SUMMARY NOTES OF THE APRIL 13, 2022, MEETING OF THE RACINE COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE LOCAL PLANNING TEAM

INTRODUCTION

The April 13, 2022, meeting of the Racine County Hazard Mitigation Plan Local Planning Team was convened at the Ive's Grove Auditorium at 9:30 a.m. The meeting was called to order by James Kerner, Director of Racine County's Division of Emergency Management. Attendance was taken by circulating a sign-in sheet.

In attendance (either virtually or in-person) at the meeting were the following:

Local Planning Team Members

James Kerner, Co-Chair Emergency Management Director, Racine County

Julie Anderson, Co-Chair Director, Racine County DPW and Development Services

Alan Babe Fire Chief and EM Coordinator, City of Burlington
Roley Behm Highway Superintendent, Racine County DPW
Jeff Berard Director, Journey Disaster Response Team

Aaron Bixby SC Johnson Fire Brigade

Daniel Bocock Director of Building & Grounds, Burlington Area School Dist.

Dotti-Kay Bowersox Public Health Officer, City of Racine Health Department

Kim Chapman Sturtevant Police Department/EM Coordinator
Kim Christman Real Property Lister-GIS Manager, Racine County

Jonathan Delagrave Racine County Executive

Joel Dietl Chief Land Use Planner, SEWRPC Frank Fierek Senior Specialist, SEWPRC

Alex Freeman Deputy EM Coordinator, Racine County Steven Hansen Racine Fire Department/EM Coordinator

Keith Hendricks Deputy Health Officer/Racine County Public Health

Jeff Henningfeld Caledonia Fire Department
Jeff Hintz Planning Manager, City of Racine

Ken Hinz
Director of Public Works, Town of Waterford
Rick Huening
Utilities Supervisor, Village of Waterford
Zeke Jackson
Administrator, Village of Waterford
Kathryn Kasper
Administrator, Village of Caledonia
Max Kluth
Mt. Pleasant Aurora Health Network

Stephan Kurdas Laboratory Health Director, City of Racine Health Department

Gary Larsen Caledonia Police Department

Kevan Leedle Raymond Fire and Rescue Department

Adrian Machalik President, Racine Fire Bells Katelyn Miner Land Use Planner, SEWRPC

Ron Molnar Kansasville Fire Department/EM Coordinator

Michelle Ortwein Executive Director, Volunteer Center of Racine County

Blair Pfeffer Crew Leader, Village of Mt. Pleasant

Ron Pritzlaff Assistant Commissioner of PW, City of Racine
Peter Reynolds Chief of Staff, Racine Unified School District
Peter Riggs Director of Public Works, City of Burlington

Chad Sampson Land Conservationist, Racine County

John Serketich Principal Assistant Corporation Counsel, Racine County

Robert Stedman

David Stroupe

Skip Twardosz

Pete Wagner

Southshore Fire Department

Mt. Pleasant Police Department

EM Coordinator, Town of Burlington

Development Director, Village of Caledonia

Carina Walters Administrator, City of Burlington

Sarah Webb Volunteer Coordinator, Volunteer Center of Racine Co.
Linsey Weber Deputy Director of Public Works, Village of Mt. Pleasant
Brian Zmudzinski City of Burlington Police Department/EM Coordinator

In addition, the following attendees (non-Planning Team members) were present (either virtually or inperson):

Mark Anderson City of Burlington Police Department
Christopher Botsch Village of Caledonia Police Department

Carissa Brunner Public Health Strategist, Racine County Public Health

Kelly Fragassi Manager, Journey Disaster Response Team

Rebecca Wallendal Clerk, Village of Union Grove

Megan Watkins Assistant City Administrator, City of Burlington

Mr. Delagrave welcomed the attendees to the meeting and thanked them for their participation. He then discussed the importance of the Hazard Mitigation Plan for the County.

OVERVIEW OF HAZARD MITIGATION AND HAZARD MITIGATION PLANNING PROCESS

Ms. Anderson introduced Katelyn Miner, Land Use Planner, Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission (SEWRPC). Ms. Miner briefly reviewed the meeting's agenda. She then presented (PowerPoint) an overview of hazard mitigation and the hazard mitigation planning process.

BACKGROUND ON THE CURRENT EDITION OF THE RACINE COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN AND DEVELOPMENT OF THE PLAN UPDATE

Ms. Miner presented a brief background on SEWRPC and its role in hazard mitigation planning. She then discussed the previous (2017) update of Racine County's hazard mitigation plan.

