



AEP Annual Exceedance Probability

AHPS Advanced Hydrologic Prediction Service

AICP American Institute of Certified Planners

CBBEL Christopher B. Burke Engineering, LLC

CFM Certified Floodplain Manager

COAD Community Organizations Active in Disaster

CPRI Calculated Priority Risk Index

CRS Community Rating System

DFIRMs Digital Flood Insurance Rate Maps

DHS Department of Homeland Security (US)

DMA Disaster Mitigation Act

EHS Extremely Hazardous Substance

EMA Emergency Management Agency

EPCRA Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act

ERP Emergency Response Plan

FEMA Federal Emergency Management Agency

FIRM Flood Insurance Rate Map

FMA Flood Mitigation Act

FRP Flood Response Plan

GIS Geographic Information System

HAZUS-MH Hazard US – Multi-Hazard

HMGP Hazard Mitigation Grant Program

MHMP Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan

HMRT Hazardous Materials Response Team

HUC Hydrologic Unit Code

IDEM Indiana Department of Environmental Management

IDHS Indiana Department of Homeland Security

IDNR Indiana Department of Natural Resources

IEAP Incident and Emergency Action Plan

INAFSM Indiana Association of Floodplain and Stormwater Managers

LEPC Local Emergency Planning Commission

MHMP Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan

MPH Miles Per Hour

MRCC Midwestern Regional Climate Center

MSDS Material Safety Data Sheet

NCDC National Climatic Data Center

NFIP National Flood Insurance Program

NLD National Levee Database

NOAA National Oceanic Atmospheric Administration

NRCS National Resource Conservation Service

NWS National Weather Service

OSHA Occupational Safety and Health Administration

PDM Pre-Disaster Mitigation

RFC Repetitive Flood Claims

SARA Superfund Amendment Reauthorization Act

SFHA Special Flood Hazard Area

SRL Severe Repetitive Loss

USDA United States Department of Agriculture

US DHS United States Department of Homeland Security

USGS United States Geological Service

WCT Wind Chill Temperature

APPENDIX 2: PLANNING COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDAS
AND SUMMARIES



Project Team Meeting

Newton County Government Building 4117 S 240 W Morocco IN 47963

July 22, 2020

9:00 am

#### **AGENDA**

- 1. Welcome and Introductions
- 2. Approach for the MHMP Update/Meeting Purpose
- 3. Hazard Risk Assessment:
  - a) Review Hazard Data
  - b) Discuss Vulnerability to Hazards
  - c) Determine Probability & Severity
- 4. Next Steps
- 5. Adjournment

#### CALCULATED PRIORITY RISK INDEX

The CPRI evaluates each hazard based on its probability of occurrence, severity, prior warning time, and duration. Thus, the CPRI provides a means to assess a hazard relative to others for a community. To determine the CPRI, a value of 1 through 4 is assigned to the categories for probability, magnitude/severity, warning time, and duration of event.

CPRI = Probability X 0.45 + Magnitude/Severity X 0.30 + Warning Time X 0.15 + Duration of Event X 0.10.

#### **PROBABILITY**

- 1. Unlikely event is possible within the next 10 years; up to 1 in 10 years chance of occurring (10%); historic events is less than or equal to 10% likely per year
- 2. Possible event is possible within the next 5 years; up to 1 in 5 years chance of occurring (20%); historic events is greater than 10% but less than or equal to 20% likely per year
- 3. Likely event if probable within the next 3 years; up to 1 in 3 years chance of occurring (33%); historic events greater than 20% but less than or equal to 33% likely per year
- 4. Highly Likely event is probable within the calendar year; up to 1 in 1 year chance of occurring (100%); historic events greater than 33% likely per year

#### MAGNITUDE/SEVERITY

- 1. Negligible few injuries; shutdown of critical facilities and services for 24 hours or less; less than 10% of property is severely damaged; average response duration of less than 6 hours
- 2. Limited few injuries; complete shutdown of critical facilities and services for more than 1 week; more than 10% of property is severely damaged; average response duration of less than 1 day
- 3. Significant multiple injuries; complete shutdown of critical facilities and services for at least 2 weeks; more than 25% of property is severely damaged; average response duration of less than 1 week
- 4. Critical multiple deaths; complete shutdown of critical facilities and services for 30+ days; more than 50% of property is severely damaged; average response duration time of less than 1 month

#### WARNING TIME

#### 1. >24 hrs

2. 12-24 hrs

3. 6-12 hrs

4. < 6 hrs

#### **DURATION OF EVENT**

1. < 6 hrs

2. < 1 day

3. < 1 wk

4. > 1 wk

#### **Assumptions for Estimating Potential Losses**

90% mean assessed value for structures (Newton County GIS) x # structures x replacement

25% of structures=100% damage

35% of structures=50% damage

40% of structures=25% damage

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Brianna Ciara	Newton County SWCD	Newton County
Mike Clements	Morocco Volunteer Fire Department	Town of Morocco
Kim Durham	Newton County Health Department	Newton County
Dillon Hall	Goodland Town Marshal	Town of Goodland
Nikki Hanger	Lake Twp Trustee	Newton County
		Newton County/Town of
Jim Large	E911 Director/Kentland Volunteer Fire Dept	Kentland
David Pluimer	Newton County Highway Department	Newton County
Nick Snodgrass	Superintendent	Town of Brook

#### **Others Present:**

Heather Buck, CBBEL

#### 1. Welcome and Introductions

To begin, Director Chambers thanked everyone for attending the meeting and asked those present to introduce themselves.

#### 2. Approach for the MHMP Update/Meeting Purpose

Heather explained to the group that the MHMP Update is a requirement to be completed every five years. The overall approach, utilizing a larger Planning Committee similar to the previous approach was described. The meetings will follow steps to reach the end result of an updated MHMP for all incorporated Communities within Newton County.

#### 3. Hazard Risk Assessment:

#### a) Review Hazard Data

During each session, the Committee reviewed the hazards to be studied as determined by Newton County EMA and agreed that these are the hazards which most affect the County. Heather shared data that CBBEL had gathered from the Nation Climatic Data Center (NCDC), local media outlets, and various agencies and offices since the 2010 MHMP was completed.

### b) <u>Discuss Vulnerability to Hazards</u>

The Committee was engaged during the discussions regarding the hazards, specific events, and damages experienced. This information will be utilized to guide additional data collection for the MHMP Update, as well as enhance the discussion with the Planning Committee.

#### c) <u>Determine Probability & Severity</u>

The Committee, considering the data collected, their knowledge, and the prior discussions, determined the probability and severity of the hazards considered during this planning effort. This information will be utilized to determine the Calculated Priority Risk Index (CPRI) and will be reviewed by the Planning Committee.

#### 4. Critical Infrastructure

Heather explained that the listing of Critical Infrastructure was partly provided by Newton County, and partly obtained from state-wide databases as needed. The information was then categorized into sectors, mapped, and utilized to perform additional data analyses to prepare "what-if" scenarios.

#### 5. Next Steps

The process was further explained to the Committee to include the next session, a public review period, and submission of the draft report for all Committee members, the public, and FEMA's review and comment. It was also explained that it will be very important that all Committee members provide their information in a timely manner so that the draft MHMP Update can be prepared.

## 6. Adjournment

The first Committee session adjourned. An afternoon session will be held to review the listing of the potential mitigation measures and provide a ranking of High, Moderate, or Low.

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Howard Marshall	Mount Ayr Sewage and Water	Town of Mount Ayr
David Pluimer	Newton County Highway Department	Newton County
Jane Risky	Iroquois Twp Trustee	Newton County
	Jefferson Twp /Newton County	Newton County
Jacob Shufflebarger	Maintenance	·
Nick Snodgrass	Superintendent	Town of Brook

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#### 1. Welcome and Introductions

Heather and Director Chambers once again thanked everyone for attending. Introductions were made by those present.

#### 2. Review of the Approach for the MHMP Update

A brief review was provided for those committee members not present at the first session.

#### 3. Review the Hazard Risk Assessment/CPRI

The results of the completed CPRI were shared with those present. Utilizing the discussion from the previous Committee session, the "draft" CPRI was presented. Adjustments were made based on additional discussion with the Committee once they were able to see the final prioritizations.

#### 4. Review and Prioritize Proposed Mitigation Practices

Utilizing the mitigation practices described in the 2010 MHMP and information gathered through the planning process, a list of proposed mitigation practices was presented to the Committee for review and comment. Several members provided insight and input to wording and options for each proposed mitigation measure which was then ranked as High, Moderate, or Low in implementation priority. It was explained that those practices ranked as High would

have additional steps outlined within the MHMP Update to assist with the implementation process.

