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This map is to be used in submitting the National Flood Insurance Program. It does not necessarily show the actual boundaries of CBRS and OPA areas. CBRS and OPA boundaries, as determined, should be used in the Flood Insurance Study report (which contains authoritative hydraulic data) Where CBRS and OPA boundaries are not shown on the FIRM, users are encouraged to consult the Flood Profiles and Letters of Map Change, (which contains the appropriate hydraulic data) and/or a Flood Insurance Study report, (which contains authoritative hydraulic data)

For purposes of the National Flood Insurance Program, floodplains are classified into four categories, or "zones." This classification is based on the likelihood of flooding and the expected effects of flooding on future buildings. The four zones are:

1. Zone A: moderate wave action
2. Zone AE: extreme wave action
3. Zone X: no wave action
4. Zone X: extreme wave action

The Zone A category has been divided by a boundary dividing Special Flood Hazard Areas of different Base Flood Elevations. The CBRS and OPA boundary is located at the Limit of Moderate Wave Action Delineation (EL 15). The floodway is the channel of a stream plus any adjacent floodplain areas that must be kept free of obstruction by buildings, structures, and other features.

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