



## Important Notification

### Flood Insurance Rate Map Changes

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The federal government is updating Talbot County's Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs). Two meetings will be held for the public to learn more about the changes and how they may affect their property and flood insurance rates. The meetings are scheduled as follows, both covering the same material:

**Date:** Wednesday, May 9, 2012

**Times:** 3:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

**Location:** Cafeteria, Easton High School, 723 Mecklenburg Avenue, Easton

The public is encouraged to attend. Representatives from the Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) and Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) will make a presentation and discuss the process and the program changes. The public will be able to view a flood map of their property as well as ask questions and comment on the new Flood Insurance Study and Updated Digital Flood Insurance Rate Maps (DFIRMs). Additional meetings are anticipated to be held later this summer.

For more information, visit: [www.mdfloodmaps.com](http://www.mdfloodmaps.com), [www.msc.fema.gov](http://www.msc.fema.gov) or [www.talbotcountymd.gov](http://www.talbotcountymd.gov) or call the Talbot County Office of Planning and Zoning at (410) 770-8030.