## 5. Next Steps & Future Meetings

It was explained that the next step in the process is to prepare the draft MHMP Update for review first by the EMA staff and then by the Planning Committee members. Comments accepted by the EMA will be incorporated into the plan. Once this has been completed, a public review period will be set and the draft will be submitted to FEMA and IDHS for review and comment.

## 6. Adjournment

The Committee adjourned



APPENDIX 3: Public Participation and Involvement of Other Interested Parties



# **MEDIA RELEASE**

For Immediate Release

Media Release Date: March 1, 2021

Contact: Ray Chambers, Newton County Emergency Management Agency (888.663.9866 ext 5300)

# Public Presentation of the Newton County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan Update

**Morocco, IN** (March 1, 2020) – Newton County, in cooperation with Brook, Goodland, Kentland, Morocco, and Mount Ayr have prepared an update to the 2010 Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan (MHMP) to address the risk and vulnerability of communities in the county which may be affected by known natural, technological, and political hazards.

The Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (DMA 2000) requires communities to update their MHMP every five years in order to be eligible for any future mitigation funding through the State Department of Homeland Security and the Federal Emergency Management Agency. The intent of the MHMP is to plan for a disaster before it occurs in order to reduce the physical, social and economic impact of that disaster.

The draft Newton County MHMP Update may be accessed at <a href="www.newtoncounty.in.gov">www.newtoncounty.in.gov</a> at your convenience. Topics covered in the update include: an overview of the planning requirements; a summary of the risk assessment and vulnerability analysis; and proposed mitigation projects for prevention, property protection, natural resource protection, emergency services, structural control projects, and public information.

Comments will be accepted through Friday, March 12, 2021. Please submit comments to Ray Chambers at 888.663.9866 ext 5300 or rchambers@newtoncounty.in.gov.

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Please take some time to review and provide comments on the

The 2021 Newton County MHMP Update

This helps us create a better plan, prepare for hazards that may affect Newton County and the communities, and become more resilient should an event occur.

Your time and efforts are appreciated! The Newton County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan (MHMP) Update is a multi-jurisdictional planning effort led by the Newton County Emergency Management Office. The previous MHMP, adopted in 2010 was the necessary first step of a multi-step process to implement programs, policies, and projects to mitigate the effect of hazards in Newton County. A Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) approved MHMP is required to be eligible for disaster mitigation funds.

FEMA also requires communities to update and resubmit the MHMP every five years to continue to be eligible for mitigation project grant funding. The intent of this current planning effort is to replicate the process of identifying the hazards and the social, physical, and economic impact that they affect Newton County as well as to discuss mitigation measures implemented within the last five years.

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Map ID	Communication	Community
1	55 & 450 South	Newton County
2	Camalot Tower	Newton County
3	Convergence Technologies Old 41	Newton County
4	Crown Castle GT Co 550 East	Newton County
5	Gerbracht Farms 825 South	Newton County
6	GILLIATT PAMELA & LYNNE	Newton County
7	Lake Village Elementary	Newton County
8	Mailloux Richard 1500 South	Newton County
9	Midwest Antenna Monan	Newton County
10	NIPSCO 1200 North	Newton County
11	NIPSCO 600 East	Newton County
12	Radio Tower Churchill	Newton County
13	Radio Tower County Highway	Town of Morocco
14	Radio Tower EMA	Newton County
15	Radio Tower Goodland	Town of Goodland
16	Radio Tower Sheriff	Town of Kentland
17	Radio Tower Water Tower	Newton County
18	SBA Properties 1400 South	Newton County
19	SBA Properties 800 North	Newton County
20	SBA Structures 600 West	Newton County
21	SBA Tower 400 South	Town of Morocco
22	Spectrasite Com 600 East	Newton County
23	Sprint 1500 South	Newton County
24	Trunkline Gas State Road 55	Newton County
25	Verizon Tower 600 East	Newton County

Map ID	Emergency Management Agency	Community
26	EMA	Newton County

Map ID	Emergency Medical Services	Community
27	EMS North	Newton County
28	EMS South	Newton County

Map ID	Fire Department	Community
29	Brook FD	Town of Brook
30	Goodland FD	Town of Goodland
31	Kentland FD	Town of Kentland
32	Lake FD	Newton County
33	Lincoln FD	Newton County
34	Morocco FD	Town of Morocco

Map ID	Government Facilities	Community
35	County Highway	Town of Morocco
36	Courthouse	Town of Kentland

Map ID	Government Facilities	Community
37	Enos Service Center	Newton County
38	Generation Center	Newton County
39	Government Center	Town of Morocco
40	Jail	Town of Kentland
41	Kentland Municipal Airport 50i	Town of Kentland
42	Surveyors Office	Town of Kentland

Map ID	Health/Daycare Facilities	Community
43	Aperion Care	Newton County
44	Generation Center	Newton County
45	George Ade	Newton County
46	Headstart Goodland	Town of Goodland
47	Headstart Roselawn	Newton County
48	IMH Kentland	Town of Kentland

Map ID	Large Gathering Places	Community
49	Fair Oaks Farms Adventure Center	Newton County
50	Fairfield Inn Fair Oaks	Newton County
51	Goodland Community Center	Town of Goodland
52	LaSalle Fish & Wildlife State Park	Newton County
53	Newton County Fairground	Newton County
54	Oak Lake RV Resort	Newton County
55	Pioneer Family Campground	Newton County
56	Ponderosa Sun Club	Newton County
57	Red Roof Inn Kentland	Town of Kentland
58	Sun Aura	Newton County
59	US 41 Motorplex	Newton County
60	Willow Slough Fish & Wildlife State Park	Newton County

Map ID	Police Station	Community
61	Brook PD	Town of Brook
62	Goodland PD	Town of Goodland
63	Kentland PD	Town of Kentland
64	Morocco PD	Town of Morocco
65	Sheriff Office	Town of Kentland

Map ID	Potable Water Treatment	Community
66	Brook Water Treatment	Newton County
67	Dairy Water Treatment	Newton County
68	Goodland Water Treatment	Town of Goodland
69	Kentland Water Treatment	Town of Kentland
70	Morocco Water Treatment	Town of Morocco

Map ID	Power Generation	Community
71	Lake Village Solar Panel Farm	Newton County
72	NIPSCO Substation Brook	Newton County
73	NIPSCO Substation Goodland	Newton County
74	NIPSCO Substation Kentland	Town of Kentland
75	NIPSCO Substation Morocco	Town of Morocco
76	NIPSCO Substation Thayer	Newton County

Map ID	Schools	Community
77	Lake Village Elementary	Newton County
78	Lincoln Elementary	Newton County
79	Morocco Elementary	Town of Morocco
80	North Newton High School	Newton County
81	South Newton	Newton County

Map ID	Shelters	Community
82	(Shelter) American Legion Post #238	Newton County
83	(Shelter) Aperion Care Demotte	Newton County
84	(Shelter) Beaver Township Community Center	Town of Morocco
85	(Shelter) Brook Community Center	Town of Brook
86	(Shelter) Brook United Methodist Church	Town of Brook
87	(Shelter) Community Christian Reform Church	Newton County
88	(Shelter) First Baptist Church of Roselawn	Newton County
89	(Shelter) First Christian Church	Town of Brook
90	(Shelter) George Ade Memorial Healthcare	Newton County
91	(Shelter) Goodland Community Center	Town of Goodland
92	(Shelter) Goodland Fire Dept.	Town of Goodland
93	(Shelter) Kentland Community Center	Town of Kentland
94	(Shelter) Lake Township Community Center	Newton County
95	(Shelter) Lake Village Elementary School	Newton County
96	(Shelter) Lincoln Elementary School	Newton County
97	(Shelter) Lincoln Township Volunteer Fire Dept	Newton County
98	(Shelter) Morocco Elementary School	Town of Morocco
99	(Shelter) Mt. Ayr Community Center	Town of Mount Ayr
100	(Shelter) Sumava Resorts Improvement Club	Newton County
101	(Shelter) United Methodist Church My Ayr	Town of Mount Ayr
102	(Shelter) United Methodist Church of Mt. Ayr	Town of Mount Ayr

Map ID	Tier II (Hazardous Materials)	Community
103	Adkev, Inc.	Town of Goodland
104	Boezeman Co Oil	Newton County
105	Ceres Solutions Cooperative Brook	Newton County
106	Ceres Solutions Cooperative Kentland	Newton County
107	Ceres Solutions Cooperative Lake Village	Newton County
108	Ceres Solutions Cooperative Roselawn	Newton County
109	Co-Alliance LLP Goodland Agronomy	Town of Goodland

