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LISTING OF COMMUNITIES					
COMMUNITY NAME	COMMUNITY NUMBER	LOCATED ON PANEL(S)	INITIAL NFIP MAP DATE	INITIAL FIRM DATE	MOST RECENT FIRM PANEL DATE
ALGOMA, TOWN OF	280333	225			
ECRU, TOWN OF	280133	43, 44, 106, 107, 108, 109	FEBRUARY 1, 1974	SEPTEMBER 4, 1986	
PONTOTOC, CITY OF	280348	125, 150, 225, 250			
PONTOTOC COUNTY (UNINCORPORATED AREAS)	280234	25, 40, 43, 44, 75, 88, 90, 100, 106, 107, 108, 109, 125, 150, 151, 152, 155, 165, 176, 180, 200, 225, 250, 275, 300, 325, 350, 375	NOVEMBER 29, 1974	FEBRUARY 1, 1987	
SHERMAN, TOWN OF	280296	151, 152	JUNE 10, 1977	SEPTEMBER 4, 1985	
THAXTON, TOWN OF	280362	90, 100			
TOCCOPOLA, TOWN OF	280263	88, 176	DECEMBER 13, 1974		

\*Panel Not Printed

**MAP DATES**

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**MAP REPOSITORIES**

(Maps available for reference only, not for distribution.)

ALGOMA, TOWN OF:  
Town Hall  
25 Bobcat Trail  
Algoma, Mississippi 38820

ECRU, TOWN OF:  
Town Hall  
176 Main Street  
Ecrú, Mississippi 38841

PONTOTOC, CITY OF:  
City Hall  
116 North Main Street  
Pontotoc, Mississippi 38863

PONTOTOC COUNTY (UNINCORPORATED AREAS):  
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18 South Liberty Street  
Pontotoc, Mississippi 38863

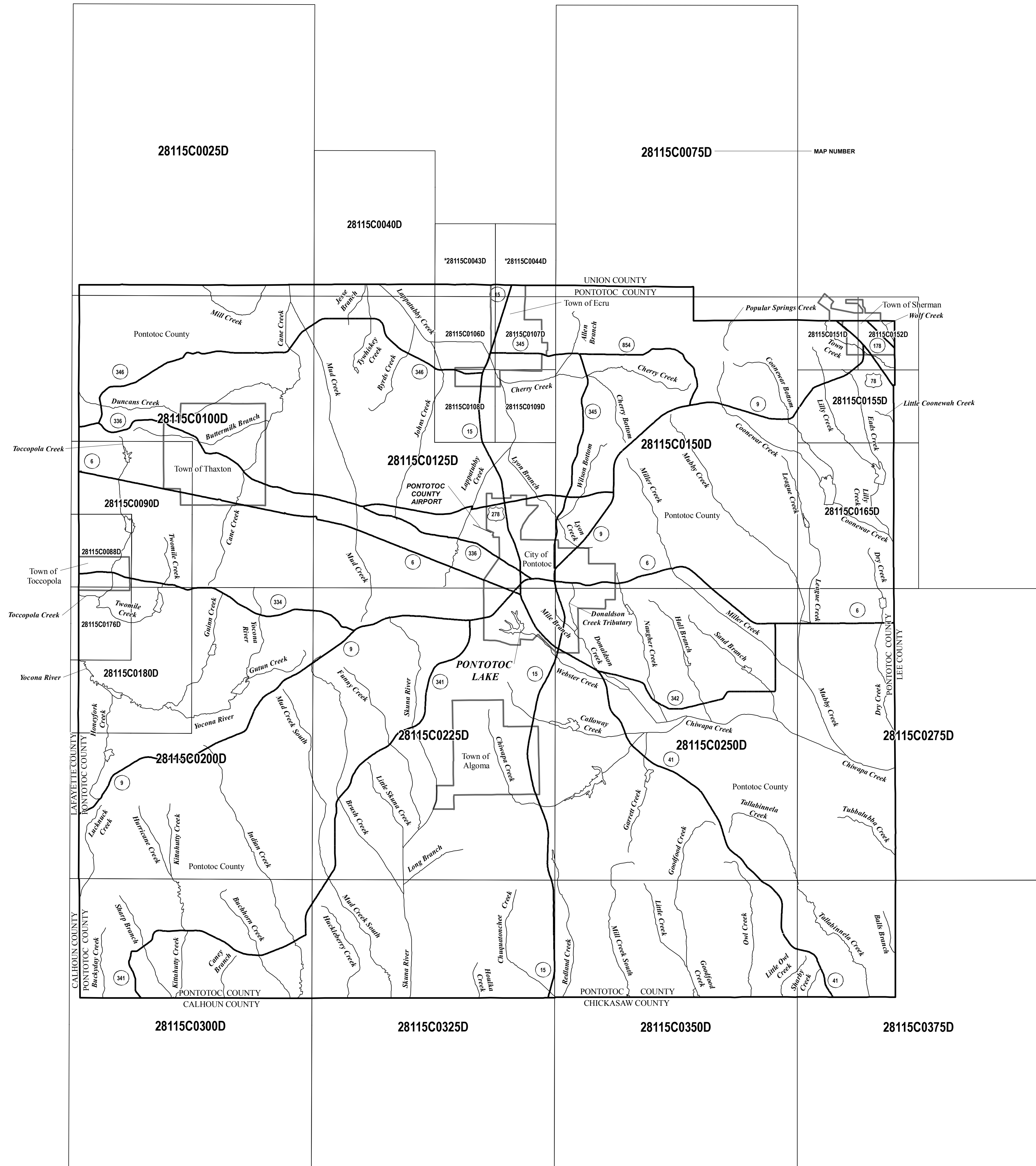
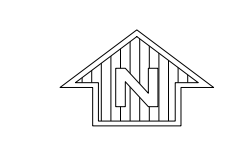
SHERMAN, TOWN OF:  
Town Hall  
26 West Lamar  
Sherman, Mississippi 38869

