Flooding in Nigeria: Surveying Approach to Mitigating The Risk and Disaster.

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SUMMARY

Flood is an unmanaged disaster in Nigeria. For a developing country like Nigeria, the welfare of its citizens must be first on the priority list because they are the basic capital that helps to build up the country's economy.

The government and the surveyors should collaborate to avert the recurrence of floods and effectively manage future flood situations, so this research paper analyses the cause of the flood, areas of Nigeria affected by the flood, what the government has done about the flood and what the government should do about the flood, then the role of a surveyor during the flood.

The current flood which started in September 2022, is used as a case study. Questionnaires, interviews of people from affected areas, information from news stations and an extensive review of articles were the sources used for this research. The findings from this research have the potential to promote the welfare of the citizens and improve the economy of Nigeria in general.

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