Map ID	Tier II (Hazardous Materials)	Community
110	Co-Alliance LLP Goodland Grain	Newton County
111	Gavilon Fertilizer	Newton County
112	Heritage FS, Inc.	Newton County
113	Hicksgas Thayer	Newton County
114	Indiana Bell Telephone Company, Inc./AT&T Indiana	Town of Morocco
115	Indiana DOT Kentland	Newton County
116	Indiana DOT Roselawn	Newton County
117	Milestone Contractors, L.P.	Newton County
118	Republic Services Newton Co Landfill	Newton County
119	Rose Acre Farms, Inc.	Newton County
120	Ruan Transport Corporation Fair Oaks	Newton County
121	United Telephone Company Indiana DBA CenturyLink	Town of Brook
	Brook	
122	United Telephone Company Indiana DBA CenturyLink	Town of Goodland
	Goodland	
123	United Telephone Company Indiana DBA CenturyLink	Town of Kentland
	Kentland	
124	Verdesian Life Sciences	Town of Kentland
125	Wilson Fertilizer Brook	Town of Brook
126	Wilson Fertilizer Kentland	Town of Kentland
127	Wilson Industrial Sales Co. Goodland	Newton County

Map ID	Warning Siren	Community
128	Siren 01	Town of Morocco
129	Siren 02	Newton County
130	Siren 03	Town of Goodland
131	Siren 04	Town of Goodland
132	Siren 05	Town of Brook
133	Siren 06	Newton County
134	Siren 07	Town of Mount Ayr
135	Siren 08	Town of Kentland
136	Siren 09	Town of Kentland
137	Siren 10	Town of Kentland
138	Siren 11	Newton County
139	Siren 12	Newton County
140	Siren 13	Newton County
141	Siren 14	Newton County
142	Siren 15	Newton County
143	Siren 16	Newton County
144	Siren 17	Newton County
145	Siren 18	Newton County
146	Siren 19	Newton County
147	Siren 20	Newton County

Map ID	WWTP	Community
148	Brook Waste Water	Newton County

Map ID	WWTP	Community
149	Goodland Waste Water	Newton County
150	Kentland Waste Water	Town of Kentland
151	Morocco Waste Water	Newton County

Map ID	Water Tower	Community
152	Brook Water Tower	Town of Brook
153	County Water Tower	Newton County
154	Dairy Water Tower	Newton County
155	Goodland Water Tower	Newton County
156	Kentland Water Tower 1	Town of Kentland
157	Kentland Water Tower 2	Town of Kentland
158	Morocco Water Tower	Town of Morocco

Map ID	Dam	Community
159	JC Murphey Lake Dam	Newton County
160	South Marsh Dam	Newton County



APPENDIX 5: USGS STREAM GAGE LOCATIONS, MAJOR WATERWAYS



Stream Gage Location		
Site Number	Site Name	
05524500	Iroquois River near Foresman	
05524546	Hunter Ditch at Goodland	
05518000	Kankakee River at Shelby, IN	

Major Waterways					
Ade McCray Ditch	Garrard Ditch	Mud Lake Ditch			
Baird Ditch	Gregory Ditch	Narrows Ditch			
Barten Ditch	Gushwa Ditch	O'Brien Ditch			
Battleday Ditch	Haines Ditch	Otis-Boyle Ditch			
Beasy Lateral	Hambridge Ditch	Redden Ditch			
Beaver Creek	Hanger Ditch	Rich Ditch			
Beaver Lake Ditch	Hanley Ditch	Riner Houseworth Ditch			
Bergren Ditch	Hibler Ditch	S Garrard Ditch			
Best Ditch	Hickory Branch	Salisbury Ditch			
Bogus Island Ditch	Hooper Branch	Sheep Ditch			
Bonham Ditch	Hunter Ditch	Sheldon Ditch Number 1			
Bower Ditch	Iroquois River	Shuey Ditch			
Bowton Ditch	Jones Ditch	Spitler Ditch			
Camblin Ditch	Kankakee River	Stack Ditch			
Carlson Ditch	Kasta Ditch	Strole Ditch			
Chizum Ditch	Kent Ditch	Talley Ditch			
Clark Ditch	Kirkpatrick Ditch	Templeton Ditch			
Cline Ditch	Lawler Ditch	Thompson Ditch			
Curtis Creek	Lawler Ditch	Turner Ditch			
Darroch Ditch	Lintner Ditch	Wedelburg Ditch			
David Ditch	Moffitt Ditch	Weiss Ditch			
Deardurff Ditch	Montgomery Ditch	Wentworth Ditch			
Deardurff Ditch	Moran Ditch	Whaley Ditch			
Defries Ditch	Morrison Ditch Number One	Zaborosky Ditch			
Dehaan Ditch	Morrison Ditch Number Two				
Elijah Ditch	Mosquito Creek				



APPENDIX 6:	NCDC HAZARD DATA	



The following data tables indicate those events that have impacted Newton County and the communities within. Please note that these tables only provide the information for those incidents where deaths, injuries, or property and/or crop damages were reported through the NCDC. For complete tables listing all incidents impacting Newton County, please visit:

http://www.ncdc.noaa.gov/stormevents/choosedates.jsp?statefips=18%2CINDIANA

<u>Location</u>	<u>Date</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Death</u>	<u>Injury</u>	<u>PrD</u>	<u>CrD</u>
Totals:			0	0	\$1.0K	\$0K
KENTLAND MUNI ARPT	07/13/2016	Flash Flood	0	0	\$1.0K	\$0.00K
Totals:			0	0	\$1.0K	\$0K

Location	<u>Date</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Death</u>	<u>Injury</u>	<u>PrD</u>	<u>CrD</u>
Totals:			0	1	\$64.0K	\$0.0K
ENOS	06/21/2010	Thunderstorm Wind	0	0	\$0.50K	\$0.00K
LAKE VLG	05/29/2011	Thunderstorm Wind	0	0	\$0.50K	\$0.00K
ENOS	08/02/2011	Thunderstorm Wind	0	0	\$25.0K	\$0.00K
MAROCCO	04/18/2013	Thunderstorm Wind	0	0	\$3.0K	\$0.00K
KENTLAND	05/31/2013	Thunderstorm Wind	0	0	\$2.0K	\$0.00K
BROOK	05/31/2013	Thunderstorm Wind	0	0	\$2.0K	\$0.00K
ROSELAWN AIRSTRIP AR	06/24/2013	Thunderstorm Wind	0	1	\$0.0K	\$0.00K
MOROCCO	06/07/2015	Thunderstorm Wind	0	0	\$20.0K	\$0.00K
<u>EFFNER</u>	07/21/2017	Thunderstorm Wind	0	0	\$10.0K	\$0.00K
KENTLAND	07/21/2017	Thunderstorm Wind	0	0	\$1.0K	\$0.00K
Totals:			0	1	\$64.0K	\$0.0K



APPENDIX 7:	POTENTIAL	FUNDING SC	OURCES	



# Assistance to Firefighters Grant

The Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) is a competitive grant opportunity for local fire departments and Emergency Medical Service (EMS) organizations that are not affiliated with a hospital.

**Previous Activities Funded:** The AFG funds activities such as purchasing firefighting equipment, personal protection equipment, training, firefighting vehicles, and firefighter/first responder safety projects.

https://www.fema.gov/grants/preparedness/firefighters

# Challenge 21, Floodplain

Challenge 21, the Army Corps' flood hazard mitigation and riverine ecosystem restoration initiative, will focus on more sustainable approaches. Through its focus on non-structural alternatives to flood protection, it will, where appropriate, move families and businesses out of harm's way and strive to return the floodplains of rivers and creeks to a condition where they can naturally moderate floods as well as provide other benefits to communities and the environment. Watershed by watershed, Challenge 21 builds on existing programs and initiates and expands partnerships with other Federal agencies and non-Federal national and local entities. Key Federal partners include the FEMA, the Department of Agriculture, the Department of Interior and the EPA.

**Previous Activities Funded:** A project might include the relocation of threatened homes or businesses, conservation or restoration of wetlands and natural floodwater storage areas and planning for responses and solutions to potential future floods

http://www.americanrivers.org/site/PageServer?pagename=AMR content d156

## Clean Water State Revolving Loan Fund

Clean Water State Revolving Loan Fund (CWSRLF) programs operate much like environmental infrastructure banks that are capitalized with federal and state contributions. CWSRLF monies are loaned to communities and loan repayments are recycled back into the program to fund additional water quality protection projects. The revolving nature of these programs provides for an ongoing funding source that will last far into the future.

