

Municipal Affairs

Status of Recommendations

Total	Status of Recommendations			
	Ready for Assessment	Not Ready for Assessment	>3 Years	<3 Years
1	1	0	1	0

Recommendation summary (by report, newest to oldest)

Report Title	Number of Recommendations
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Flood Mitigation Systems Assessment of Implementation —March 2015<ul style="list-style-type: none">› Designate flood hazard area and complete floodway development regulation	1
Total	1

Detailed recommendation list (by report, newest to oldest)

Recommendation	When	Status
<p>DEPARTMENT Flood Mitigation Systems:</p> <p>Designate flood hazard area and complete floodway development regulation</p> <p>To minimize public safety risk and to avoid unnecessary expenditure of public money, we recommend that:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • the Department of Environment and Protected Areas identify flood hazard areas for designation by the minister • the Department of Municipal Affairs: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> › establish processes for controlling, regulating or prohibiting future land use or development to control risk in designated flood hazard areas › put in place processes to enforce the regulatory requirements <div style="border: 1px dashed gray; padding: 5px; margin-top: 10px;"> <p>Consequences of not taking action: Allowing development in floodways unnecessarily risks public safety and the public purse. Keeping people and infrastructure away from floodways is the most cost-effective approach to managing flood risk in areas where experts can predict water flows will be deepest, fastest and most destructive.</p> </div>	<p>March 2015, no. 12, p. 80</p>	<p>Ready for Assessment</p>