## **Creek County Floodplain Administration**

In 1987 Creek County joined the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). This allowed County residents to buy flood insurance through the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The NFIP also required regulating development in the floodplain.

The illustration is located in the Floodplain Map tab, a map of Creek County with its designated 100-year floodplains. Any land within the boundaries of a floodplain indicates there is an 1% chance of flooding in any given year.

Incorporated cities and towns in the County are responsible for regulating the floodplains within their corporate limits and should be contacted for any construction within those boundaries. All other areas are regulated by the County.

If a resident wishes to construct within a floodplain, they should first contact the County's Floodplain Administrator (contact information listed below). The Administrator will explain what is required to meet the regulations. Generally, the goals of the regulations are that any newly constructed structures are built above estimated floodwaters and to prevent any changes in the floodplain that would worsen flooding on neighboring properties.

## Floodplain Administrator Contact Information

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