



2028 Regional Flood Plan

Exhibit D Technical Guidelines

Update Summaries

Initial Publication: January 2, 2025

Update #2: July 30, 2025

Summary:

1. Section 3.11, Page 68, Table 25: Addition of new conditionally required field
Emergency Need Description (EMER_DESC)

Feature Alias	Required?	Field Name	Data Type	Guidance	Valid Entries
Emergency Need Description	N	EMER_DESC	Text	Description of emergency need. Conditionally required if EMER_NEED='Yes'	

2. Section 3.12, Page 74, Table 26: Emergency Need Description field is now conditionally required if EMER_NEED='Yes'.
3. Section 3.13, Page 85, Table 28: Addition of new conditionally required field
Emergency Need Description (EMER_DESC)

Feature Alias	Required?	Field Name	Data Type	Guidance	Valid Entries
Emergency Need Description	N	EMER_DESC	Text	Description of emergency need. Conditionally required if EMER_NEED='Yes'	

4. Section 3.3.1, Page 24, Table 6: Added 'Flood Early Warning System' as valid entry for Infrastructure Type field (INFRA_TYPE). Flood Early Warning System should include area of coverage.

Update #1: June 12, 2025

Summary:

1. Section 3, Page 17, Table 2: Feature class ExFpMP revised to ExFldMng.

Feature Class	ID Field	Feature Class Number	Guidance	Starting ID
ExFldMng	ENTITY_ID		Use ENTITY ID	Use ENTITY ID

2. Section 3.1, Page 12, Table 1: Feature class description revised to “Entities and political subdivision with flood-related authority and/ or whether they are actively engaged in flood planning, floodplain management, and flood mitigation activities”.
3. Section 3.1, Page 19, Table 2: Addition of the new required field Flood-related Authority (FLD_AUTH)

Feature Alias	Required?	Field Name	Data Type	Guidance	Valid Entries
Flood-related Authority	Y	FLD_AUTH	Text	Does the entity have flood-related authority?	Yes, No

4. Section 3.1, Page 19: Feature class description and guidelines revised to “Identifies entities and political subdivision with flood-related authority and/or whether they are actively engaged in flood planning, floodplain management, and flood mitigation activities”.