

“Managing Floodplain Development Through the National Flood Insurance Program,” March 10-13, 2014, Country Inns and Suites, Conway, Arkansas



The Arkansas Natural Resources Commission (ANRC), with the assistance of the Arkansas Floodplain Management Association (AFMA) and the support of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA), will sponsor a four (4) day course on the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) and floodplain management at the Country Inns and Suites on March 10-13, 2014. This course, in its 17th year, provides local communities with the knowledge and skills to help manage development within flood-prone areas.

The course is FREE. However, participants must furnish their own lodging, meals and transportation. Country Inns and Suites is a three year old motel in Conway. Government rates start at \$83. For more information about the motel website, visit their website: <http://www.countryinns.com/conwayar>. Let the motel know you are attending the Floodplain workshop.



Those wishing to attend the course must obtain a Student Identification Number (SID) and fill out an application form (FEMA Form 119-25-2). Go to the following webpage for instructions on obtaining the SID and downloading the FEMA form: <http://training.fema.gov/Apply/notice.asp>. Once you have completed the FEMA form, mail, fax or email the form to the address below. Since this is a field-deployed course, it does not go to the Emmitsburg address. This course is limited to 25 students, so apply early to reserve your space.

For those interested in becoming a nationally-recognized **Certified Floodplain Manager (CFM)**, go to the website www.arkansasfloods.org. An exam will be given on **Friday, March 14**, for those interested in becoming a CFM.

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