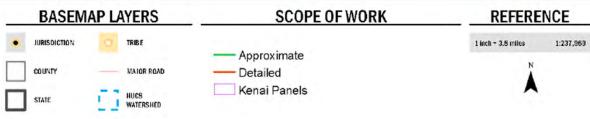
# **SCOPE OF WORK**

### This study covered:

- Detailed streams.
  - Kenai River (47.3 mi.)
- Approximate streams.
  - Beaver Creek (3.3 mi.)
  - Funny River (1.7 mi.)
  - Killey River (2.7 mi.)
  - Moose River (6.0 mi.)
  - Slikok Creek (1.8 mi.)
  - Soldotna Creek (3.1 mi.)

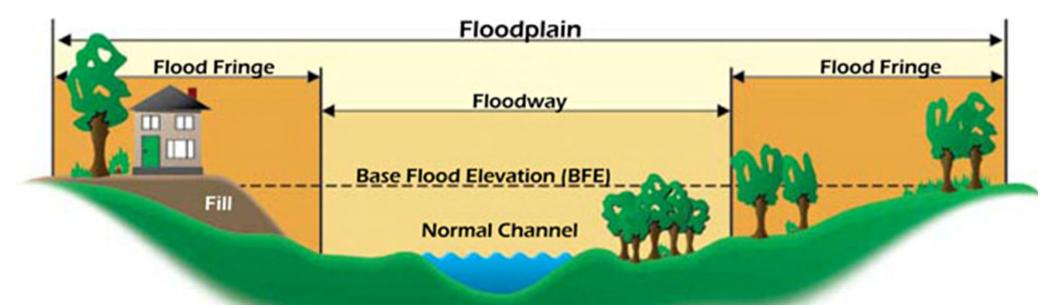






Map showing the extent of the study completed in Kenai Peninsula Borough.

# Characteristics of a Floodplain

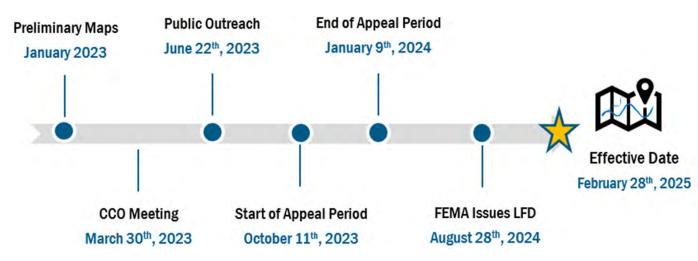


Source: NFIP Guidebook, FEMA



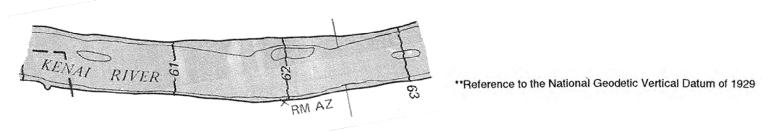
#### "Letter of Final Determination" (LFD)

- Sent to communities and publishes the BFEs in the Federal Register
- Communities have 6 months to adopt the study before the data becomes "effective"
- <u>Failure to adopt results in suspension</u> from the NFIP

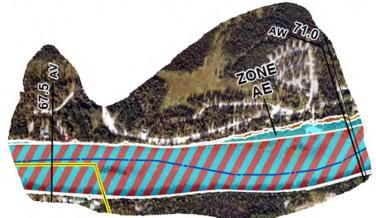


## **DIGITAL FLOOD INSURANCE RATE MAPS – ELEVATION DATUMS**

- Effective maps relative to National Geodetic Vertical Datum NGVD 29
  - Based on a mean sea level from 21 tidal stations in the US & 5 stations in Canada



- Preliminary maps relative to North American Vertical Datum NAVD 88
  - Based on the density of the read of varying values of sea heights



Western Hemisphere; Vertical Datum: NAVD 88



