

Jefferson Parish RLAA Annual Progress Report

Mitigation Action	Description	Status Update 2023
Action 1	Property owners maintain flood insurance	The Parish sent out mailer to RL areas reminding property owners to get and maintain flood insurance.
Action 2	Property owners consider floodproofing measures	The Parish sent out mailer to RL areas reminding property owners to consider floodproofing options when appropriate.
Action 3	Mitigation of high-risk flood-prone properties	Since the time the RLAA Report was adopted in 2018, 280 properties were mitigated in unincorporated Jefferson Parish. The following is a breakdown of those located in the RL areas: RL Area 1 = 53 structures mitigated; RL Area 2 = 7 structures mitigated; RL Area 3 = no mitigation action; RL Area 4 = 2 structures mitigated; RL Area 5 = no mitigation action
Action 4	Capital Improvement (Drainage) Projects in basins containing RL Areas	Ongoing construction of Mounes, Phase 4. Completed Lime Street, Pritchard Ditch, Stall Ditch, Manson Ditch, and Midway Drive improvements. Completed Bayou Metairie Green Infrastructure Project.
Action 5	Encourage property owners to elevate mechanical equipment above BFE and install flood-resistant materials in crawl spaces	Per adopted Ordinance, this is required for all new construction and substantial improvement.