



FACT SHEET

February 2015

Flood Plain Management Study - Sandusky County, OH

Section 206 of the 1960 Flood Control Act, as amended
General Investigations

Location

- Streams and rivers located within the Sandusky County

Project Description

- A Flood Plain Management Study will create a hydrologic and hydraulic model for the Sandusky River and Raccoon Creek in Clyde, Ohio for the purposes of defining the 1% and .2% chance of exceedance (100 and 500-year flood plain) in the study areas

Importance

- Updated flood plain information will assist local officials in zoning and flood plain management in the community

Consequences

- Without updated studies; communities will not have accurate and current flood plain information and sound flood plain management will be difficult to enforce

Project Phase*	Estimated Federal Cost	Federal Funding Thru FY14	FY15 Requirement	FY15 Budget	FY16 Requirement	FY16 Budget
FPMS -Sandusky County**	\$250k	\$50k	\$118k	\$118k	\$125k	\$0

* FPMS Studies are 100% Federally financed

** A more accurate estimate is being developed

Project Sponsor/Customer

- State of Ohio
- Sandusky County Residents

Congressional Interests

- Representative Bob Latta R-OH-5
- Senator Rob Portman R-OH
- Senator Sherrod Brown D-OH

Current Status

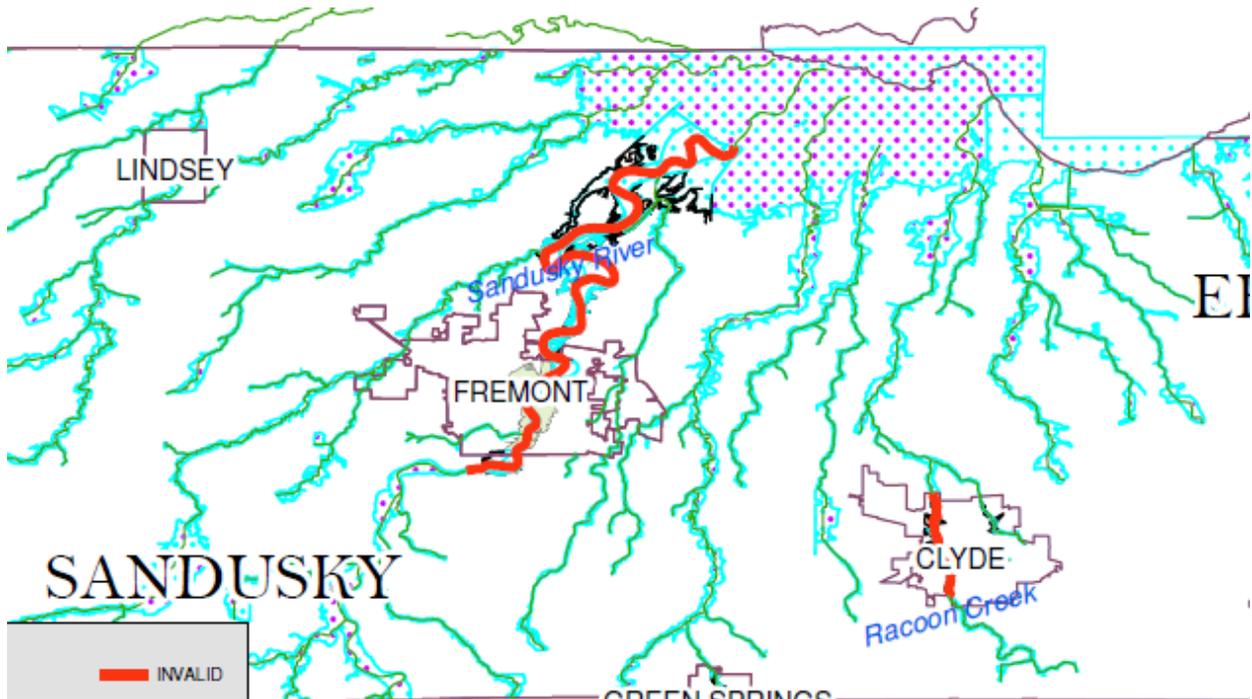
- Prioritization of water bodies needing updated studies was coordinated with Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), US Geological Survey (USGS), Ohio Emergency Management Agency

(OEMA) and Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR)

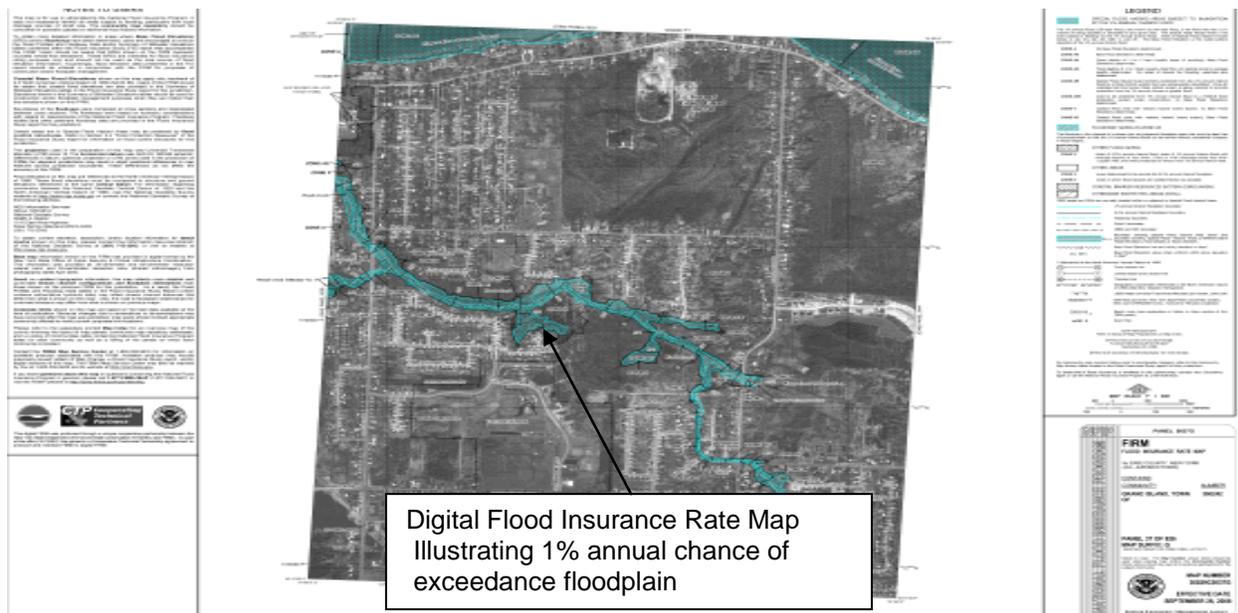
- Resource agencies are providing available background data
- It is anticipated this study will be completed in March 2015
- Additional work could be addressed if funding were made available
- The completed reports and technical studies will be provided to FEMA as an application for a Letter of Map Revision

Issues

- None



Source: ODNR; Figure representing areas in need of updated studies in Sandusky County



Example of Digital Flood Insurance Rate Map

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