

New Update from Lee County

March 6, 2018

Lee County is pleased to announce the Phase 2 Initial Flooding Assessment Project Reports are now available to the public online.

Additionally, you can view the PowerPoint presentation staff prepared for the Lee Board of County Commissioners' work session that was held this afternoon, March 6.

Another feature now available: an executive summary of the reports and maps depicting assessment observations.

After the August rainfall event and Hurricane Irma dropped 30 inches of rain in just a few weeks on our area, the Board instructed staff to develop a plan; staff came back with a three-pronged approach:

- **Phase 1** Immediate removal of known waterway impediments (This is substantially complete.)
- Phase 2 Flood assessments by watershed to identify impediments to storm flow for near-term and short-term remedial efforts (That's what was presented to the Board today and also is now posted online.)
- Phase 3 Further study for a longer-term look at potential engineered solutions. (Information on this will be coming soon to the Board and will be included in future communications as well as on the website.)

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Please forward this to other stakeholders.

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