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How to compare flood maps

To help you understand changes to creek/waterway flood planning areas, this factsheet provides instructions on how to find and compare Flood overlay maps in different versions of our local planning scheme, *Brisbane City Plan 2014* (City Plan).

Create and compare City Plan maps

Find your property on Flood overlays.

Show your address on the City Plan to find your property overlays.

1. Go to City Plan at cityplan.brisbane.qld.gov.au/eplan
2. Use the search bar to enter your address and select it from the dropdown list to show your property on the map. All City Plan layers are in the right-hand menu, but only layers relevant to your property will show in the left-hand menu.
3. Select 'Overlays' from the left-hand menu (scroll down if needed) and select 'Creek/waterway flood planning area'. If this overlay is not listed, your property is no longer affected by the flood overlay.

Optional: you can also check if your property is affected by selecting 'Flood overlay' from the full list in the right-hand menu. Click on 'Map Tools', 'Overlays', 'Flood', then 'Creek/waterway layers'. The overlay will appear as blue shading on the map where relevant.


Save your map.

Create a PDF of your map to compare it with previous flood overlays.

4. Under 'Map Tools' in the right-hand menu, scroll down and select 'Print'.
5. A PDF map that shows your property, selected layers, and the City Plan version will automatically download.

Find and compare with previous flood overlays.

Find previous City Plan versions to view your property under superseded overlays.

6. Click the 'Change' button  Change next to the current version name in the left-hand menu and select from a list of superseded plans. For example, change the view from Version: v34 to Version: v33. The map will refresh but your property will remain selected.
7. Repeat Step 3 to show the 'Creek/waterway flood planning area'.
8. Repeat Step 4 to download a PDF map.
9. Compare your downloaded PDF maps for any overlay changes in relation to your property.

Further information

For more information or to register for email updates about City Plan, visit www.brisbane.qld.gov.au and search 'City Plan amendments in progress' or call Council on (07) 3403 8888.