

Community Rating System





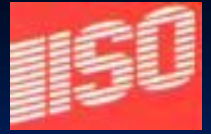
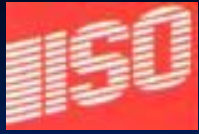
What Is The CRS?

- FEMA program administered by ISO
- Recognition for going above and beyond minimum NFIP standards
- VOLUNTARY Incentive Program
- 18 creditable community Activities
- Based on a 10 Class system. 500 pts. per Class
- 5% insurance premium discount per Class



Premium Discounts

Class	Points	SFHA	Non-SFHA
1	4,500	45%	10%
2	4,000	40%	10%
3	3,500	35%	10%
4	3,000	30%	10%
5	2,500	25%	10%
6	2,000	20%	10%
7	1,500	15%	5%
8	1,000	10%	5%
9	500	5%	5%
10		0	0



Savings to a Community

- Reduced insurance premiums for residents
- Better organized and documented floodplain mgmt. program = less stress



CRS Application Process

- Must be in Regular Phase of NFIP for at least 1 year
- Pass a CAV from IDNR
- Send CRS request letter to FEMA and get their approval
- Call me to schedule your Application visit.



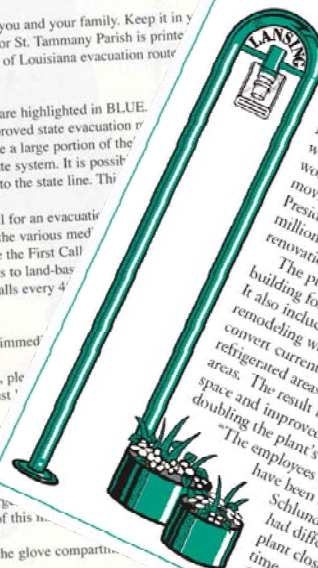
CRS Activities

- *300 Public Information Activities*
 - 310 Elevation Certificates
 - 320 Map Information
 - 330 Outreach Projects



All Dallas residents can buy flood insurance

Kevin C. Davis
Parish President



the employees at the Lansing plant have been tremendous," said Paul Schlundt, Plant Manager. "We had different sections of the plant closed off at any given time and we didn't miss a beat filling orders."

NFIP/CRS

VILLAGE VISION

NEWSPAPER OF THE VILLAGE OF LANSING, ILLINOIS

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Mayor Podgorski wins relay for life challenge

Mayor Dan Podgorski was declared the winner of a bet with Calumet City Mayor Michelle Parkiewicz Qualkinbush at the closing ceremonies for the Calumet Region's Relay for Life to raise money for the American Cancer Society. For the record, Mayor Podgorski's team won, bringing in \$8,097, while Calumet City's team raised \$1,000.

Podgorski, a field representative for the American Cancer Society, said both teams did well, but his team raised more money. He said he was especially proud of the Calumet City team.



Podgorski and Qualkinbush were joined by other local officials and community members at the closing ceremonies. The event was held at the Calumet Region's Relay for Life, which is a fundraising event for the American Cancer Society.



Relay for Life volunteers at the candle-light ceremony

Land O'Frost completes major expansion here

Land O'Frost, Inc. recently completed a major expansion and renovation to its Lansing facility. The project increased the size of the Lansing facility by approximately 40% and may add as many as 50 jobs in the next five years, and may add as grateful to the Village of Lansing for the expansion, said Bill Matison, Vice President of Operations. The company is currently in the process of raising the Lansing facility to the Village of Lansing.

Relay for Life volunteers at the candle-light ceremony

In other news, Land O'Frost is sponsoring five baseball teams in the Lansing Little League as well as a softball team. The surrounding community is part of the program. The company is currently in the process of raising the Lansing facility to the Village of Lansing.

