• Grafton – From one of the most flood prone towns in the United States to a town with minimal risk.
SHAWNEETOWN - 1937
Construction / Destruction / Reconstruction
Local jurisdictions with a DMA2k approved plan. (32% of State)

Local jurisdictions that are developing DMA2k plans (37% of State)

Local jurisdiction ineligible for PDM planning funds because they don’t participate in the NFIP.
Funding Sources

Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)

Flood Mitigation Assistance Program (FMAP)

PreDisaster Mitigation (PDM)

Repetitive Flood Claims (RFC)

Severe Repetitive Loss (SRL)

406 Funds – Public Assistance Mitigation
State Priorities for Funding

a) Jurisdictions who have an approved DMA2k plan or are developing a DMA2k plan (as of 11/04)

b) NFIP participation, priority to unsanctioned jurisdictions. Do your damage assessments.

c) Structures that are substantially damaged

d) Projects that mitigate against the loss of human life will take priority over mitigating property loss.

e) Critical facilities that a retrofit will substantially reduce the risk
Priorities for Funding

f) Repetitive loss properties with priority given to the target list

g) Highest benefit/cost ratio

h) Acquisitions will receive priority over elevations

i) Minor structural projects that will relieve widespread but minor damage (inlet control valves)

j) Project will solve the problem independently or is part of another solution with assurance that the project will be completed
DCEO Flood Recovery Funds

- $17 million – Jurisdictions in FEMA 1771
- $169 million – Declared in 2008
- $48 million targeted for infrastructure
- Can be used as matching funds

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Methods to Mitigate Floods

- Levees
- Wet Floodproofing
- Dry Floodproofing
- Regulations (NFIP)
- Elevations
- Acquisitions
- Inlet Control Valves
- Structural Projects
- Public Education
Thank You

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