**Previous Activities Funded:** The CWSRF funds a broad range of projects—from wastewater systems and nonpoint source pollution control to estuary management and a range of projects focusing on water quality. Funding is typically directed to state-identified high priority projects based on several factors, including: public health protection; condition of impacted waters; and communities' regulatory compliance status.

https://www.epa.gov/cwsrf

# **Community Development Block Grants**

Communities receiving Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) funds from the State may use the funds for many kinds of community development activities including, but not limited to property acquisition, public services, planning activities, and community development activities.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Funds have been used in Indiana for purposes such as Public facility improvements, flood and drainage facilities, Fire stations and equipment, and various community related activities and facilities.

https://www.in.gov/ocra/cdbg.htm

#### Community Facilities Grants and Loans

The Rural Development (RD) of the Department of Agriculture offers loans and grants to create jobs and support economic development and essential services such as housing; health care; first responder services and equipment; and water, electric and communications infrastructure.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Priority for funding will be given to those projects that will enhance public safety such as fire, police, rescue, and ambulance services, and projects for health care facilities. The fire service can use the funding for fire stations, fire trucks and rescue vehicles. <a href="https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/community-facilities-direct-loan-grant-program">https://www.rd.usda.gov/programs-services/community-facilities-direct-loan-grant-program</a>

# **Community Rating System**

The National Flood Insurance Program's (NFIP) Community Rating System (CRS) is a voluntary incentive program that recognizes and encourages community floodplain management activities that exceed the minimum NFIP requirements. As a result, flood insurance premium rates are discounted to reflect the reduced flood risk resulting from the community actions meeting the three goals of the CRS: (1) reduce flood losses; (2) facilitate accurate insurance rating; and (3) promote the awareness of flood insurance.

**Previous Activities Funded:** While the CRS does not provide direct funding, reductions in insurance premiums can be significant for participants.

https://www.fema.gov/flood-insurance/rules-legislation/community-rating-system

# **Conservation Reserve Program**

The Conservation Reserve Program (CRP) is a voluntary program for agricultural landowners. Through CRP, landowners can receive annual rental payments and cost-share assistance to establish long-term, resource conserving covers on eligible farmland to reduce soil erosion, and potential flood loss and damage.

Previous Activities Funded: Filter Strip Establishment, Wetland Restoration, Riparian Buffer Establishment

https://www.fsa.usda.gov/programs-and-services/conservation-programs/conservation-reserve-program/

## Department of Interior Rural Fire Assistance Program

The Department of Interior (DOI) Rural Fire Assistance Program is aimed at enhancing the fire protection capabilities of rural fire districts in the wildland urban interface. The rural fire department must serve a community with a population of 10,000 or less and must have a statewide agreement with the state forester who maintains cooperative agreements with the rural fire departments or volunteer fire departments or a cooperative fire agreement with an agency in the DOI.

**Previous Activities Funded:** The program assists with training, equipment purchase, and prevention activities, on a 90/10 cost-share basis.

http://www.nifc.gov/rfa/steps.html

## Disposal of Federal Surplus Real Property for Parks, Recreation, and Historic Monuments

Surplus real property may be conveyed for public park and recreation use at discounts up to 100 percent of fair market value and for historic purposes without monetary consideration. Property conveyed for park and recreation use or historic purposes must be used for these purposes in perpetuity or be reverted to Federal ownership.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Property, either real or land, varies with time with items available for public sale, lease or extended use in perpetuity.

http://www.federalgrantswire.com/disposal of federal surplus real property for parks recreation and hi storic monuments.html

## **Emergency Conservation Program**

The United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) Farm Service Agency's (FSA) Emergency Conservation Program (ECP) provides emergency funding and technical assistance for farmers and ranchers to rehabilitate farmland damaged by natural disasters and for carrying out emergency water conservation measures in periods of severe drought.

**Previous Activities Funded:** This assistance is in the form of a direct payment to affected eligible landowners and is administered through the Farm Service Agency.

http://disaster.fsa.usda.gov/ecp.htm

## **Environmental Quality Incentive Program**

The Environmental Quality Incentive Program (EQIP) offers contracts with a minimum term that ends one year after the implementation of the last scheduled practices and a maximum term of ten years. These contracts provide incentive payments and cost-shares to implement conservation practices. Persons who are engaged in livestock or agricultural production on eligible land may participate in the EQIP program. EQIP activities are carried out according to an environmental quality incentives program plan of operations developed in conjunction with the producer that identifies the appropriate conservation practice or practices to address the resource concerns. The practices are subject to Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) technical standards adapted for local conditions. The local conservation district approves the plan.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Cost sharing may pay up to 75 percent of the costs of certain conservation practices, such as grassed waterways, filter strips, manure management facilities, capping abandoned wells, and other practices important to improving and maintaining the health of natural resources in the area.

http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/eqip/

## **Emergency Rehabilitation of Flood Control Works**

Assistance does not extend to major improvements of flood control or federally authorized coastal protection structures, nor to reimbursement of individuals or communities for funds expended in repair or rehabilitation efforts.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Authorized assistance includes emergency repair or rehabilitation of flood control works damaged by flood, and restoration of federally authorized coastal protection structures damaged by extraordinary wind, wave, or water action.

http://www.federalgrantswire.com/emergency rehabilitation of flood control works or federally authorized coastal protection works.html

## **Emergency Watershed Protection Program**

The Emergency Watershed Protection Program (EWPP) work is not limited to any one set of prescribed measures. A case by case investigation of the needed work is made by NRCS.

**Previous Activities Funded:** EWPP work can include: removing debris from stream channels, road culverts, and bridges; reshaping and protecting eroded banks; correcting damaged drainage facilities; repairing levees and structures; reseeding damaged areas; and purchasing floodplain easements.

http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/ewp/questions.html

# Farmland Protection Program

The Farmland Protection Program provides funds to help purchase development rights to keep productive farmland in agricultural uses. To qualify, farmland must: be part of a pending offer from a State, tribe, or local farmland protection program; be privately owned; have a conservation plan; be large enough to sustain agricultural production; be accessible to markets for what the land produces; have adequate infrastructure and agricultural support services; and have surrounding parcels of land that can support long-term agricultural production. Depending on funding availability, proposals must be submitted by the government entities to the appropriate NRCS State Office during the application window.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Working through existing programs, USDA joins with State, tribal, or local governments to acquire conservation easements or other interests from landowners. USDA provides up to 50 percent of the fair market easement value.

http://www.info.usda.gov/nrcs/fpcp/fpp.htm

## Fire Prevention & Safety Grant

The purpose of these grants is to enhance the safety of the public and firefighters with respect to fire and fire-related hazards. The primary goal of the Assistance to Firefighters Grant (AFG) Program's Fire Prevention and Safety Grant (FP&S) is to reach high-risk target groups in order to mitigate the high incidences of death and injuries. Additionally for Fiscal Year (FY) 2005 Congress amended the authorization to include funding for Firefighter Safety Research and Development. This guidance provides details for applying for either of these financial assistance instruments. There is no cost share requirement for the FY 2005 Fire Prevention and Safety grants.

Previous Activities Funded: Grants have been awarded to assist with the costs associated with training, equipment, vehicles for fire departments and firefighter safety research.

https://www.fema.gov/grants/preparedness/firefighters/safety-awards

#### Flood Mitigation Assistance Program

The Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) program provides funding to assist States and communities in implementing measures to reduce or eliminate the long-term risk of flood damage to buildings, manufactured homes, and other structures insurable under the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). There are three types of grants available under FMA: Planning, Project, and Technical Assistance Grants. FMA Planning Grants are available to States and communities to prepare Flood Mitigation Plans. NFIP-participating communities with approved Flood Mitigation Plans can apply for FMA Project Grants. FMA Project Grants are available to States and NFIP participating communities to implement measures to reduce flood losses.