For expansion here

In other news, Land O'Frost is also sponsoring five baseball teams in the Lansing Little League as well as another 149 teams in surrounding communities. These sponsorships are part of a nationwide Youth Sports Sponsorship Initiative that will include over 6,300 teams and over 70,000 children in 2004. "Sponsorship of youth sports programs has

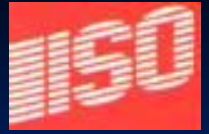
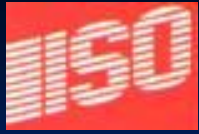
Fall flood news
Special insert on pages 5 & 6
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A special insert in this issue of the Village Vision gives important information pertaining to help with flood, drainage, and sewer backup problems. Please be sure to review this insert about flood-related concerns.

You can learn if you are in a mapped flood zone and obtain information needed for writing a flood insurance policy from the Building Department at 3404 Lake Street or 395-7193. Also, ask for a free copy of the Village Guide to Flood Protection available at the Building Department. The guide includes many helpful ideas on what you can do to be ready for the next storm.

St. Tammany



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- *300 Public Information Activities*
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 - 330 Outreach Projects
 - 340 Hazard Disclosure
 - 350 Flood Protection Information
 - 360 Flood Protection Assistance

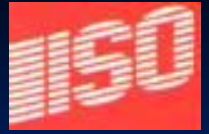
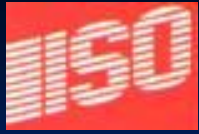


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- *400 Mapping & Regulatory Activities*
 - 410 Additional Flood Data
 - 420 Open Space Preservation



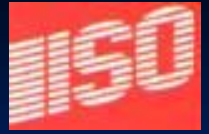
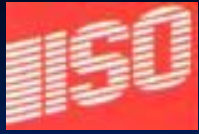




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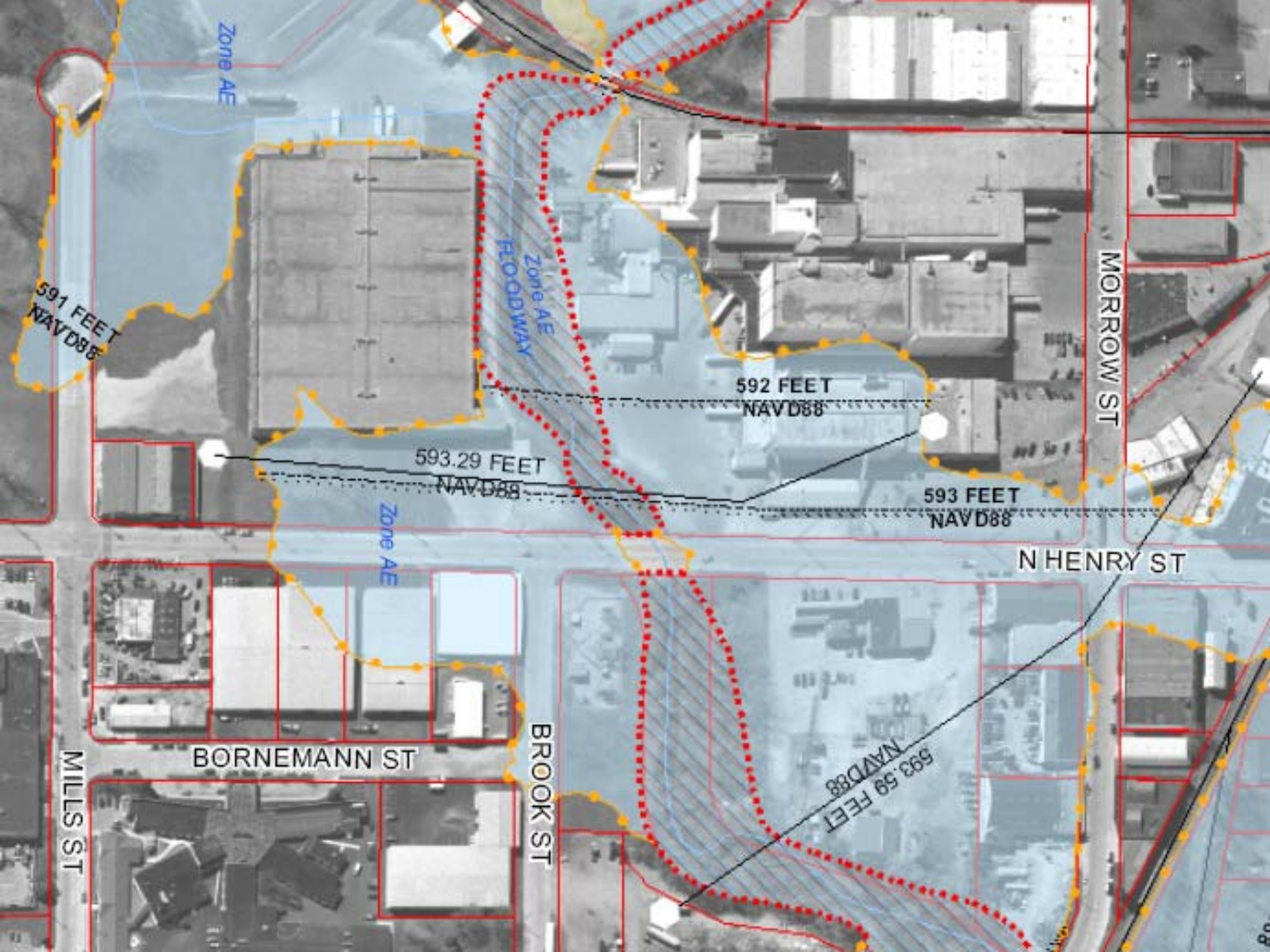
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 - 440 Flood Data Maintenance



