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10352 CR# 66A

**January 17, 2003**

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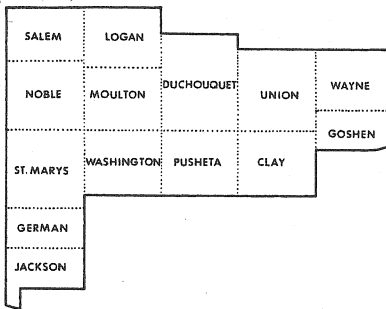
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The survey tells me that when the 100-year flood re-occurs, there will be 30" of water in your basement. Your house is in the flood plain.

The only way I know to get it certified out would be to fill in the door, and place dirt up against the house to an elevation higher than 882.40. After that is complete, hire a surveyor/engineer to do a survey and fill out a "FEMA Elevation Certificate". This requires the surveyor to take elevations of the ground around your home (after you have completed your dirt work), certify those elevations on the certificate. That is submitted to my office for verification and I will then send all the documents to FEMA. Then within 90 days you will get a notice back from FEMA, certifying that you have been removed from the floodplain.

  
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Flood Plain Certification

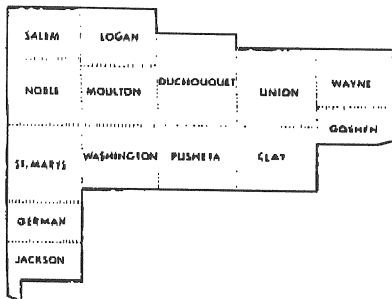
March 20, 2001

Location: Intersection SR# 219 & CR# 66A  
St. Marys Twp., Auglaize County, Ohio

The Ohio Department of Transportation's bridge plans for the structure on SR# 219, immediately east of CR# 66A shows the 25-year flood plain elevation at that site to be 881.00.

I hereby certify that the 100-year flood plain elevation for the immediate area to that intersection to be 885.0.

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