

## FEMA Flood Insurance Informational Workshop

# Who Should Attend?

Real estate professionals, building trades, architects, citizen board members including planning & zoning board, CRA, local mitigation strategy members. This workshop is focused on professional, however, others may also participate.



No Cost — FREE!!

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### Tuesday, November 10th, 2015 2:00-4:30 p.m.

### **Speakers:**

- Shawn Tinsley National Corporate Training Manager Wright Flood Insurance
- Betty Ryals, Wright Flood Insurance, Regional Sales Manager
- Amy Kelly, Franklin County Zoning Floodplain Administrator
- Steve Martin, State Flood Plain Manager, Bureau of Mitigation, FL Division of Emergency Management

#### **Topics**

- -Overview of FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRM), Biggert Waters Act 2012 & the Homeowner Flood Insurance Affordability Act 2014
- -Understanding flood maps, zone definitions, where to find help.
- How changes impact construction in Franklin and Gulf counties
- Substantial Improvement/damage, 50 % rule
- What qualifies as a historic structure?
- How to improve rating and increase savings on insurance.
- -Upcoming changes at the state level

#### Location

Apalachicola National Estuarine Research Reserve 108 Island Drive, Eastpoint, Florida