Zone AE

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FLOODWAY

591 FEET
NAVD88

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593.29 FEET
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Zone AE

N HENRY ST

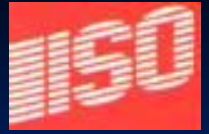
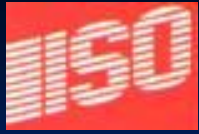
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BROOK ST

MILLS ST

MORROW ST

593.59 FEET
NAVD88

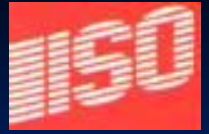
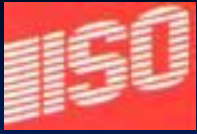


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 - 430 Higher Regulatory Standards
 - 440 Flood Data Maintenance
 - 450 Stormwater Management



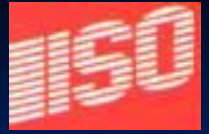
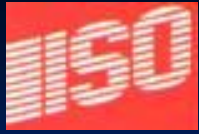




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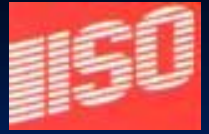




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 - 530 Flood Protection
 - 540 Drainage System Maintenance



NO
DUMPING



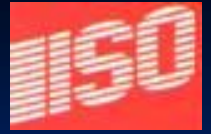
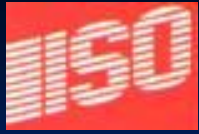
CRS Activities

- *600 Flood Preparedness Activities*
 - 610 Flood Warning Program
 - 620 Levee Safety
 - 630 Dam Safety



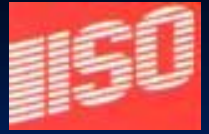
Benefits to Community

- Money stays in your community
- Free technical assistance
- Evaluation vs. State and National benchmarks
- Public Information educates residents
- Improved flood protection
- Incentive to keep implementing
- Better organized and documented floodplain mgmt. program = less stress



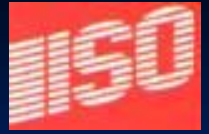
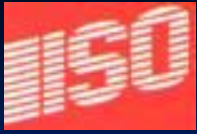
“Costs” to Community

- Successful CAV
- Designate a CRS Coordinator
- Recertify Annually
- Record Retention – File Maintenance
 - ECs, permit records, old FIRMs forever
 - CRS records for 5 years



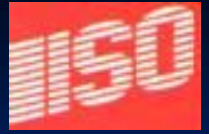
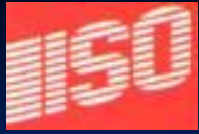
CRS Coordinator Responsibilities

