

Okaloosa County News Release

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Okaloosa County Preliminary Flood Information Available Through NWF Water Management District

The public will have two opportunities to review Okaloosa County flood maps updated by FEMA and The Northwest Florida Water Management District (NWFWMD). Open House meetings are scheduled as follows:

June 28, 2016, from 4 until 7 PM: Okaloosa County Commission meeting room at 1250 Eglin Parkway, Shalimar

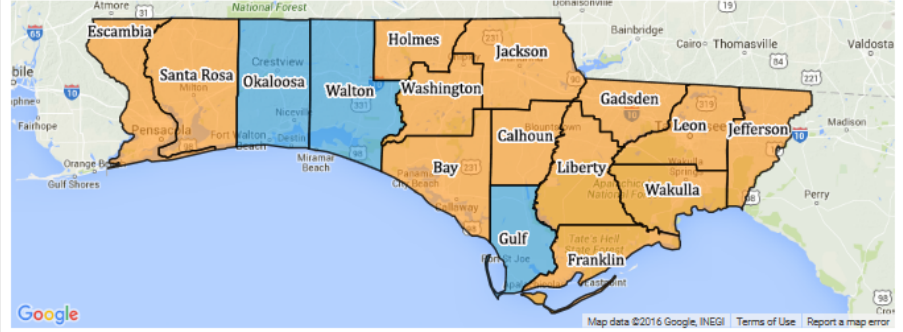
June 29, 2016, 4 until 7 PM: City of Crestview Warrior Hall, 201 Stillwell Boulevard in Crestview

Citizens are encouraged to view the maps online and/or at the Open House. The NWFMD has created a "portal" to access flood information and resources at the following link:

<http://portal.nfwmdfloodmaps.com/>. Select the county and type in your address to get flood information.

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Web page "Snip" below for details:

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| <p>For additional information on these upcoming Public Open House Meeting please contact NWFWMD at 850-539-5999.</p> | | | | | | | |