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Boyertown, Pennsylvania 19512

IN REPLY REFER TO:
Case No.: 98-03-912A
Community: Township of Pike, Berks County, Pennsylvania
Community No.: 421382
Map Panel Affected: Berks County, Pennsylvania (All Jurisdictions)
Panel Number: 42011C0414 E
Map Effective Date: December 5, 1997

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We reviewed a request submitted on your behalf by Congressman Tim Holden, dated March 23, 1998, for a Letter of Map Amendment (LOMA). All required information for this request was received on April 7, 1998. Using the information submitted and the effective National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) map, we determined that a portion of the property described below is located in a Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA), the area that would be inundated by the flood having a 1-percent chance of being equaled or exceeded in any given year (base flood); however, the residential structure on the property is not in the SFHA.

Property Description:	A 8 acre parcel of land, as described and recorded in Warranty Deed Book 2751, Pages 1721 and 1722, filed on June 19, 1996 in the Berks County Recorder of Deeds' Office
Street Address:	463 Old State Road

This letter amends the above-referenced NFIP map to remove the residential structure from the SFHA. The residential structure is now located in Zone X (unshaded). Flood insurance coverage for the residential structure may be available under a low-cost policy (see enclosed document). Because portions of the property remain in the SFHA, any future construction or substantial improvement on the property remains subject to Federal, Commonwealth, and local regulations for floodplain management.

An additional enclosed document provides information about LOMAs. If you have any questions about this letter, please contact Ms. Helen Cohn of our staff in Washington, D.C., either by telephone at (202) 646-3457 or by facsimile at (202) 646-4596.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

cc: Commonwealth Coordinator (w/o enclosures)
Region (w/o enclosures)
Community Map Repository
Congressman Tim Holden