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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

RE: Des Moines Public Library Information Services
Flood Information Available

The Des Moines Public Library currently has the following listed flood related documents available for public use on the second floor of the Central Library located at 1000 Grand Avenue:

- Mandatory Purchase of Flood Insurance Guidelines, FEMA-186, 1999*
- Repairing Your Flooded Home, FEMA-234, 1992*
- Homeowner's Guide to Retrofitting, FEMA-312, 1998*
- Above the Flood: Elevating Your Flood-prone House, FEMA-347, 2000*
- Elevated Residential Structures, FEMA-54, 1984*
- Manufactured Home Installation in Flood Hazard Areas, FEMA-85, 1985*
- Floodproofing Nonresidential Structures, FEMA-102, 1986*
- Design Manual for Retrofitting Flood-prone Residential Structures, FEMA-114, 1986*
- A Unified National Program for Flood Plain Management, FEMA-100, March 1986*
- Design Guidelines for Flood Damage Reduction, FEMA-15, 1991*
- Protecting Floodplain Resources: A Guidebook for Communities, FEMA-268, 1995*
- How to Clean Up After a Flood, Story County Extension Office/ISU Extension, no date*
- Guide to Flood Maps: How to Use a Flood Map to Determine Flood Risk for a Property, March 2006*
- Planning for a Sustainable Future: The Link Between Hazard Mitigation and Livability, FEMA-364, September 2006*
- City of Des Moines Flood Plain Development Regulations, current Code
- City of Des Moines Flood Insurance Rate Maps, 1988 (current)
- City of Des Moines Flood Insurance Study, 1988 (current)
- City of Des Moines Site Plan Ordinance, current Code
- City of Des Moines Zoning Ordinance, Floodplain and Floodway districts, current Code
- City of Des Moines Flood Hazard Area Outreach Program, 2006
- Community Rating System 350 Flood Protection Information activity description, 2006
- Des Moines' 2020 Community Character Plan Map, 2006
- Elevation Certificate and Instructions, FEMA – NFIP, February 2006

We also have the following listed flood related documents back ordered and will include them in our flood information files upon their arrival:

Answers to Questions About the National Flood Insurance Program, F-084, 2004

Sincerely,

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