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Subject: Flood Plain regulations

I want to strenuously object to any changes in the current regulations regarding the Bitterroot River flood plain. The private property rights of one group of property owners does not outweigh the rights of other property owners that will be negatively affected by the proposed changes.

The fact that we have some greater protections currently in place than other communities is a benefit not a detriment. You should listen to the advice of Chris Clancy who recently wrote an editorial in the Bitterroot Star. He outlined most of the reasons why we should maintain current regulations. The river is extremely dynamic and today's fringe designation is tomorrow's channel.

Just leave it alone and quit screwing with something that doesn't require fixing.

Jim McCormack