

Florida Commission on Hurricane Loss Projection Methodology

April 22, 2015

Meeting Summary¹

1. The Commission recognized Steve Burgess for his years of service on the Commission and extended congratulations on his upcoming retirement.
2. The Commission reviewed Applied Research Associates, Inc. (ARA) error corrections and revisions in HurLoss version 6.0.b under the 2011 General Standards (G1, G2, G3, G4, G5), Meteorological Standards (M1, M2, M3, M4, M5, M6), Vulnerability Standards (V1, V2, V3), Actuarial Standards (A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6), Statistical Standards (S1, S2, S3, S4, S5, S6), and Computer Standards (C1, C2, C3, C4, C5, C6, C7). The Commission found HurLoss 6.0.b acceptable under the 2011 Standards. The acceptability of HurLoss 6.0.b supersedes the previously accepted and suspended model version HurLoss 6.0.a.
3. The Commission discussed the notification from AIR Worldwide Corporation of issues in the Atlantic Tropical Cyclone Model version 15.0.0 as implemented in Touchstone version 2.1.0 submission. The Chair reported a subset of the Professional Team will review and report to the Commission their findings on the issues and submitted forms prior to the Commission meeting on June 3, 2015 to review the model for acceptability.
4. The Commission meeting was adjourned and the Flood Standards Development Committee met. The Committee discussed open issues with the Meteorological/Hydrological Flood Standards. The Committee then began discussions and edits to the draft Statistical Flood Standards.
5. The Committee will continue discussions of the draft Vulnerability Flood Standards and the draft Statistical Flood Standards at the next committee meeting on June 4, 2015.

Commission Members Present: Patty Born, Steve Burgess, Barry Gilway (by phone), Bob Lee, Minchong Mao, Forrest Masters (by phone), Lori Medders, Jack Nicholson, Hugh Willoughby (by phone), Miles Anderson for Bryan Koon

Commission Members Absent: Bryan Koon, Jai Navlakha, Floyd Yager

Professional Team Members Present: Paul Fishwick (by phone), Tim Hall, Mark Johnson

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