**Previous Activities Funded:** A few examples of eligible FMA projects include: the elevation, acquisition, and relocation of NFIP-insured structures.

http://www.fema.gov/fima/mitgrant.shtm

## Hazards Mitigation Grant Program

Authorized under Section 404 of the Stafford Act, the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) provides grants to States and local governments to implement long-term hazard mitigation measures after a major disaster declaration. The purpose of the program is to reduce the loss of life and property due to natural disasters and to enable mitigation measures to be implemented during the immediate recovery from a disasters and to enable mitigation measures to be implemented during the immediate recovery from a disaster.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Acquisition of hazard-prone property; stormwater management, elevation of flood-prone structures, and infrastructure protection measures are all considered eligible projects and have been funded in the past.

http://www.fema.gov/fima/mitgrant.shtm

## **Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness Grant**

The Hazardous Materials Emergency Preparedness (HMEP) grant program is intended to provide financial and technical assistance as well as national direction and guidance to enhance State, Territorial, Tribal, and local hazardous materials emergency planning and training. The HMEP Grant Program distributes fees collected from shippers and carriers of hazardous materials to emergency responders for hazmat training and to Local Emergency Planning Committees (LEPCs) for hazmat planning.

**Previous Activities Funded:** These grants have been used for developing, improving, and implementing emergency plans, and training public sector employees to respond safely and efficiently to accidents and incidents involving the transportation of hazardous materials.

http://hazmat.dot.gov/training/state/hmep/hmep.htm

# Indiana Family and Social Services Administration

The Family and Social Services Administration provides services to help keep children healthy and safe and help families to self-sufficient.

**Previous Activities Funded:** The agency may provide programs related to heating/cooling of residential buildings, temporary housing, and other important contacts in the event of an emergency or disaster.

http://www.in.gov/fssa/families/

## Indiana Resource Conservation & Development Districts

The purpose of the Resource Conservation and Development (RC&D) program is to accelerate the conservation, development and utilization of natural resources, improve the general level of economic activity, and to enhance the environment and standard of living in designated RC&D areas. It improves the capability of State, tribal and local units of government and local nonprofit organizations in rural areas to plan, develop and carry out programs for resource conservation and development. The program also establishes or improves coordination systems in rural areas.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Forestry projects, wetland development, Community training projects, and other projects related to community and natural resource enhancement and protection.

## http://www.in.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/RC&D/RC&Dhomepage.html

# **Indiana Rural Development Council**

The Indiana Rural Development Council (IRDC) is a partnership of local, state, federal, profit and not-for-profit stakeholders that serve Indiana communities. The IRDC's purpose is to coordinate efforts of citizens and governments to meet the economic and social needs of rural Indiana.

Previous Activities Funded: These funds will be utilized to address a variety of rural issues in the areas of economic/community development, planning, leadership, infrastructure, health, telecommunication/education, workforce development, agriculture, and rural regional development initiatives.

http://www.in.gov/irdc/index.html

## Indiana State Revolving Loan Fund

The Indiana State Revolving Fund (SRF) Loan Program provides low-interest loans to Indiana communities for projects that improve wastewater and drinking water infrastructure. The Indiana Department of Environmental Management (IDEM) and the Indiana State Budget Agency work together to administer this program and to protect public health and the environment. Recently, SRF has implemented a program to fund nonpoint source projects, as well.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Activities include Treatment plant improvements and upgrades, Riparian Buffers and Conservation Easements, and Wetland protection and restoration measures.

http://www.in.gov/idem/srf/factsht0704.doc

#### Indiana Transportation Enhancements Program

Transportation enhancements (TE) are transportation-related activities that are designed to strengthen the cultural, aesthetic, and environmental aspects of the Nation's inter-modal transportation system.

**Previous Activities Funded:** The transportation enhancements program provides for the implementation of a variety of non-traditional projects, with examples ranging from Acquisition of scenic easements, landscaping and scenic beautification, and to the mitigation of water pollution from highway runoff all of which could be utilized as measures to control or mitigate flood damage.

http://www.enhancements.org/statecontacts TE.asp

#### **Land and Water Conservation Fund**

The Land and Water Conservation Fund (LWCF) program provides matching grants to States and local governments for the acquisition and development of public outdoor recreation areas and facilities. The program is intended to create and maintain a nationwide legacy of high quality recreation areas and facilities and to stimulate non-federal investments in the protection and maintenance of recreation resources across the United States.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Funds have been widely utilized for land acquisition, open space/greenspace development, which can include wetland development, critical seeding areas and other projects that can reduce the impacts of flooding.

http://www.nps.gov/lwcf/

#### **Low Interest Loan Incentives**

Loan amounts up to \$700,000 with interest rates of 2.5 percent to 3.0 percent are available to cities, towns and counties. The loan pays for the cost of remediation and/or demolition at identified brownfield sites.

Previous Activities Funded: Eligible activities include: soil and groundwater cleanup, demolition activities, asbestos/lead paint abatement, and additional investigations.

http://www.idfabrownfields.com/assistance.aspx#LILI

## National Flood Insurance Program

The National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) is a Federal program enabling property owners in participating communities to purchase insurance protection against losses from flooding. This insurance is designed to provide an insurance alternative to disaster assistance to meet the escalating costs of repairing damage to buildings and their contents caused by floods. Participation in the NFIP is based on an agreement between local communities and the Federal Government that states if a community will adopt and enforce a floodplain management ordinance to reduce future flood risks to new construction in Special Flood Hazard Areas, the Federal Government will make flood insurance available within the community as a financial protection against flood losses.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Flood insurance is made available within the community as a financial protection against flood losses.

http://www.fema.gov/nfip/intnfip.shtm

## Office for Domestic Preparedness Terrorism Formula Grants

The Office for Domestic Preparedness (ODP) provides funding through the states awards to enhance the capacity of emergency responders to prevent, deter, or respond to terrorist incidents involving weapons of mass destruction. The funding is awarded to a point of contact in each state and then distributed within the state.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Activities have included training, technical assistance, equipment, planning and exercises related to domestic terrorism events.

http://www.ojp.gov/state.htm

#### Petroleum Remediation Grant Incentive

Grant amounts up to \$250,000 per applicant and per funding round are available to cities, towns and counties. The grant pays for the cost of petroleum remediation at identified brownfield sites.

Previous Activities Funded: Eligible activities include: underground storage tank removal, Corrective Action Plan preparation, IDEM approved remediation and monitoring. http://www.idfabrownfields.com/assistance.aspx#PRGI

## **Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program**

The Pre-Disaster Mitigation (PDM) program provides technical and financial assistance to States and local governments for cost-effective pre-disaster hazard mitigation activities that complement a comprehensive mitigation program, and reduce injuries, loss of life, and damage and destruction of property. FEMA provides grants to States and Federally recognized Indian tribal governments that, in turn, provide sub-grants to local governments (to include Indian Tribal governments) for mitigation activities such as planning and the implementation of projects identified through the evaluation of natural hazards.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Acquisition and/or relocation of flood-prone properties, Drainage/stormwater management projects, and hazard mitigation planning activities.

http://www.fema.gov/fima/mitgrant.shtm

# Public Assistance Grant Program

FEMA's Public Assistance (PA) Grant Program allows State and Local governments and Non-Profit Organizations to respond to disasters, to recover from their impact and to mitigate impact from future disasters. The PA Program provides the basis for consistent training and credentialing of staff who administer the program; more accessible and understandable guidance and policy for participating in the grant program; improved customer service through a more efficient grant delivery process, applicant-centered management, and better information exchange; and continuing performance evaluations and program improvements.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Debris removal from public roads and rights-of-way, Emergency protective measures including search and rescue, warning of hazards, and demolition of unsafe structures, Utility Distribution Systems, such as water treatment and delivery systems; and sewage collection and treatment facilities and public parks.

http://www.fema.gov/rrr/pa/

# Purdue Cooperative Extension Service

Purdue Cooperative Extension Service provides valuable educational materials and training programs to assist in the event of a disaster or emergency

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Previous Activities Funded: Activities are educational in nature and not generally monetary offerings.

http://www.ces.purdue.edu/eden/index.html

## **Severe Repetitive Loss**

This purpose of this FEMA program is to reduce or eliminate claims under the NFIP. This program applies to residential properties covered under an NFIP flood insurance police and has at least 4 NFIP claim payments over \$5,000 each and a cumulative amount exceeds \$20,000 OR for which 2 separate claims payments have been made with the cumulative amount of the building portion exceeding the market value of the building.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Acquisition and demolition or relocation of at risk structures and conversion of the land to open space; elevation of existing structures to at least the Base Flood Elevation (BFE); minor physical localized flood reduction projects; and dry floodproofing for historic properties only.

http://www.fema.gov/government/grant/srl/index.shtm

# Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response Grants

The purpose of the Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) grants is to award grants directly to volunteer, combination, and career fire departments to help the departments increase their cadre of firefighters. Ultimately, the goal is for SAFER grantees to enhance their ability to attain 24-hour staffing and thus assuring their communities have adequate protection from fire and fire-related hazards.