- Read Certain Parts of The Manual
- Document programs
- On-going file maintenance
- Meet with CRS Specialist once every 5 years
- Ask the CRS Specialist all your questions so you don't have to know everything
- Choose Activities to implement



CRS Requirements

1. Maintain Correct Elevation Certificates



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2. Address your Repetitive Loss Properties
(as prescribed by CRS Manual)

CRS Repetitive Loss

Category A (0) Do Nothing



Category B (1~9)

- ~Determine cause of flooding
- ~Map the Rep Loss Area(s)
- ~Annual Outreach Project
 - ~Mailing List
- ~Fill out AW-500-1 Form
- ~# of bldgs. in Rep Loss Area(s)

Category C (10+)

- Everything a Cat. B community has to do

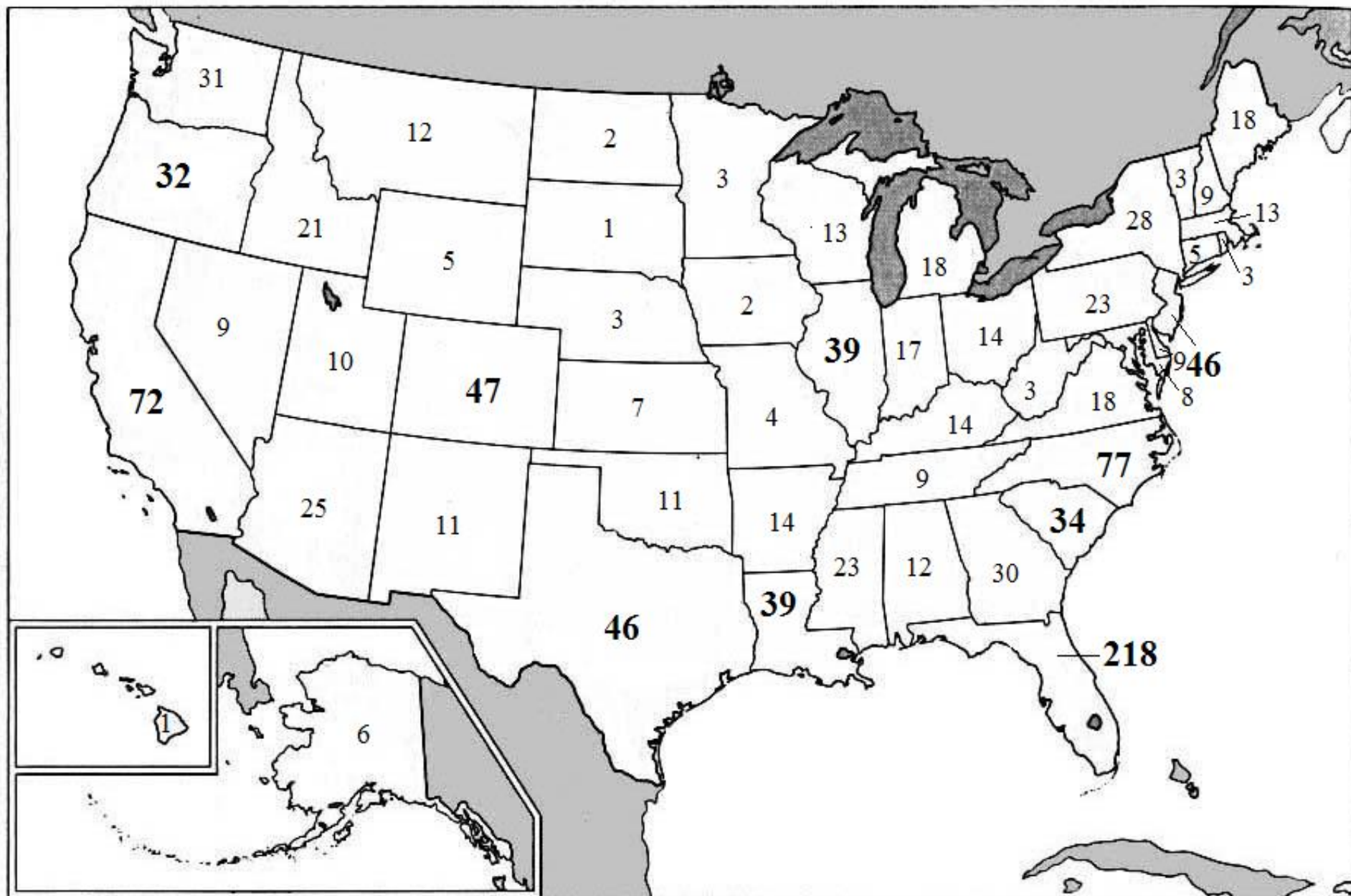
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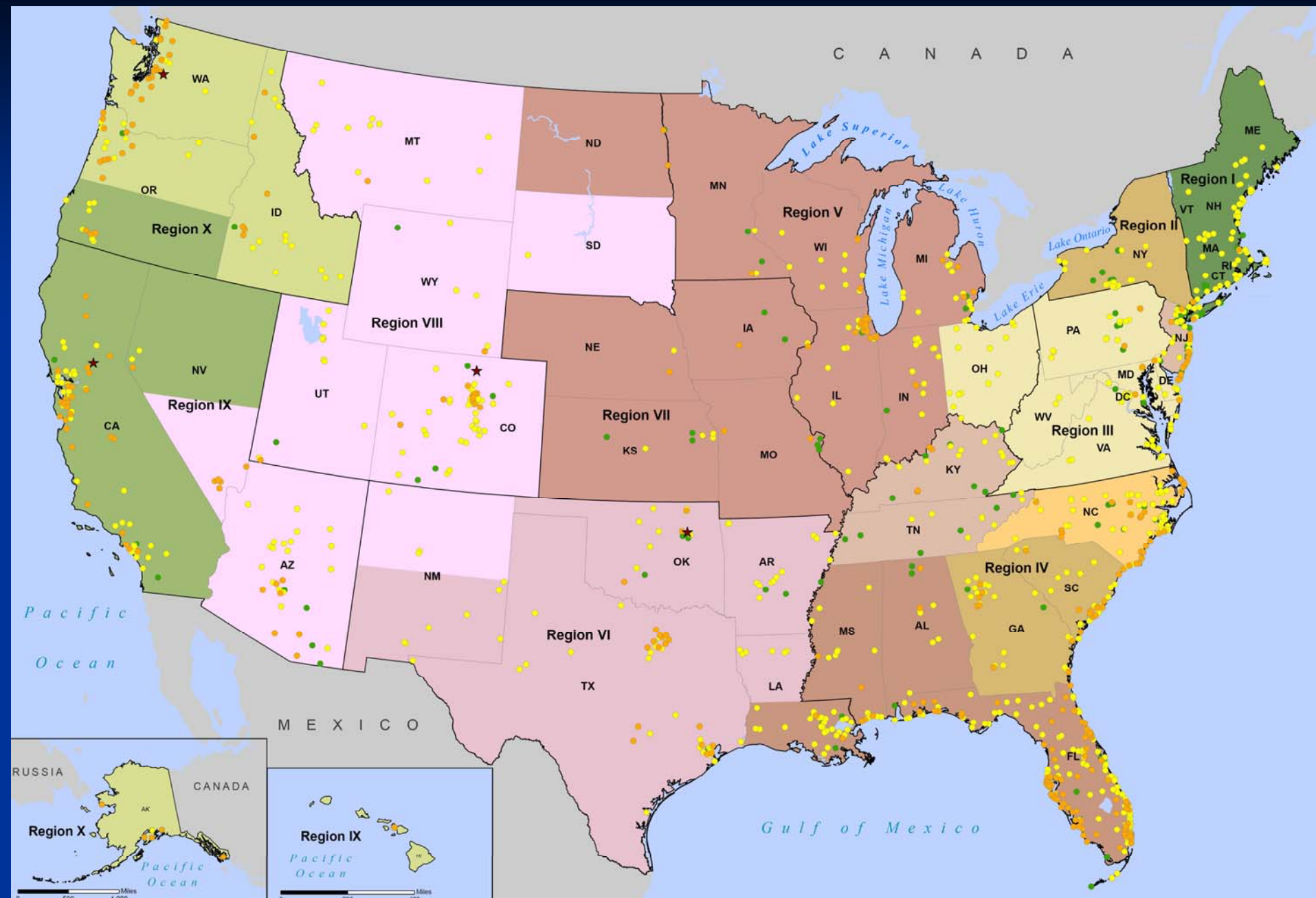
- Adopt a Floodplain Management Plan (All Hazards Plan)

