Checklist 2 – Field Preparations

	Need	Have	Item
1.			Flood maps such as FIRMs, FBFMs, FEMA Flood Recovery maps, or other floodplain or flood risk maps.
2.			Tax or address map with 100-year flood boundaries.
3.			Route map showing proposed areas and sequence for data collection.
4.			Tax data, including homeowner/building owner name, address, and zip code, mailing address and zip code, number of stories, and dimensions or habitable square footage (if available).
5.			Copies of blank SDE Damage Inspection Worksheets.
6.			Copies of blank photo logs (if needed).
7.			Photo ID badges for inspectors.
8.			Letter of Introduction with community point of contact (name and telephone number).
9.			Clip boards, pens/pencils, steno pad or writing tablet, highlighter.
10.			100 ft tape measure (to obtain or verify structure dimensions).
11.			Address board and dry erase markers.
12.			Hard hat, gloves, safety glasses, steel-toe and steel-shank shoes, and flashlight.
13.			Cell phones or walkie-talkies.
14.			Digital camera, primary and alternate memory cards, and extra batteries.
15.			Verification that police, fire, and emergency management agencies have been advised of SDE inspections.
16.			Laptop computers with SDE tool installed and power cords for use and re-charging in field vehicles.
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Procedures to review with inspectors prior to the start of data collection

	Need	Completed	Item
1.			Field safety procedures for dealing with extreme temperatures, wild and domestic animals, driving, parking, and what to do in case of an accident.
2.			SDE data collection and recording requirements.
3.			Guidance on identifying initial construction quality for both residential and non-residential structures.
4.			SDE inspection procedures for residential structures.
5.			SDE inspection procedures for non-residential structures.
6.			Guidance on selecting the depreciation rating.
7.			Data collection routes and sequence.
8.			Guidelines for interaction with structure owners and occupants.
9.			Procedures for dealing with locked or occupied buildings.
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