NOTES TO USERS

The map is for use in administering the National Flood Insurance Program in general, please call 1-877-FEMA MAP (1-877-336-2627) or visit its website at http://www.fema.gov for an overview map of the county.

Flood Elevations, flood depths, or flood velocities shown above are not necessarily exact. For current information, please consult the Flood Insurance Study report (which contains authoritative hydraulic data) may reflect flood elevations on this map are referenced to the North American Vertical Datum of 1988.

ELEVATION REFERENCE MARKS

This map was produced through the Mississippi Flood Map Modernization Initiative, a joint partnership between the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, and the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

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FIRM FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAP
WAYNE COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI
AND INCORPORATED AREAS

31°22'30" N 89°00'00" W

187000mE 3474000mN

187000mE 3475000mN

187000mE 3478000mN

187000mE 3482000mN

187000mE 3485000mN

187000mE 3480000mN

940000 FT 960000 FT 710000 FT 720000 FT 730000 FT 740000 FT 750000 FT

R. 10 W

T. 5 N.

R. 9 W

Little Thompson Branch

The project area in the preparation of the project and data from existing County Planning Department professional staff and assistance from the Mississippi Department of Environmental Quality.

This information was photogrammetrically derived from data obtained from the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, National Geodetic Survey, State Plane Meridian 1983 Mississippi East (FIPS 42), State Plane Meridian 1983 Mississippi West (FIPS 43), State Plane Meridian 1983 Louisiana (FIPS 47), Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM) Zones 13,14,15,16,17,18,19.


This work was supported under the Flood Insurance Rate Map Modernization Initiative (FIRM MIP), a grant from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). This project utilized existing data to meet the requirements of the Natural Hazards Mitigation Act of 1994 (MIP Act). These data were also transferred from the previous FIRM and its boundaries have not been determined.

The Flood Insurance Study report should be utilized in conjunction with the FIRM for purposes of construction and/or development.

Certain areas not in Special Flood Hazard Areas may be protected by floodproofing, elevation changes, and community floodplain management activities. Flood elevations may be determined on the Flood Insurance Rate Map, and flood depths will be determined in the Flood Insurance Study report.

The floodway is the channel of a stream plus any adjacent floodplain areas that must be kept free of structures. The floodway must be kept clear of obstructions.

As a result, the floodway is shown in a special Flood Hazard Area. Structures in the floodway are subject to flooding by the 1% annual chance flood. Areas of special flood hazard are shown as Zone A on the Flood Insurance Rate Map. The FIRM illustrated this area subject to flooding by the 1% annual chance flood. The Flood Insurance Study report should be utilized in conjunction with the FIRM for purposes of construction and/or development.

In areas with flood elevations determined, users are encouraged to consult the Flood Profiles and Floodway Data tables in the Flood Insurance Study report.

Some areas not in Special Flood Hazard Areas may be protected by floodproofing, elevation changes, and community floodplain management activities. If flood elevations shown on the FIRM map are determined, users are encouraged to consult the Flood Profiles and Floodway Data tables in the Flood Insurance Study report.

USEFUL WEBSITES

http://www.nationalfloods.com

http://www.fema.gov

http://www.ngs.noaa.gov/NGSInformationServices/SendMessage.asp

http://www.fedweb.org

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NOTE: A community may contain areas that have not been mapped, such as in the community, flood elevations as shown on the Flood Insurance Rate Map are not necessary. To determine if flood hazard exists, a community member should refer to the Flood Insurance Study report.