or

- Create a Rep Loss Area Analysis

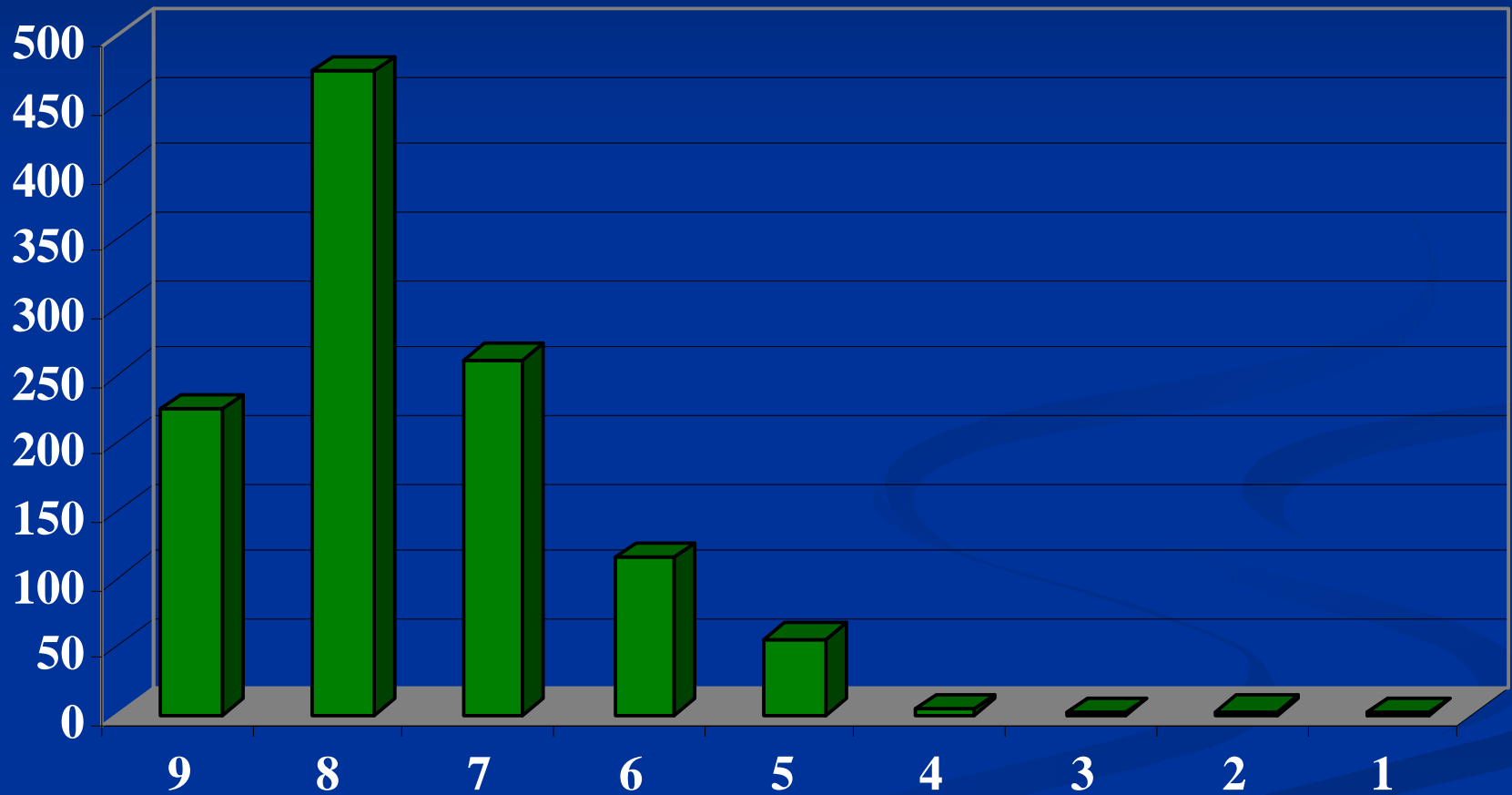
CRS by State



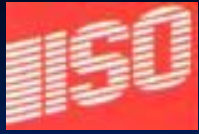




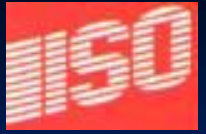
CRS Classifications



1,138 CRS Communities as of 5-1-10



CRS Classifications



Class 4

Sacramento County, CA

Fort Collins, CO

Charleston County, SC

Skagit County, WA

Class 2

Tulsa, OK

King County, WA

Class 3

Pierce County, WA

Class 1

Roseville, CA



CRS STATS

- Currently 39 in Illinois
- 30 in Chicagoland area
- 7 New since 2005
- 5 New Apps pending
- Tied~7th in Nation
- 5 Class 5's
- Avg. Class is 7.0
- 11,151 policies subject to CRS discounts
- CRS discounts = \$1.2 million/yr
- \$106 ~ Avg. savings per policy
- 7 of the Top 10 policy-count communities



Illinois CRS Communities

Class 8's

Adams County

Carpentersville

Country Club Hills

Dekalb

Downers Grove

Flossmoor

Jersey County

LaSalle County

Prospect Heights

Riverwoods

Sangamon County

St. Charles

Whiteside County

Willowbrook



Illinois CRS Communities

Class 7's

Addison

Bartlett

Des Plaines

Glendale Heights

Hoffman Estates

Lansing

Lake County

Lake in the Hills

Mount Prospect

Northbrook

Oak Brook

Palatine

Rock Island County

Sugar Grove

Tinley Park

Wheeling



Illinois CRS Communities

Class 6's

Calumet City

Deerfield

Lisle



Illinois CRS Communities

Class 5's

Lincolnshire

Orland Hills

Peoria County

South Holland

Wood Dale



“Automatic” Credits

- Uniform Minimum Credits

