

HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE STEERING COMMITTEE
Communications & Technology Building, Room 111/112
April 9, 2024

Committee Members Present: Korina Aghmar, Steve Balcazo, Todd Blaser, Brandon Robinson, Paul Granger, Rhonda Green, Melissa Konop, Dan Koski, Dave Murack, Brian Nack, Gerry Neuser, Jason Orth, Lexi Otis, Andrea Raymakers, Brenden Riley, and other invited non-committee members were in attendance.

Call to Order: The meeting was called to order by Brandon Robinson at 1:31 pm.

Roll Call/Introductions: Roll call was completed at 2:12 pm.

Public Comment: No public was present.

Project Description: Brandon Robinson explained the Hazard Mitigation Planning process to all those in attendance.

Review of Project Schedule and Expectations: Brandon Robinson included the planning overview, the plan structure, the pre-set steering committee schedule, the mitigation goals created in the 2020-2025 plan update, explained the purpose of a hazard risk assessment, and included the natural hazards identified in the 2020-2025 plan update. He also readdressed the expectations of the members of the steering committee.

Review/Update Elements from Previous Plan: Brandon Robinson brought draft the entire plan and presented it to all those in attendance. Brandon addressed issues with language barriers that will need to be overcome in the future with ensure all minority members of the community will have equal access to the document. Additionally, Brandon spoke about issues with the county population count from the census and finished by explaining all maps and charts within the draft. A robust discussion took place during the continuation of the Mitigation Strategies portion of this section.

Discuss Next Steps: Brandon Robinson visited what portions of the 2020-2025 Hazard Mitigation Plan will be reviewed at the next Steering Committee meeting, in addition to the tabled portions of this meeting.

Next Meeting Date: To be determined following a survey of committee members' availability.

Respectfully submitted,



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