Selected References

These publications are recommended for viewing and downloading at the following Federal Emergency Management Agency website:

∞ Protecting Floodplain Resources – A Guidebook for Communities
∞ A Unified National Program for Floodplain Management
∞ Property Acquisition Handbook for Local Communities
∞ Alluvial Fans: Hazards and Management
∞ Answers to Questions About the National Flood Insurance Program
∞ Elevated Residential Structures
∞ Engineering Principles and Practices of Retrofitting Floodprone Residential Structures
∞ Floodproofing Non-Residential Structures

Many other publications pertaining to floodplain management are also available at this site.

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers’ National Flood Proofing Committee website contains a wealth of publications on floodproofing applications. It also includes an extensive annotated floodproofing bibliography. The following publications are recommended for viewing and downloading at: www.usace.army.mil/cw/cecw-p/NFPC/nfpc.htm.

∞ Floodplain Management Handbook
∞ Flood Proofing Performances – Successes and Failures
∞ Flood Proofing Techniques, Programs, and References
∞ Flood Proofing Regulations
∞ Flood Proofing Systems & Techniques – Examples of Flood Proofed Structures in the US

The American Planning Association (APA) has prepared several hundred Planning Advisory Service (PAS) reports for its members and other users. A Chronological Index of PAS reports (1949-2006) may be found at the APA website: www.planning.org/pas/chron.html. These reports cannot be viewed online, but can be purchased from APA, or possible located at a library. The following reports are recommended, listed in chronological order:

∞ 518/519 Ecological River Design
∞ 483/484 Planning for Post-Disaster Recovery and Reconstruction
∞ 473 Subdivision Design in Flood Hazard Areas
∞ 412/413 Protecting Nontidal Wetlands
∞ 277 Regulations for Floodplains