**Previous Activities Funded:** The SAFER grants have two activities that will help grantees attain this goal: 1) hiring of firefighters and 2) recruitment and retention of volunteer firefighters.

http://www.firegrantsupport.com/safer/

## Volunteer Fire Assistance Program

The purpose of the Volunteer Fire Assistance (VFA) Program, formerly known as the Rural Community Fire Protection (RCFP) Program, is to provide Federal financial, technical, and other assistance to State foresters to train, and equip fire departments in rural areas and rural communities to prevent and suppress fires. A rural community is defined as having 10,000 or less population. This 10,000-population limit for participation in the VFA Program facilitates distribution of available VFA funding to the most needy fire departments. The funding must be matched on a 50-50% basis by non-federal dollars or in-kind.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Purchase of Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus, Protective clothing, installation of dry hydrants, and training for volunteer fire fighters.

www.fs.fed.us/fire/planning/vfa

#### Weatherization Assistance Program

Indiana's Weatherization Assistance Program provides residential energy conservation services to the low-income citizens of Indiana. Funding comes from federal sources and is allocated to Community Action Agencies (CAA) to provide services in each of Indiana's 92 counties. The CAAs use their own crews or private contractors to provide comprehensive energy conservation services.

**Previous Activities Funded:** A thorough evaluation of the structures, including the safe and efficient operation of the furnace and water heater, is included in the treatment of each home.

http://www.in.gov/fssa/families/housing/wap.html

## Wetland Reserve Program

The Wetlands Reserve Program (WRP) is a voluntary program offering landowners the opportunity to protect, restore, and enhance wetlands on their property. The NRCS goal is to achieve the greatest wetland functions and values, along with optimum wildlife habitat, on every acre enrolled in the program. This program offers landowners an opportunity to establish long-term conservation and wildlife practices and protection.

**Previous Activities Funded:** The USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) provides technical and financial support to help landowners with their wetland restoration efforts.

http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/wrp/

## Wildlife Habitat Incentive Program

The Wildlife Habitat Incentives Program (WHIP) is a voluntary program for people who want to develop and improve wildlife habitat primarily on private land. Through WHIP USDA's Natural Resources Conservation Service provides both technical assistance and up to 75 percent cost-share assistance to establish and improve fish and wildlife habitat. WHIP agreements between NRCS and the participant generally last from 5 to 10 years from the date the agreement is signed.

**Previous Activities Funded:** Development of areas primarily targeted for wildlife habitat also serve as beneficial areas for flood mitigation activities such as wetland construction/restoration, native grass plantings, and filter area establishment.

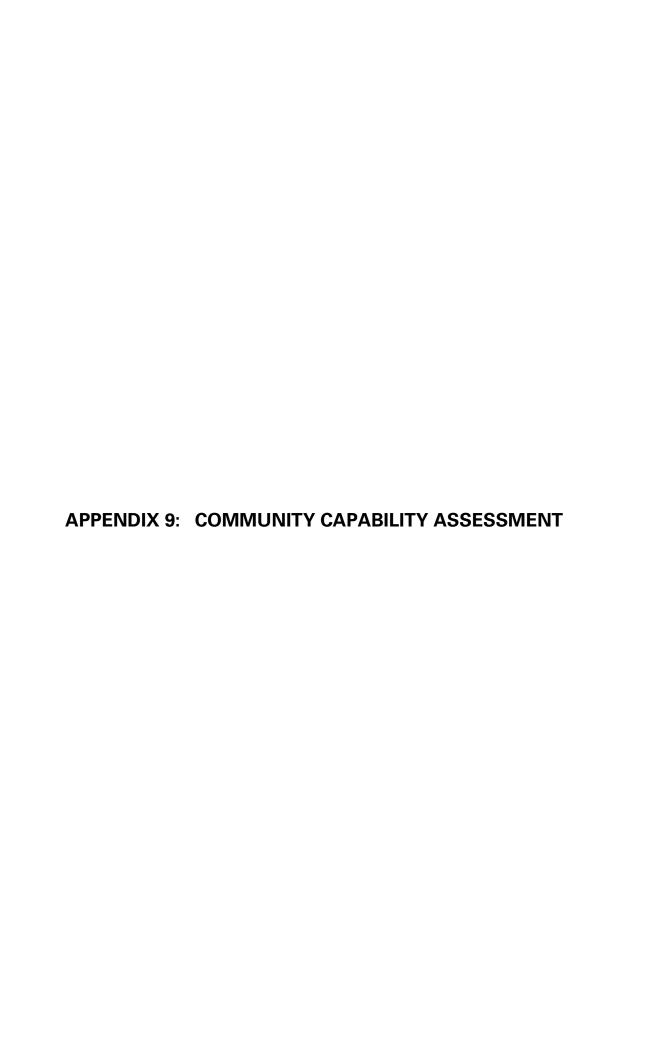
http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/whip/





CRS 10-Step Planning Process	Max. Points	Est. Points	Comments
1. Organize and Prepare the Plan	15	13	
Involvement of office responsible for community planning	4	4	Table 1-1 lists Planning Committee name, title, and department/agency represented
Planning committee of department staff	9	9	Table 1-1 lists Planning Committee name, title, and department/agency represented
Process formally created by the community's governing board	2	0	
2. Involve the Public	120	60	
Planning process conducted through a planning committee	60	30	Appendix 2 contains Planning Committee meeting agendas and summaries; Planning Committee reviewed draft MHMP, assisted with public review, and assisted with local adoption
Public meetings held at the beginning of the planning process	15	0	
Public meeting held on the draft plan	15	15	Full draft presented to the public; draft plan made available for public review on webpage, EMA office, Planning Office
Other public information activities to encourage input	30	15	Plan posted to website, press release; outreach flyer
3. Coordinate with Other Agencies	35	25	
Review of existing studies and plans (required)	5	5	Conducted a Community Capability Assessment to better understand existing mitigation programs, policies, and projects
Coordinating with communities and other agencies	30	20	Appendix 3 includes the invitation sent to the surrounding County EMA Directors; IDNR, FEMA and IDHS involved in planning process
4. Assess the Hazard	35	35	
Map of known flood hazards	5	5	Exhibit illustrates FIRM floodplains as well as the location of critical facilities.
Description of known flood hazards	5	5	Section 3 discusses areas with a known localized flooding issue as well as floodplains; Table shows potential losses of structures located within floodplains
Discussion of past floods	5	5	Section provides an overview of the most recent floods of note as identified by the Planning Committee, local media sources, and NCDC data; Table shows Repetitive Loss numbers; Table shows flood insurance claims
Plan includes assessment of less frequent floods	10	10	Section 3 discusses areas with a known localized flooding issue as well as floodplains; Table shows potential losses of structures located within floodplains
Plan includes assessment of areas likely to flood	5	5	Section 3 discusses areas with a known localized flooding issue as well as floodplains; Table shows potential losses of structures located within floodplains
Describes other natural hazards (required DMA)	5	5	Section 3 includes information related to Drought, Earthquake; Extreme Temperature; Fire; Flood; Hailstorm, Thunderstorm, and Windstorm; Land Subsidence; Tornado; Winter Storm and Ice; Dam/Levee Failure; Hazardous Materials
5. Assess the Problem	52	34	
Summary of hazard and impact on community (required)	2	2	Section 3.0 includes a Vulnerability Assessment for each hazard (Drought, Earthquake; Extreme Temperature; Fire; Flood; Hailstorm, Thunderstorm, and Windstorm; Land Subsidence; Tornado; Winter Storm and Ice; Dam/Levee Failure; Hazardous Materials) that specifies (where possible) the number of critical facilities that would be impacted
Impact on life, safety, health, procedures for warning and evacuation	5	5	Section 3.0 includes a Vulnerability Assessment for each hazard (Drought, Earthquake; Extreme Temperature; Fire; Flood; Hailstorm, Thunderstorm, and Windstorm; Land Subsidence; Tornado; Winter Storm and Ice; Dam/Levee Failure; Hazardous Materials) that specifies (where possible) the number of critical facilities that would be impacted
Impact on public health including health hazards to floodwater/mold	5		
Impact on critical facilities and infrastructure	5	5	Section 3.0 includes a Vulnerability Assessment for each hazard (Drought, Earthquake; Extreme Temperature; Fire; Flood; Hailstorm, Thunderstorm, and Windstorm; Land Subsidence; Tornado; Winter Storm and Ice; Failure; Hazardous Materials) that specifies (where possible) the number of critical facilities that would be impacted

