

# FLOOD HAZARD NOTICE

(Notice Of Special Flood Hazards and Availability Of Federal Disaster Relief Assistance)

Applicant(s):	Lender:
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You have applied to us for a loan secured by real estate or a mobile home in the amount of \_\_\_\_\_ located or to be located at:

## NOTICE 1: Notice to Borrower of Special Flood Hazard Area

We are giving you this notice to inform you that:

- The building securing the loan for which you have applied is or will be located in an area with special flood hazards.
- The mobile home securing the loan for which you have applied is or will be located in an area with special flood hazards.

The area has been identified by the Director of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) as a special flood hazard area using FEMA's Flood Insurance Rate Map or the Flood Hazard Boundary Map for the following community: \_\_\_\_\_ . This area has at least a one percent (1%) chance of a flood equal to or exceeding the base flood elevation (a 100-year flood) in any given year. During the life of a 30-year mortgage loan, the risk of a 100-year flood in a special flood hazard area is 26 percent (26%).

Federal law allows a lender and borrower jointly to request the Director of FEMA to review the determination of whether the property securing the loan is located in a special flood hazard area. If you would like to make such a request, please contact us for further information.

## NOTICE 2: Notice to Borrower about Federal Disaster Relief Assistance (The ONE section indicated below applies to your application. Please read carefully.)

- The community in which the property securing the loan is located participates in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). Federal law will not allow us to make you the loan that you have applied for if you do not purchase flood insurance. The flood insurance must be maintained for the life of the loan. If you fail to purchase or renew flood insurance on the property, federal law authorizes and requires us to purchase the flood insurance for you at your expense.
  - Flood Insurance coverage under the NFIP may be purchased through an insurance agent who will obtain the policy either directly through the NFIP or through an insurance company that participates in the NFIP. Flood insurance also may be available from private insurers that participate in the NFIP.
  - At a minimum, flood insurance purchased must cover the lesser of:
    1. The outstanding principal balance of the loan; or
    2. The maximum amount of coverage allowed for the type of property under the NFIP.Flood insurance coverage under the NFIP is limited to the overall value of the property securing the loan minus the value of the land on which the property is located.
  - Federal disaster relief assistance (usually in the form of a low-interest loan) may be available for damages incurred in excess of your flood insurance if your community's participation in the NFIP is in accordance with NFIP requirements.
- Flood insurance coverage under the NFIP is not available for the property securing the loan because the community in which the property is located does not participate in the NFIP. In addition, if the non-participating community has been identified for at least one year as containing a special flood hazard area, properties located in the community will not be eligible for federal disaster relief assistance in the event of a Federally-declared flood disaster.

I/we have received a copy of this disclosure.

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Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**FLOOD DISASTER  
PROTECTION ACT OF 1973**

DATE:

APPLICATION NO:

PROPERTY ADDRESS:

I/We hereby acknowledge that we have been advised of the Flood Disaster Protection Act of 1973 and the requirements that I/We provide such insurance coverage on any property located within an area designated as a Flood Hazard Area. Should the subject property fall within a flood hazard area as defined in the Act, then I/We authorize its successors and/or assigns to purchase such insurance and I/We further agree to pay promptly the cost thereof.

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