THAXTON, TOWN OF:  
Town Hall  
8990 Highway 336  
Thaxton, Mississippi 38871

TOCCOPOLA, TOWN OF:  
Emergency Management Office  
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Pontotoc, Mississippi 38863

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\*PANEL NOT PRINTED- NO SPECIAL FLOOD HAZARD AREAS

MAP INDEX

FIRM

FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP

PONTOTOC COUNTY,  
MISSISSIPPI

AND INCORPORATED AREAS

(SEE LISTING OF COMMUNITIES TABLE)

MAP INDEX

PANELS PRINTED: 25, 40, 75, 88,  
90, 100, 106, 107, 108, 109, 125, 150, 151,  
152, 155, 165, 176, 180, 200, 225, 250, 275,  
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MAP NUMBER  
**28115CIND0A**  
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NOAA, NWS12  
National Geodetic Survey  
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Silver Spring, Maryland 20910-3282  
(301) 713-3242

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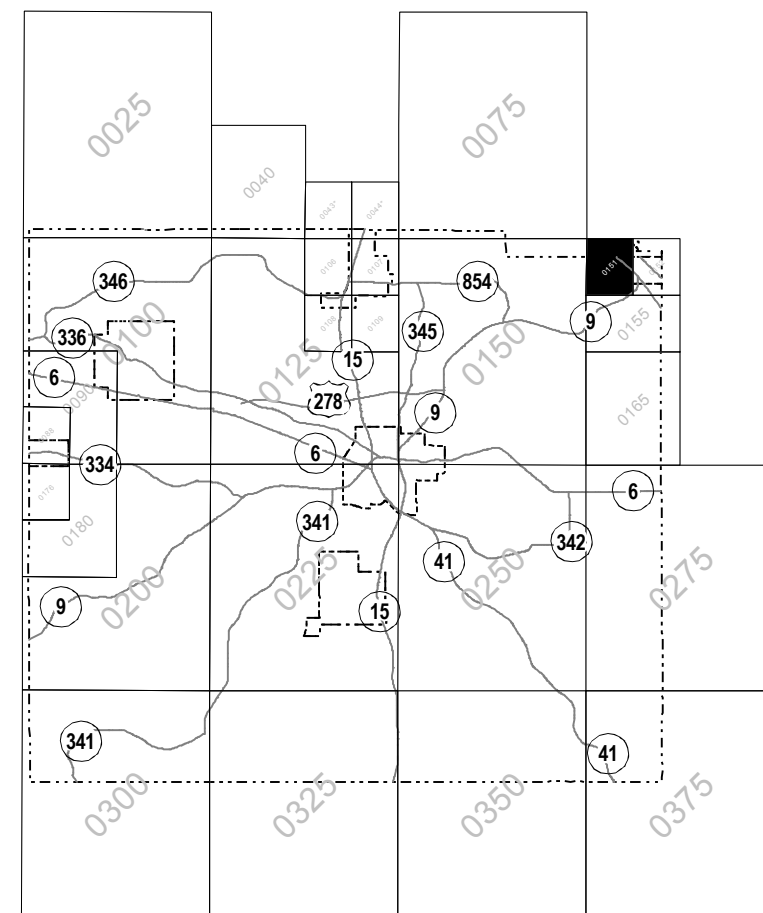
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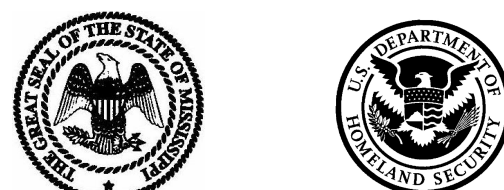
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**Elevation Reference Marks**