CRS 10-Step Planning Process	Max. Points	Est. Points	Comments
Impact on community's economy and tax base	5	0	
Number and types of buildings subject to the hazards	5	5	Section 3.0 includes a Vulnerability Assessment for each hazard (Drought, Earthquake; Extreme Temperature; Fire; Flood; Hailstorm, Thunderstorm, and Windstorm; Land Subsidence; Tornado; Winter Storm and Ice; Dam/Levee Failure; Hazardous Materials) that specifies (where possible) the number of critical facilities that would be impacted
Review of all flood insurance claims	5	5	Table list flood insurance claims
Natural and beneficial function of natural areas	5	5	Section 3 discusses the natural and beneficial function of floodplains for flood storage
Development, redevelopment, and population trends	7	7	Section2 discusses population and demographics
6. Set Goals (required)	2	2	Section 4.1 list goal for MHMP - to reduce social, physical, and economic losses from hazards
7. Review Possible Activities	35	35	
Preventive activities	5	5	Section 4.2.1 discusses existing Mitigation Practices; Table 4-1 lists proposed Mitigation Practices for Preventive
Floodplain management regulatory/current and future conditions	5	5	Section 4.2.1 discusses existing Mitigation Practices; Table 4-1 lists proposed Mitigation Practices for Property Protection
Property protection activities	5	5	Section 4.2.1 discusses existing Mitigation Practices; Table 4-1 lists proposed Mitigation Practices for Property Protection
Natural resource protection activities	5	5	Section 4.2.1 discusses existing Mitigation Practices; Table 4-1 lists proposed Mitigation Practices for Natural Resource Protection
Emergency services activities	5	5	Section 4.2.1 discusses existing Mitigation Practices; Table 4-1 lists proposed Mitigation Practices for Emergency Services
Structural projects	5	5	Section 4.2.1 discusses existing Mitigation Practices; Table 4-1 lists proposed Mitigation Practices for Structural Projects
Public information activities	5	5	Section 4.2.1 discusses existing Mitigation Practices; Table 4-1 lists proposed Mitigation Practices for Public Information
8. Draft Action Plan	60	60	
Recommendations for activities 2 of 6 categories from #7 (prioritized)	10	0	
Recommendations for activities 3 of 6 categories from #7 (prioritized)	20	0	
Recommendations for activities 4 of 6 categories from #7 (prioritized)	30	0	
Recommendations for activities 5 of 6 categories from #7s (prioritized)	45	45	Table 4-1 lists and prioritizes proposed Mitigation Practices for all 6 possible activities (Prevention, Property Protection, Natural Resource Protection, Emergency Services, Structural Projects, and Public Information); Section 5.0 includes an Implementation Plan for High Priority Mitigation Practices
Post-disaster mitigation policies and procedures	10	10	Section 6.1 recommends the EMA Director reassemble the Planning Committee following a significant hazard incident to review the effectiveness of existing Mitigation Practices and make recommendations for improvement
Action items for mitigation other hazards	5	5	Table 4-1 includes Mitigation Practices for Drought, Earthquake; Extreme Temperature; Fire; Flood; Hailstorm, Thunderstorm, and Windstorm; Land Subsidence; Tornado; Winter Storm and Ice; Dam/Levee Failure; Hazardous Materials Section 5.0 includes an Implementation Plan for High Priority Mitigation Practices
9. Adopt the Plan	2	2	
10. Implement, Evaluate and Revise	26	26	
Procedures to monitor and recommend revisions (required)	2	2	Section 6.1 includes a process to monitor, evaluate, and update the MHMP; effort to be led by EMA Director
Plan evaluated by same (or equally qualified) planning committee	24	24	Section 6.1 acknowledges that the successful implementation of the Mitigation Practices identified in this MHMP will require cooperation and participation of entire Planning Committee.
TOTAL	382	292	





Plans	Comprehensive Plan	Local Emergency Plan	Economic Development	Watershed Plan
Newton County		N C MIIMD		
Town of Brook		multi-juriedictional		
Town of Goodland			Newton County Economic Development Commission	
Town of Kentland				
Town of Morocco				
Town of Mount Ayr				

Ordinances	Zoning Ordinance	Subdivision Control Ordinance	Stormwater Ordinance	Burning Ordinance	Water Conservation Ordinance
Newton County					
Town of Brook					
Town of Goodland					
Town of Kentland					
Town of Morocco					
Town of Mount Ayr					

Programs	NFIP	CRS	Tree City	Storm Ready	Mutual Aid Agreements
Newton County	180179#	No	No	Yes	
Town of Brook	180180#	No	Yes	Yes	
Town of Goodland	180181#	No	No	Yes	Yes
Town of Kentland	180182A	No	No	Yes	Fire, Police, EMS
Town of Morocco	180301A	No	No	Yes	
Town of Mount Ayr		No	Yes	Yes	

Studies/Maps	FIRMs	Evacuation Routes	Vulnerable Populations	At-Risk Structures	River Basin Partnership
Newton County	05/04/2015				
Town of Brook	05/04/2015				
Town of Goodland	NSFHA				
Town of Kentland					
Town of Morocco	05/04/2015(M)				
Town of Mount Ayr					

Staffing	Building/ Planning	GIS	Engineer / Surveyor	Street/ Highway	Floodplain Admin
Newton County	Glen Cain, Building Commissioner		Chris Knochel, County Surveyor	David Pluimer, Highway Superintendent	Glen Cain, Building Commissioner
Town of Brook		Schneider Corp is a			Jeff Snodgrass
Town of Goodland		contract service			
Town of Kentland		provider		Richard Purdy, Public Works	Judy King, Clerk-Treasurer
Town of Morocco					
Town of Mount Ayr					

APPENDIX 10: IMPLEMENTATION CHECKLIST



MITIGATION PRACTICE	HAZARD ADDRESSED	STATUS	PRIORITY	2025 STATUS
Building Protection  1. Protect existing critical facilities in floodplains  (Will assist with NFIP compliance)	☐ Drought ☐ Earthquake ☐ Extreme Temperature ☐ Fire ☐ Flood ☐ Hail/Thunder/Wind ☐ Landslide/Subsidence ☐ Tornado ☐ Winter Storm/Ice ☐ Dam Failure ☐ HazMat Incident	<ul> <li>Ongoing –         <ol> <li>George Ade Center, Sumava Resort Improvement Club, NIPSCO Substation, and Brook water tower are located in SFHA</li> </ol> </li> <li>Proposed Enhancements –         <ol> <li>Complete studies to determine needs to protect each facility and make improvements as able</li> </ol> </li> </ul>	High	
<ol> <li>Flood Studies and Protection</li> <li>Conduct detailed flood protection studies for problem areas and/or areas with repetitive flooding problems</li> <li>Prepare a detailed Flood Response Plan to improve response and reduce losses from a flood event</li> </ol> (Will assist with NFIP compliance)	☐ Drought ☐ Earthquake ☐ Extreme Temperature ☐ Fire ☑ Flood ☐ Hail/Thunder/Wind ☐ Landslide/Subsidence ☐ Tornado ☐ Winter Storm/Ice ☐ Dam Failure ☐ HazMat Incident	<ul> <li>Ongoing –</li> <li>Studies have been completed for various areas throughout the county</li> <li>Proposed Enhancements –</li> <li>Evaluate local areas with repetitive flooding and prepare county prioritized listing for additional studies</li> <li>Prioritize areas in need of Flood Response Plan and develop team to prepare plan</li> </ul>	High	
Community Rating System  1. Investigate potential to reduce flood insurance premiums through participation in the NFIP's CRS Program.  (Will assist with NFIP compliance)	☐ Drought ☐ Earthquake ☐ Extreme Temperature ☐ Fire ☑ Flood ☐ Hail/Thunder/Wind ☐ Landslide/Subsidence ☐ Tornado ☐ Winter Storm/Ice ☐ Dam Failure ☐ HazMat Incident	Ongoing –  1. No communities currently participate in the CRS program  Proposed Enhancement –  1. Participation from Newton County	Moderate	
Land Use Planning & Zoning  1. Incorporate hazard information, risk assessment, and hazard mitigation practices into the Comprehensive Land Use Plan and Development Review to better guide future growth and development	<ul> <li>☑ Drought</li> <li>☑ Earthquake</li> <li>☑ Extreme Temperature</li> <li>☑ Fire</li> <li>☑ Flood</li> <li>☑ Hail/Thunder/Wind</li> <li>☑ Landslide/Subsidence</li> <li>☑ Tornado</li> <li>☑ Winter Storm/Ice</li> <li>☑ Dam Failure</li> <li>☑ HazMat Incident</li> </ul>	Proposed Enhancement –  1. Update the Newton County Comprehensive Plan and include information related to hazards, more definitively outline higher risk areas and those that should be avoided for future development	Moderate	

