

Use and Limitations of Floodplain Maps

Users must note the dates of base mapping, aerial photography, river surveys and issue of mapping relevant to dates of development in the map area. Subsequent developments or changes within the floodplain or channel (natural or constructed) will affect flood levels and render site-specific map

Floodplain maps are administrative tools which depict minimum flood elevations and floodplain boundaries. Flooding may occur outside of the designated floodplain boundary.

Floodplain maps do not provide information on site-specific flood hazards such as, land erosion or high water velocity, sudden shifts in the channel of the watercourse, or alluvial and debris flow fan areas.

Other sources of water, roads, railways or other barriers can restrict water flow and affect local flood levels. As well, obstructions such as ice and debris, flooding in surrounding areas, channel deposition, groundwater or other phenomena can cause flood levels to exceed those indicated on the map. Land adjacent to a floodplain may be subject to flooding from tributary watercourses.

Floodplain maps do not indicate or locate legal survey boundaries. A site survey is required to reconcile property location, ground elevations, and designated flood level information.

Professional assistance and detailed engineering analysis are required to address any of the above

Approved;

Deputy Minister

ISSUE OF MAPPING

DATE DECEMBER, 1982

The accuracy of the location of a floodplain boundary as shown on this map is limited by the base topography. It is generally assumed to be plus or minus one-half the increment of the ground contours.

NOTES FLOODPLAIN DATA REVISIONS LEGEND KEY MAP Province of Ministry of Environment British Columbia Water Management Branch a) Floodplain limits and flood profiles computed using a standard step method modelling technique. DESCRIPTION 0305030-29 Produced by British Columbia Water Management Branch, Floodplain Limit FLOODPLAIN MAPPING Floodplain Mapping Program. b) Floodplain limits shown assume the absence of all dykes, Survey: Field survey done by Planning and Surveys Section, MAPPING INFORMATION c) <u>Floodplain limits</u> and <u>flood</u> <u>levels</u> <u>include</u> <u>allowance</u> <u>for</u> <u>freeboard</u>. NORTH THOMPSON RIVER Water Management Branch. 1:5000 a) Horizontal control based on provincial network. b) Vertica! control based on Geodetic Survey of Canada (1968) d) <u>Position</u> of <u>floodplain</u> <u>boundary</u> <u>not</u> <u>established</u> <u>on</u> <u>the ground</u> <u>by</u> CHECKED L.S. legal survey. (indicates Survey Monument) DRAWING No. LITTLE FORT TO VAVENBY Mapping: Base mapping done by Map Production Division, e) Floodplain limits are not delineated for side streams and tributaries, Flood levels in metres FLOODPLAIN MAPPING Surveys and Mapping Branch. except as noted. above G.S.C. Datum a) Contour interval — I metre and greater ; spot elevations shown to O.I metres , with accuracy to O.3 metres , A5302 - 38 CHECKED R.W.N. f) See City of Kamloops Bylow II-27 and Thompson-Nicola Regional District Bylows I3O (Clearwater) and 500 (Electoral Areas A,B, and C) for required setback of buildings from the natural boundaries of lakes and watercourses to allow for the passage of flood waters and possible bank erosion.

350.0 1:200 Year Frequency

349.5 I:20 Year Frequency

(freeboard included)

except where noted.

b) Grid origin referred to U.T.M. Projection, Zone 10 (1975) Final Floodplain Mapping produced by Planning Subsection,
Water Management Branch.

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