

## CHAPTER 15

### **FLOOD DAMAGE PREVENTION**

#### ARTICLE 15-1 **Delegation of responsibility**

The Town of Jerome delegates the responsibility of floodplain management to the Flood Control District of Yavapai County as provided for in A.R.S. 48-3610. The Jerome Town Manager is designated as the National Flood Insurance Program Floodplain Administrator for the Town and is responsible for coordinating with the Flood Control District of Yavapai County, and will serve as the community point of contact on National Flood Insurance Program issues for County, State and Federal officials.

#### ARTICLE 15-2 **Flood Insurance Study**

Those public records entitled “Flood Insurance Study (FIS) for Yavapai County” dated September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2010, with accompanying Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs) dated September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2010, and all subsequent amendments and/or revisions, three copies of which shall be kept on file in the office of the Town Clerk, are hereby adopted by reference, as the basis for establishing the special flood hazard areas for floodplain management in the Town of Jerome. The special flood hazard areas documented in the Flood Insurance Study and Flood Insurance Rate Maps are the minimum area of applicability of the floodplain management regulations and may be supplemented by studies for other areas as allowed in the regulations.

#### ARTICLE 15-3 **Flood Damage Prevention Ordinance**

That public record designated as Yavapai County Flood Control District Ordinance 2010-1, “Flood Damage Prevention Ordinance,” and all subsequent amendments and/or revisions, three copies of which shall be kept on file in the office of the Town Clerk, is hereby adopted as the legal basis for implementing floodplain management in this community.

#### ARTICLE 15-4 **Providing for penalties**

Penalties for noncompliance with this Ordinance shall be as provided in the Yavapai County Flood Control District Ordinance 2010-1, “Flood Damage Prevention Ordinance.”

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