



City of New Orleans Hazard Mitigation Plan

Planning Committee Meeting

April 1, 2020

Agenda

- Introductions and Housekeeping
- Outreach and Engagement
- Plan Development
- Floodplain Management and Engineering
- Next Steps
- Discussion

Introductions and Housekeeping

- Introductions
- Housekeeping Items
 - Please mute your line when not speaking
 - Chat feature allows for questions at anytime
 - City of New Orleans (Austin) will be presenting
 - GCR (Jennifer) will be hosting and managing the meeting

Outreach and Engagement

- Public Information Strategy
- Public Meeting #1
- Neighboring Jurisdiction Participation

Outreach and Engagement- Public Information Strategy

- Shift to online outreach and engagement
- Focus on engaging service providers and advocates to reach vulnerable populations
- Feedback or questions?

Outreach and Engagement- Public Meeting #1

- Moved to online webinar
- Webinar will use Webex Platform
- Scheduled for April 7, 2020 at 6:00 p.m.
- 123 registered participants

Outreach and Engagement- Neighboring Jurisdiction Participation

- Reaching out to neighboring parishes
 - St. Bernard
 - Jefferson
 - Plaquemines
 - St. Tammany
- Opportunity to participate in Planning Committee meetings

Plan Development

- Hazard Summary
- Capability Assessment
- Data Inventory & Remaining Gaps
- Website Update


Plan Development – Hazard Summary

- Changes to proposed hazards (table provided)
- Discussion of dams, drought, cyber, and economic shock
- Treatment of natural vs. manmade hazards by FEMA review team

Natural Hazards

2015 Hazards	Proposed 2020 Hazards
Floods	Flooding
Tropical Cyclones	Tropical Cyclones
Storm Surge	Coastal Erosion
Coastal Erosion	Tornadoes
Tornadoes	Subsidence
Subsidence	Winter Weather (Revised)
Winter Storms	Extreme Heat (Revised)
Drought	Severe Thunderstorms (Revised)
Extreme Temperatures	
Thunderstorms (Hail and Lightning)	

Man-Made Hazards

2015 Hazards	Proposed 2020 Hazards
Dam & Levee Failure	Hazardous Materials (Includes Spills/Releases and Contamination)
Hazardous Materials Spills/Contamination, Fixed Site & Transportation	Active Threats (Includes Terrorism, Civil Unrest, Cyber Threats, and Active Attack)
Power Outages	Infrastructure Failure (Includes Levee Failure, Building Collapse, Water Systems Failure, and Power Outages)
Terrorism	Infectious Disease Outbreak (Including Pandemic)
Infrastructure Failure	Economic Shock 
Building Collapse	
Civil Unrest	
Pandemic	

 Newly Identified Hazard

Plan Development – Capability Assessment

- Summary of feedback received
- Information needed from specific agencies
- Discussion on FEMA treatment of jurisdictions, partners, and stakeholders

Plan Development – Data Inventory and Remaining Gaps

- Inventory of data received to date (table provided)
- Critical facilities (worksheet provided)
- Facilities serving vulnerable populations (worksheet provided)
- Buildings proposed for mitigation actions must be identified

Plan Development – Website Update

- FEMA concept approval
- Phased Development for city/public feedback
- Introduction section of the plan will be first to launch

Floodplain Management & Engineering

- CRS participation requirements to be incorporated into project monitoring
- Agency project/action reviews completed

Next Steps

- Risk Assessment
- Hazard Profiles
- Loss Estimates
- Event Histories
- Vulnerability Assessments

Discussion



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