EXPLANATION

This map displays 2012 high-resolution orthophotography for the Town of Connecticut. It is a natural color, leaf-off 1 foot (30.5 meter) aerial survey taken in the Spring of 2012. The location and shape of features in other DDS layers will not exactly match information shown in the aerial photography primarily due to differences in spatial accuracy and data collection dates. Streets, landuse, railroads, major waterbodies and hospitals, educational facilities, train stations, and some boundaries are labeled.

DATA SOURCES

ORTHOPHOTOGRAPHY: Areal imagery is provided through a partnership between Connecticut Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection (DESPP), the Connecticut Department of Transportation (CDOT), and the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA), along with the United States Geological Survey (USGS) providing support through project management, contracting, and quality assurance/quality control (QA/QC).

BASE MAP DATA: Based on data originally from 1:24,000-scale USGS 7.5 minute topographic quadrangle maps published between 1969 and 1992. It includes political boundaries, railroads, airports, geographic names and geographic places. Roads and other man-made features have been added to the data base. Accuracy for Orthophoto maps is 1-fathom or 1-foot.

REFERENCES: For additional information, visit the CT ECO website and a variety of others on FEMA’s web. Visit the CT GIS website to download the free map digital special data shown on this map.