



BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

NOTICE OF STUDY SESSION

Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the City of Enid, Oklahoma, the Trustees of the Enid Municipal Authority, a Public Trust, the Trustees of the Enid Economic Development Authority, a Public Trust, and the Trustees of the Enid Public Transportation Authority, a Public Trust.

Notice is hereby given that the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of the City of Enid, Oklahoma, the Trustees of the Enid Municipal Authority, a Public Trust, the Trustees of the Enid Economic Development Authority, a Public Trust, and the Enid Public Transportation Authority, a Public Trust will meet in regular session at 5:00 p.m. on the 19th day of March, 2019 in the Lower Level Conference Room of the City Administration Building, located at 401 W. Owen K. Garriott Road in said city, and the agenda for said meeting is as follows:

- AGENDA -

REGULAR STUDY SESSION AGENDA

- 1. CALL TO ORDER/ROLL CALL.
- 2. AT THE COMMISSIONERS' REQUEST, DISCUSS ANY ITEM OF CONCERN ON THE REGULAR SESSION AGENDA OF MARCH 19 2019.
- 3. PRESENT UPDATE ON THE KAW LAKE WATER SUPPLY PROJECT.
- 4. DISCUSS THE UPDATED FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (FEMA) FEDERAL INSURANCE RATE MAP (FIRM) AND REVIEW THE ACCOMPANYING FLOODPLAIN ORDINANCE.
- 5. DISCUSS THE 2019-2020 PROPOSED BUDGET CALENDAR.
- 6. ADJOURN.

City Commission Study Session

Meeting Date: 03/19/2019

SUBJECT:

DISCUSS THE UPDATED FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (FEMA) FEDERAL INSURANCE RATE MAP (FIRM) AND REVIEW THE ACCOMPANYING FLOODPLAIN ORDINANCE.

Attachments

Letter

4.



CERTIFIED MAIL
RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED



The Honorable Bill Shewey Mayor, City of Enid Post Office Box 1768 Enid, Oklahoma 73702

Dear Mayor Shewey:

I commend you for the efforts that have been put forth in implementing the floodplain management measures for the City of Enid, Oklahoma, to participate in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). As you implement these measures, I want to emphasize the following:

- a Flood Insurance Study (FIS) and Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) have been completed for your community;
- the FIS and FIRM will become effective on June 7, 2019; and
- by the FIS and FIRM effective date, the Department of Homeland Security's Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Regional Office is required to approve the legally enforceable floodplain management measures your community adopts in accordance with Title 44 Code of Federal Regulations Section 60.3(d).

As noted in FEMA's letter dated December 7, 2018, no significant changes have been made to the flood hazard data on the Preliminary and/or revised Preliminary copies of the FIRM for Garfield County. Therefore, the City of Enid should use the Preliminary and/or revised Preliminary copies of the FIRM as the basis for adopting the required floodplain management measures. Final printed copies of the FIRM for the City of Enid will be sent to you within the next few months.

If you encounter difficulties in enacting the measures, I recommend you contact the Oklahoma Water Resources Board. You may contact Yohanes Sugeng, CFM, the NFIP State Coordinator, by telephone at (405) 530-8867, in writing at 3800 North Classen Boulevard, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73118 or by electronic mail at yohanes.sugeng@owrb.ok.gov.

The FEMA Regional staff in Denton, Texas, is also available to provide technical assistance and guidance in the development of floodplain management measures. The adoption of compliant floodplain management measures will provide protection for the City of Enid and will ensure its participation in the NFIP. The Regional Office may be contacted by telephone at (940) 898-5127 or in writing. Please send your written inquiries to the Director, Mitigation Division, FEMA Region VI, at Federal Region Center, 800 North Loop 288, Denton, Texas 76209-3698.

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You may have already contacted the NFIP State Coordinator and/or the FEMA Regional Office, and may be in the final adoption process or recently adopted the appropriate measures. However, in the event your community has not adopted the appropriate measures, this letter is FEMA's official notification that you only have until June 7, 2019, to adopt and/or submit a floodplain management ordinance that meets or exceeds the minimum NFIP requirements, and request approval from the FEMA Regional Office by the effective date. Your community's adopted measures will be reviewed upon receipt and the FEMA Regional Office will notify you when the measures are approved.

I appreciate your cooperation to ensure that your community's floodplain management measures are approved by the FEMA Regional Office by June 7, 2019. Your compliance with these mandatory program requirements will enable your community to avoid suspension from the NFIP.

Sincerely,

Rachel Sears, Director

Floodplain Management Division Mitigation Directorate | FEMA

cc: Tony Robinson, Regional Administrator, FEMA Region VI Yohanes Sugeng, CFM, NFIP State Coordinator, Oklahoma Water Resources Board Robert Hitt, Engineer, City of Enid