Fairfax County's Flood Mitigation Assistance Program

Northern Virginia Soil and Water Conservation District Potomac Watershed Roundtable Presentation January 10th, 2025





Prompt & Purpose

- Powerful storm on July 8th, 2019
 - > 5" of rain in one hour
- Changing climate causes extremes
- Help Fairfax County residents



Program Summary & Process

- > 50% of approved receipts, up to a maximum of \$5,000
- Submit application AFTER purchase/installation
- Must apply for/receive applicable permits/inspections from Fairfax County





The Numbers...so far

- 24 applications
 - > 1 repeat applicant
 - 1 applicant withdrawn
 - 1 applicant denied
- \$45,111.43 total out the door
 - > \$2,225.57 average reimbursement
 - > \$1,725 median reimbursement
- Total Inquiries: 37
 - Not every inquiry turned into an application
 - 16 did not apply (yet?)
 - And not everyone who applied inquired beforehand







For more info:



https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/soil-water-conservation/fmap

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