Federal Emergency Management Agency

Washington, D.C. 20472

LETTER OF MAP AMENDMENT
DETERMINATION DOCUMENT (OUT AS SHOWN)

COMMUNITY AND MAP PANEL INFORMATION		LEGAL PROPERTY DESCRIPTION
COMMUNITY	TOWNSHIP OF BETHLEHEM, NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA	Lot 82A, Emerald Hills - Phase 7, as described in Deed Instrument Number 2000023701, recorded in Volume 2000-1, Pages 81355 through 81357, filed on June 30, 2000, by the Recorder of Deeds, Northampton County, Pennsylvania
	COMMUNITY NO.: 420980	
AFFECTED MAP PANEL	NUMBER: 42095C0262D	
	NAME: NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA (ALL JURISDICTIONS)	
	DATE: 04/06/2001	
FLOODING SOURCE: NANCY RUN		APPROXIMATE LATITUDE & LONGITUDE OF PROPERTY: 40.659, -75.315 SOURCE OF LAT & LONG: PRECISION MAPPING STREETS 6.0 DATUM: NAD 83

DETERMINATION

LOT	BLOCK/ SECTION	SUBDIVISION	STREET	OUTCOME WHAT IS OUTSIDE OF THE SFHA	FLOOD ZONE	1% ANNUAL CHANCE FLOOD ELEVATION (NGVD 29)	LOWEST ADJACENT GRADE ELEVATION (NGVD 29)	LOWEST LOT ELEVATION (NGVD 29)
82A	—	Emerald Hills - Phase 7	3010 Willow Court	Property	X (unshaded)	—	—	—

Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA) - The SFHA is an area that would be inundated by the flood having a 1-percent chance of being equaled or exceeded in any given year (base flood).

ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS (Please refer to the appropriate section on Attachment 1 for the additional considerations listed below.)

ZONE A

This document provides the Federal Emergency Management Agency's determination regarding a request for a Letter of Map Amendment for the property described above. Using the information submitted and the effective National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) map, we have determined that the property(ies) is/are not located in the SFHA, an area inundated by the flood having a 1-percent chance of being equaled or exceeded in any given year (base flood). The subject property is correctly shown outside the SFHA located on the effective NFIP map; therefore, the Federal mandatory flood insurance requirement does not apply. If the policy has been written using an incorrect zone, it can be endorsed to correct the zone for the current policy year and one prior policy term. Please contact the insurance agent or company involved to request endorsement of the policy. However, the lender has the option to continue the flood insurance requirement to protect its financial risk on the loan. A Preferred Risk Policy (PRP) is available for buildings located outside the SFHA. Information about the PRP and how one can apply is enclosed.

This determination is based on the flood data presently available. The enclosed documents provide additional information regarding this determination. If you have any questions about this document, please contact the FEMA Map Assistance Center toll free at (877) 336-2627 (877-FEMA MAP) or by letter addressed to the Federal Emergency Management Agency, P.O. Box 2210, Merrifield, VA 22116-2210. Additional information about the NFIP is available on our web site at http://www.fema.gov/nfip/.

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ATTACHMENT 1 (ADDITIONAL CONSIDERATIONS)

ZONE A (This Additional Consideration applies to the preceding 1 Property.)

The National Flood Insurance Program map affecting this property depicts a Special Flood Hazard Area that was determined using the best flood hazard data available to FEMA, but without performing a detailed engineering analysis. The flood elevation used to make this determination is based on approximate methods and has not been formalized through the standard process for establishing base flood elevations published in the Flood Insurance Study. This flood elevation is subject to change.

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