Statewide CRS credits – automatic

▶ 249 pts.

- Model Ordinances

NE IL ordinance – 405 pts.

Downstate ordinance – 300 pts.



Sample Class 9



Brief CRS Application Review for Class 9 – (500+ points)

- Activity 310 – Elevation Certificates (Required) [56 points]
- Activity 320 – Map Information Service [140 points]
- Activity 330 – Outreach Project [+/-65 points]
- **Activity 340 – Hazard Disclosure [10 points]**
(State Regulations on Disclosure)
- Activity 350 – Flood Protection Information (Library) [42 points]
Website
- **Activity 410 – Additional Flood Data [+/-150 points]**
(A Zones prorated)
FWS (150 points) – Higher Floodway Standard



Sample Class 9



- Activity 420 – Open Space Preservation [36 points]
OS (min. 5 acres OS in SFHA)
- Activity 430 – **Higher Regulatory Standards** [+/-25 points]
SMS (25 points) – State Mandated Standards
- Activity 630 – **Dam Safety** [59 points]

TOTAL **[+/- 583 POINTS]**

Note: Bold indicates Uniform Minimum Credit points given to a community automatically.

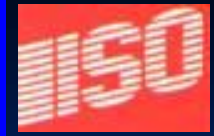
Note: State Wide CRS Credits based on State Regulations varies between Downstate and Northeastern 6 Counties.

Note: Class 9 (500 - 1000 points = 5% Discount on Flood Policy Premiums)
Class 8 (1000 - 1500 points = 10% Discount)

Help

- ✓ State
- ✓ FEMA
- ✓ Publications
- ✓ Other CRS communities
- ✓ CRS Website~
<http://training.fema.gov/EMIWeb/CRS/>
- ✓ ISO/CRS Specialist





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