FLOOD MAP INFORMATION SERVICE

IS MY PROPERTY IN A FLOOD ZONE?

NOTICE TO: Lending institutions, real estate and insurance agents, and the general public

SUBJECT: Flood Insurance Rate Map Zone Information

As a public service, the Township of Franklin will provide you with the following information upon request:

- Whether a property is in or out of the Special Flood Hazard Area (SHFA) as shown on the current Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) of the Township.
- Additional flood insurance data for a site, such as the FIRM zone and the base flood elevation or depth, if shown on the FIRM.
- We have a handout on the flood insurance purchase requirement that can help people who need a mortgage or loan for a property in the SFHA.
- We have copies of completed FEMA Elevation Certificates for buildings <u>built in the floodplain</u> since 1991.

If you would like to make an inquiry, please tell us the street address and, if available, the lot and block number. We are open 7:30 to 4:30, Monday through Friday. Call us at (732) 873-2500, extension 6230 or drop by the Engineering Department in Town Hall. Anyone in the office can provide the needed information. There is no charge for general inquiries. A signed certificate detailing the FIRM information is available from the Engineering Department for a fifteen (\$15.00) dollar fee.