenix, NY 13135

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA RiskMAP Program

Dear Ms. Greco:

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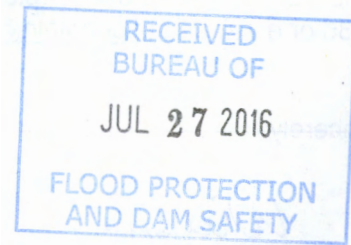
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July 8, 2016

Mr. Edward J. Hayes
Supervisor, Town of West Turin
5438 Spencer Road
Boonville, NY 13309

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA RiskMAP Program

Dear Mr. Hayes:

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Sincerely,

William S. Nechamen

William Nechamen, Chief
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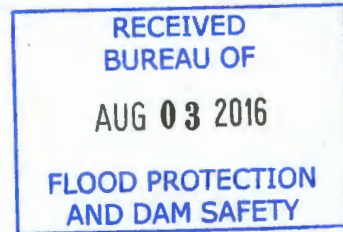
Edward J. Hayes, Supervisor Dated 7-25-16
Supervisor
Town of West Turin

Cc: Ward Dailey, Building Inspector, Town of West Turin

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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July 8, 2016

Mr. David Jones
Supervisor, Town of Fenner
Town Offices, 3151 Fenner East Road
Cazenovia, NY 13035

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA RiskMAP Program

Dear Mr. Jones:

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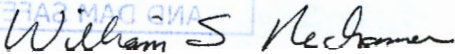
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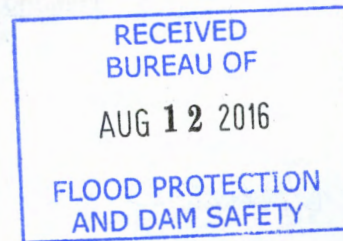
Dated 8/1/2016

Cc: Roger Cook, Building Inspector, Town of Fenner

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
Kevin Delaney, DEC Region 7

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July 8, 2016

Mr. Kurt Riordan
Supervisor, Town of Montague
7270 McDonald Road
Copenhagen, NY 13626

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA RiskMAP Program

Dear Mr. Riordan:

We regret having missed the opportunity to meet with your community on May 26, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs at the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meetings. These Discovery meetings were part of a new Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (RiskMAP) project for the Oneida Lake Watershed that is being conducted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The purpose of Discovery meetings is to review local flood risk and mapping data in order to determine if updated floodplain mapping is needed in your community.

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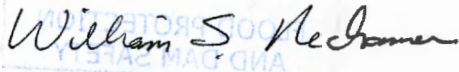
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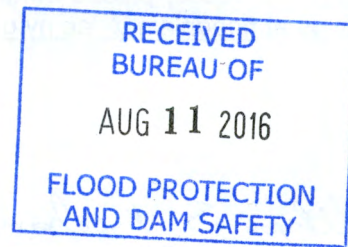
 Dated 8/9/16
Supervisor
Town of Montague

Cc: Don Mallette, Building Inspector, Town of Montague

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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July 8, 2016

Mr. Vern Sundet
Supervisor, Town of West Monroe
46 County Route 11
West Monroe, NY 13167

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA RiskMAP Program

Dear Mr. Sundet:

We regret having missed the opportunity to meet with your community on May 25, 2016 to discuss your community's floodplain mapping needs at the Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery meetings. These Discovery meetings were part of a new Risk Mapping, Assessment, and Planning (RiskMAP) project for the Oneida Lake Watershed that is being conducted by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and the New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC). The purpose of Discovery meetings is to review local flood risk and mapping data in order to determine if updated floodplain mapping is needed in your community.

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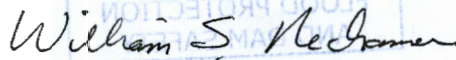
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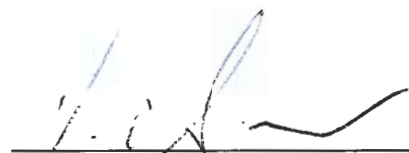
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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "William S. Nechamen". The signature is written over a faint blue rectangular stamp that contains the text "BUREAU OF FLOOD PROTECTION" and "AUG 1 2016".

William Nechamen, Chief
Floodplain Management Section
New York State Department of Environmental Conservation

A handwritten signature in black ink, likely belonging to Eric Mills, written over a horizontal line.

Supervisor
Town of West Monroe

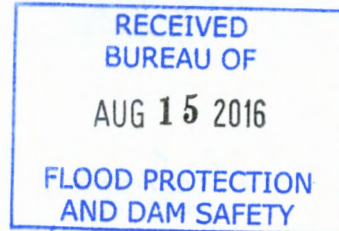
Dated 7/22/2016

Cc: Eric Mills, Building Inspector, Town of West Monroe

Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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July 8, 2016

Mr. Alexander Stepanski
Supervisor, Town of Stockbridge
PO Box 87, 5314 North Main Street
Munnsville, NY 13409

Re: Oneida Lake Watershed Discovery Process/FEMA RiskMAP Program

Dear Mr. Stepanski:

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Alexander Stepanki Dated 8-10-16
Supervisor
Town of Stockbridge

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Ecc: Andrew Martin, FEMA Region II
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*Sorry I missed the
deadline for ~~response~~
I arrived while I was on
vacation in Maine. I returned
home August 5.*