Proposed changes to CRS Coordinators Manual

Tentative and subject to change

2020 Manual update will review all activities/elements with possibility of restructuring points Discussion has included a Class 9 prerequisite of 1 foot of freeboard.

2017 Manual update will primarily be for errata and clarifications

200 series

(Class 4 & Class 1 prerequisites) Future conditions for coastal communities is to include impacts of sea level rise (defined as the median projections for year 2100)

400 series

Mapping special hazards (uncertain flow paths/CMZ, tsunami, coastal erosion) written into the manual instead of reference to other publications

Clarify areas that must be excluded from impact adjustment map (open water greater than 10 acres, federal lands greater than 10 acres, rivers with banks drawn on FIRM wider than 500 feet)

New mapping credit for CTP is going away with the points added to the total for new mapping elements

Credit for special hazards open space (SHOS) increase from 50 to 150 points. Gives extra credit for preserving areas subject to high hazards like channel migration.

Stormwater Management Regulation adds 25 points for using LID to the maximum extent possible. This is met by adoption of the DOE SWM Manual equivalent for a communities NPDES permit

500 series

Repetitive loss categories change for when a repetitive loss area analysis and management plan has to be adopted. Increases number of structures from 10 to 50 to be a category C.

CDR is no longer prerequisite for other elements such as, Problem site maintenance (PSM) & Capital improvement programs (CIP). Clarify that channel debris removal (CDR) is for "natural channels".

600 series

Simplifying stated prerequisites for Class 4 & Class 1 and pointing to Activities 620 (levees) and 630 (dams) that need maps and inventory of building types exposed to the hazards.

Add provisions for flash flood systems and monitoring of rainfall amounts within the watershed rather than flood levels in a stream.

Expand description of emergency warning systems (EWD) for aggregate credit