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**LEGEND**

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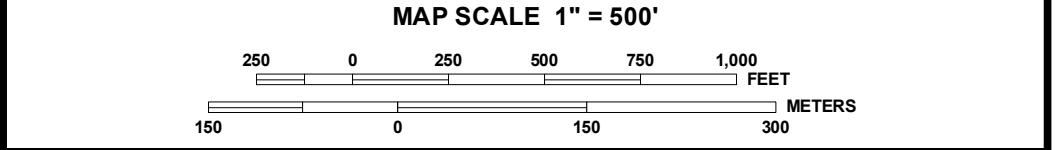
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EFFECTIVE DATE OF COUNTYWIDE FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP

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**NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM**

**PANEL 0151D**

**FIRM**

**FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP**

**PONTOTOC COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI AND INCORPORATED AREAS**

**PANEL 151 OF 375**

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**CONTAINS:**

COMMUNITY	NUMBER	PANEL	SUFFIX
PONTOTOC COUNTY	280234	0151	D
SHERMAN, TOWN OF	280296	0151	D

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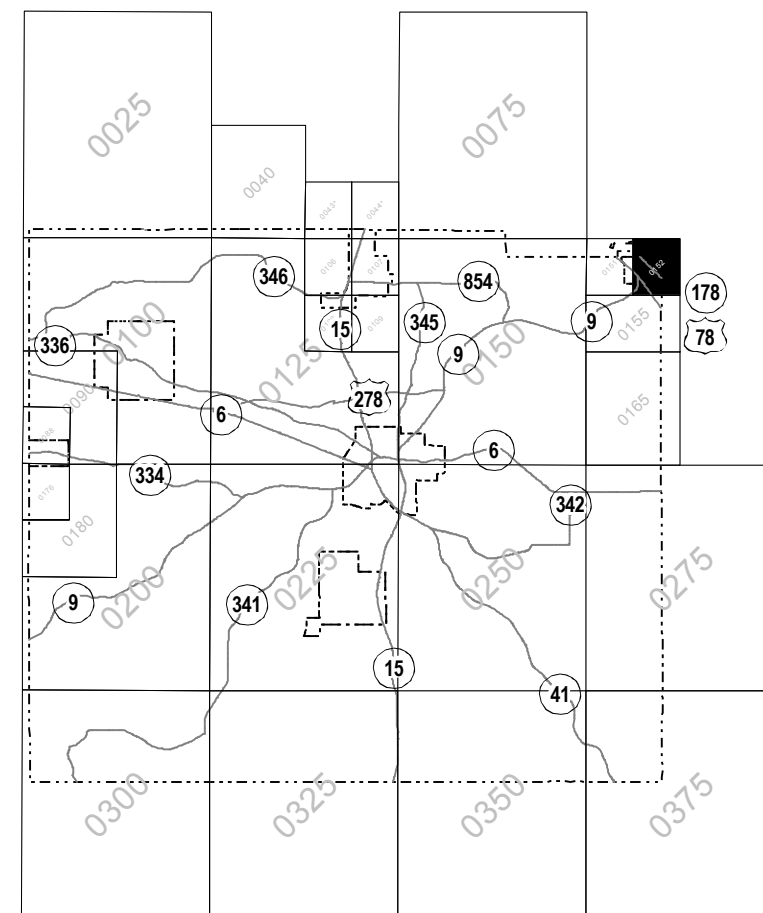
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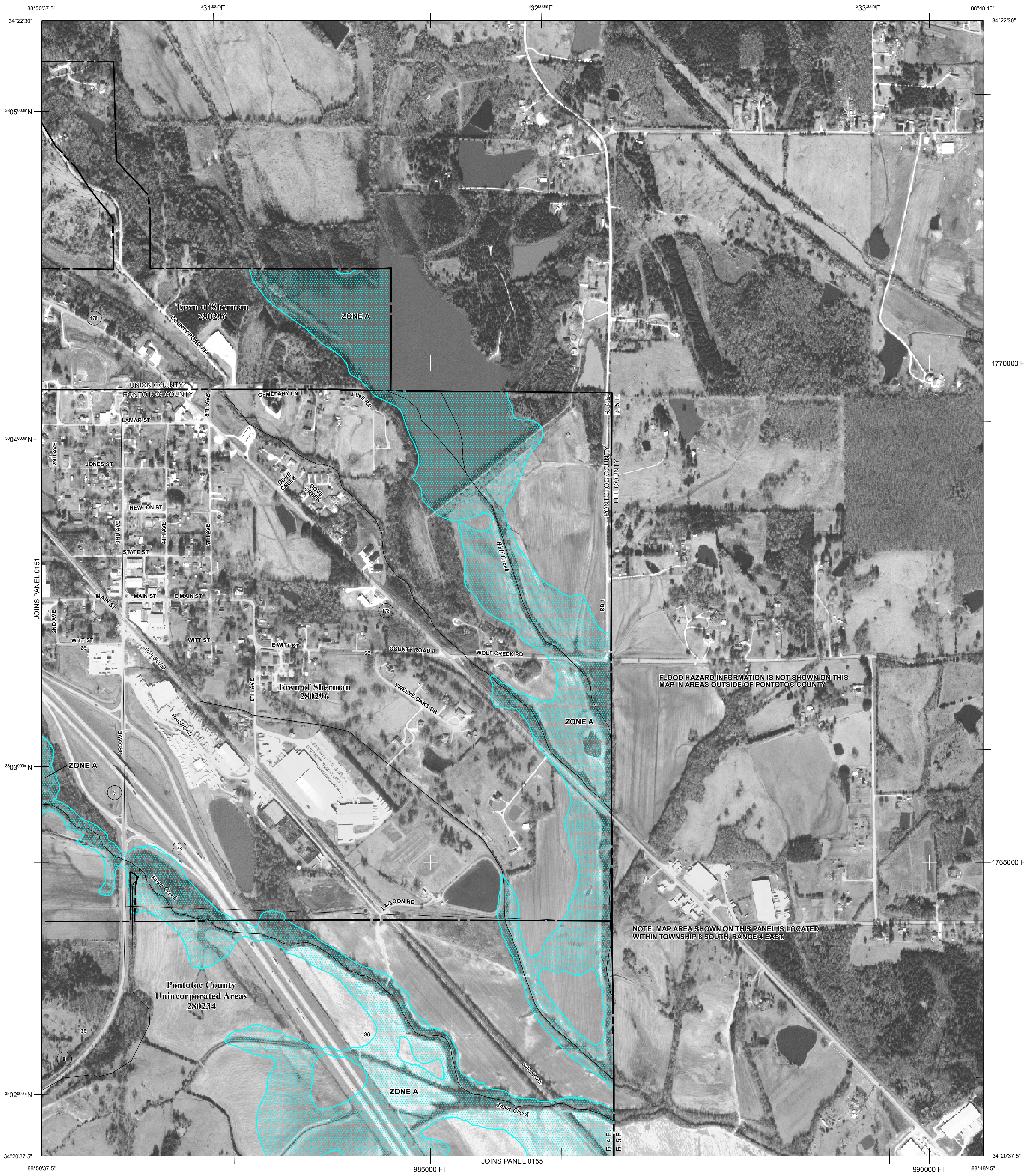
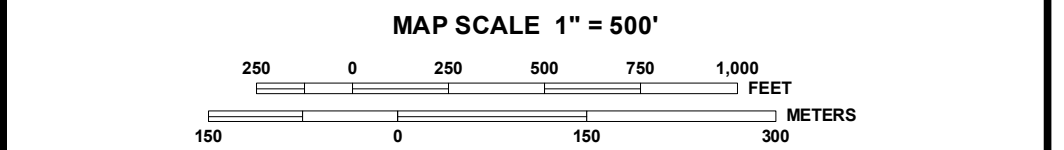
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**NATIONAL FLOOD INSURANCE PROGRAM**

PANEL 0152D

**FIRM**

FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP  
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