

- [(6)](5) Public acquisition;
- [(7)](6) Flood proofing;
- [(8)](7) Storm drain and stream maintenance;
- [(9)](8) Tax adjustment [policy] POLICIES;
- [(10)](9) Subdivision, zoning, and related ordinances; and
- [(11)](10) Other practical methods.

(e) In any interjurisdictional watershed, THOSE PORTIONS OF the flood management plans of the subdivisions [within] RELATING TO the watershed shall be subject to review and approval by the Department as one plan. ANY COMPREHENSIVE FLOOD MANAGEMENT PLAN WHICH INCLUDES A PROJECT FOR WHICH GRANT FUNDS ARE REQUESTED UNDER THIS SECTION IS SUBJECT TO REVIEW AND APPROVAL BY THE DEPARTMENT. If a plan is disapproved, the Secretary shall set forth in writing the reason for disapproval. Disapproval of a plan shall be based only on flood management considerations.

(f) The Department and the subdivisions shall coordinate activities under this section with all related programs including the national flood insurance program, the sediment control program, and the State water pollution control and abatement programs.

(g) [Every] EACH subdivision shall implement the flood management plan for [a] ITS watershed. [Implementation may include amendments of measures required under § 8-9A-04.] If a subdivision so elects, the Department, in consultation with the subdivision, shall prepare THE rules and regulations to implement the flood management plan. The subdivision shall adopt these rules and regulations. If a municipality elects, and the county agrees, the county, in consultation with the municipality, [may] SHALL prepare the rules and regulations [necessary under this section]. If the county does not agree, the Department, in consultation with the municipality, shall prepare, IF REQUESTED, the rules and regulations. The municipality shall adopt the rules and regulations prepared for it. Implementation of the flood management plans shall begin within one year after they are completed [in accordance with § 8-9A-05 (d)].

(H) THERE IS A COMPREHENSIVE FLOOD MANAGEMENT GRANT PROGRAM WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES.

(1) SUBJECT TO THE APPROVAL OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS THE DEPARTMENT MAY PROVIDE GRANTS TO SUBDIVISIONS FOR FLOOD CONTROL AND WATERSHED MANAGEMENT CAPITAL PROJECTS, PROVIDED THAT THE PROJECTS ARE CONSISTENT WITH THE PLANS AND IMPLEMENTATION PREPARED AND ADOPTED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SUBTITLE, AND PROVIDED FURTHER THAT EACH FLOOD CONTROL AND WATERSHED MANAGEMENT CAPITAL PROJECT: