

Stormwater and Flood Ordinance Modifications

Alterations to Existing Language

Existing - Article 8, Section B (4)(a) - Manufactured Homes

“For all manufactured homes that are placed or substantially improved within a floodplain and flood-prone area that are moved onto sites for manufactured homes within an existing manufactured home park in which a manufactured home has not incurred substantial damage as a result of a flood, require that:

- *All manufactured homes meet the minimum FEMA requirements;*
- *Stand or lots are created so that the lowest floor of the manufactured home is at or above the design flood elevation;*
- *Adequate surface drainage and access for a hauler are provided; and;*
- *Manufactured homes shall be placed in a floodplain area on a pad site created by compacted fill or supported.”*

Proposed - Article 8, Section B (4)(a) - Manufactured Homes

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Existing - Article 8, Section B, Item 9e – Additional Construction Standards for Structures

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