MITIGATION PRACTICE	HAZARD ADDRESSED	STATUS	PRIORITY	2025 STATUS
<ul> <li>Transportation</li> <li>1. Complete transportation survey to determine typical types and quantities of chemicals being transported throughout Newton County</li> </ul>	Drought Earthquake Extreme Temperature Fire Flood Hail/Thunder/Wind Landslide/Subsidence Tornado Winter Storm/Ice Dam Failure HazMat Incident	Proposed Enhancement –  1. Complete updated commodity flow study for Newton County focusing on Interstate 65, US Routes, and rail lines	Moderate	
Water Conservation  1. Research and adopt a water conservation ordinance and contingency plans to implement during water shortages	Drought Earthquake Extreme Temperature Fire Flood Hail/Thunder/Wind Landslide/Subsidence Tornado Winter Storm/Ice Dam Failure HazMat Incident	Ongoing –  Proposed Enhancement –  1. Review existing ordinances, and if needed, propose water conservation ordinance	Moderate	
<ol> <li>Emergency Response &amp; Recovery</li> <li>Inventory needs for mobile data terminals and/or upgrades in prioritized response vehicles and purchase and install as feasible</li> <li>Establish procedures to evacuate the population in known hazard areas</li> <li>Coordinate communications, documentation, and record keeping between communities and agencies including a database of accurate and community specific information following each</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>☑ Drought</li> <li>☑ Earthquake</li> <li>☑ Extreme Temperature</li> <li>☑ Fire</li> <li>☑ Flood</li> <li>☑ Hail/Thunder/Wind</li> <li>☑ Landslide/Subsidence</li> <li>☑ Tornado</li> <li>☑ Winter Storm/Ice</li> <li>☑ Dam Failure</li> <li>☑ HazMat Incident</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Ongoing –</li> <li>Some departments have needed equipment, Fire/EMS struggle; Goodland not equipped</li> <li>Evacuation procedures have been developed for hazmat incidents</li> <li>Post event information is provided in varying degrees</li> <li>Many communities have Mutual Aid for medical, fire, and police response efforts</li> <li>Backup of records occurs in varied levels within each community</li> </ol>	High (data terminals, evacuations, recordkeeping,)	
<ul> <li>hazard events</li> <li>4. Investigate reciprocal agreements between neighboring communities/counties for structural inspections following hazardous events</li> <li>5. Establish a water rescue team in Newton County</li> <li>6. Investigate most efficient and protected method to back up county and municipal records</li> </ul>		<ol> <li>Proposed Enhancement –         <ol></ol></li></ol>	Moderate (reciprocal agreements, water rescue team)  Low (records back-up)	

MITIGATION PRACTICE	HAZARD	STATUS	PRIORITY	2025 STATUS
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Power Backup Generators	☐ Drought ☑ Earthquake	Ongoing –	High	
Require power back-up generators in all critical facilities (existing and new)	Extreme Temperature	1. Many critical facilities have generators or have added since the last plan	(generators in critical facilities)	
2. Inventory, prioritize, and retrofit public facilities	⊠ Fire	3. Some communities have verbal agreements for fuel supplies	juiiiies)	
and/or critical facilities with appropriate wiring	Flood	4. A solar field exists within the county	Moderate	
and electrical capabilities for utilizing a large	<ul><li>☐ Hail/Thunder/Wind</li><li>☐ Landslide/Subsidence</li></ul>	,	(inventory)	
generator for power back up	Tornado	Proposed Enhancements –		
3. Secure a fuel reserve, or ensure contractual	Winter Storm/Ice	1. Inventory and prioritize critical facilities in need of generators	Low	
emergency provisions so critical infrastructure	\overline Dam Failure	2. Inventory generator capabilities and needs and prioritize	(fuel reserve,	
may run on power backup for extended periods		within each community to determine needs for future	wind/solar)	
of time		purchases		
4. Investigate the potential to utilize wind or solar		3. Secure a fuel reserve via contract service agreement		
generators		4. Determine feasibility of replicating solar field elsewhere in the		
		county or developing a wind powered generator for other		
Emande Description & Warning	Drought	facilities	TT:=1.	
Emergency Preparedness & Warning  1. Improve disaster preparedness and emergency	Earthquake	Ongoing –  1. County has some residents trained; Goodland and Mount Ayr	High (CERT, bilingual	
response at the local level through the CERT or	Extreme Temperature	would benefit from trained residents	notifications, mobile	
similar program	⊠ Fire	3. The county has access to mobile message boards through the	message boards,	
2. Create bilingual notifications and hazard	Flood	District	private message	
preparedness materials as well as purchase	<ul><li>☐ Hail/Thunder/Wind</li><li>☐ Landslide/Subsidence</li></ul>	4. Several facilities in the county operate dynamic message	boards, sirens, metal	
translators 3. Purchase mobile message boards to provide	Tornado	boards	detectors, cameras)	
current hazard information	Winter Storm/Ice	5. Sirens provide coverage for most populated areas		
4. Coordinate with private building owners	🔯 Dam Failure	7. Some school cameras are tied to 911 facility and can be		
utilizing large dynamic message boards for	HazMat Incident	monitored		
business to use during hazard events				
5. Improve outdoor warning siren coverage or		Proposed Enhancements –		
complete software upgrades to alert		1. Increase number of trained individuals in prioritized areas and		
populations of severe weather conditions		provide training throughout the year.		
6. Install metal detectors at County Government Center and other potentially vulnerable public		<ul><li>2. Create and provide notifications and information in Spanish</li><li>3. Purchase message boards for use in Newton County</li></ul>		
locations		4. Coordinate with facility owners who operate dynamic message		
7. Enhance police or security abilities with		boards and provide them with pre-scripted messages to use		
additional cameras at schools or large		during hazard events.		
employers		5. Additional sirens in unincorporated areas and software		
8. Investigate and propose an ordinance to		upgrades for existing sirens	Moderate	
require developers to pay to install additional		6. Install metal detectors at County Government Center	(siren ordinance,	
sirens for new developments or pay into siren		7. Install additional cameras at schools and large employers	readiness kits)	
fund as part of new developments		8. Propose and adopt an ordinance to have developers pay into a		
9. Encourage disaster readiness kits containing		fund for additional outdoor warning sirens		
plastic sheeting and duct tape for windows,		9. Encourage readiness kits containing shelter in place materials		
doors, and vents to be placed in all critical		for events related to potential radiological events		
facilities				

MITIGATION PRACTICE	HAZARD ADDRESSED	STATUS	PRIORITY	2025 STATUS
Safer Rooms and Community Shelters	Drought	Ongoing –	High	
1. Research incentives for private buildings with approved safe rooms	Earthquake Extreme Temperature	2. Shelters locations are spaced throughout the county as available and as needed	(incentives)	
2. Develop temporary and/or long-term shelter	<ul><li>☐ Fire</li><li>☐ Flood</li></ul>		Moderate	
agreements within the County. Potential for	Hail/Thunder/Wind	Proposed Enhancement –	(shelter agreements	
tiered levels of shelters, domestic animal shelters,	Landslide/Subsidence	1. Research incentives and provide to structures with approved	advertise for large	
etc., especially in small communities	Tornado (	safe rooms	gatherings)	
3. Clearly advertise location of safe rooms and	Winter Storm/Ice	2. Continue to evaluate shelter locations and needs throughout		
community shelters for large gatherings of	Dam Failure	the county		
people	HazMat Incident	3. Develop education materials for large gatherings		
Public Education & Outreach	Drought	Ongoing –	Moderate	
1. Clearly advertise location of safe rooms and	Earthquake		(advertise safe rooms	
community shelters for large gatherings of	<ul><li>X Extreme Temperature</li><li>X Fire</li></ul>	Proposed Enhancement –	and shelters)	
people (sporting events, community events, etc.)	Flood	1. Work with coordinators of events to develop methods of		
2. Establish an FM or AM station to alert the public	Hail/Thunder/Wind	advertising safe locations and evacuation procedures	Low	
of weather announcements	X Landslide/Subsidence	2. Develop an FM or AM station to provide announcements	(radio station)	
	Tornado Tornado	related to hazards or impending weather		
	Winter Storm/Ice			
	Dam Failure			
	☐ HazMat Incident			