After discussion of the current edition of the County's plan, Ms. Miner presented the main components that are developed as part of SEWRPC's hazard mitigation planning format. She also presented a tentative schedule for the current plan updating process. In addition, Ms. Miner explained the main functions of the Local Planning Team in the plan development process. Ms. Miner noted that this plan update will be for natural weather hazards only.

[Secretary's Note: A copy of the presentation can be found on the SEWRPC website at:

https://www.sewrpc.org/SEWRPC/communityassistance/Hazard-Mitigation-

Planning.htm under "Racine County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update"]

HAZARD AND VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENT EXERCISE

Ms. Miner led the hazard and vulnerability assessment exercise. She noted that a hazard and vulnerability assessment tool and instructions for completing the tool were included with the agenda for this meeting. She asked everyone in attendance to fill out the survey. Those that are interested that were not in attendance can fill out survey by May 15, 2022.

[Secretary's Note: A copy of the hazard and vulnerability assessment tool and the instructions for completing the tool are attached herein as Exhibit A.]

Ms. Miner asked the members of the Local Planning Team and any attendees to complete the hazard and vulnerability assessment tool. She explained that the results of this exercise would be one of the factors used to determine which hazards are addressed by the hazard mitigation plan.

ADJOURNMENT

There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

AFTER MEETING DISCUSSIONS

After Ms. Miner's presentation, Mr. Zeke Jackson, Village of Waterford Administrator, asked if 21st Century hazards would be addressed. Ms. Miner affirmed that 21st Century hazards would indeed be addressed.

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HAZARD AND VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENT SURVEY RACINE COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE

Link and QR Code to Survey:

https://arcg.is/10u8yG1



Racine County Hazard Ranking Assessment

INSTRUCTIONS

To Local Planning Team Members:

Racine County is conducting a study to better understand the preparedness needs and risk perceptions of its Hazard Mitigation Local Planning Team Members as part of the County's Hazard Mitigation Plan update process.

To do so, a questionnaire has been distributed to the Local Planning Team Members. Your feedback is needed and greatly appreciated!

The questionnaire should only take about 5-7 minutes to complete. Responses will be utilized to inform the Natural Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment portion of the Hazard Mitigation Plan update.

Your input will serve as part of your jurisdiction's participation in the Hazard Mitigation Plan update, which is required under federal guidelines to maintain eligibility for FEMA hazard mitigation funding.

DEADLINE: Please complete the survey by May 15, 2022.

Thank you for your participation!

If you have any questions, please contact Katelyn Miner, Southeastern Wisconsin Regional Planning Commission, at 262.953.3277 or kminer@sewrpc.org.

Please indicate which jurisdiction you are representing:	

PROBABILITY

Please indicate what you consider to be the likelihood that this hazard will occur.

- Low Occurs very little or not at all (every 51-100 years)
- Moderate Occurs somewhat or rarely (every 26-50 years)
- High Occurs often or frequently (every 1-25 years)
- Not Applicable does not apply to your area/jurisdiction

Issues to consider for Probability include:

- Known risk
- Historical data and experience
- Local government or agency experience

	Low	Moderate	High	Not Applicable
Riverine flooding	0	0	0	0
Stormwater flooding	0	0	0	0
Inland lake flooding	0	0	0	0
Coastal flooding	0	0	0	0
Tornado	0	0	0	0
Thunderstorm	0	0	0	0
High straight-line wind	0	0	0	0
Lightning	0	0	0	0
Hail	0	0	0	0
Heavy snowstorm	0	0	0	0
Blizzard	0	0	0	0

Ice storm	0	0	0	0
Extreme cold	0	\circ	0	0
Extreme heat	0	0	0	0
Drought	0	\circ	\circ	\circ
Fog	0	0	0	0
Dust storm	0	\circ	\circ	\circ
Lake Michigan erosion	0	0	0	0
Lake Michigan bluff failure	0	\circ	\circ	\circ
Earthquake	0	0	0	0
Wildfire	0	\circ	\circ	\circ
Dam failure	0	0	0	0
Non-Lake Michigan related landslide	0	\circ	\circ	\circ
Land subsidence	0	0	0	0

PROBABILITY: Other (please specify below)

HUMAN IMPACT

Please indicate what you consider to be the likely level of impacts to human life if the hazard occurs.

- Low Minimal or minor impact on people
- Moderate Somewhat significant impact on people
- High Severe impact on people
- Not Applicable does not apply to your area/jurisdiction

Issues to consider for Human Impact include:

- Potential to cause death
- Potential to cause injury requiring medical treatment

	Low	Moderate	High	Not Applicable
Riverine flooding	0	0	0	0
Stormwater flooding	0	0	0	0
Inland lake flooding	0	0	0	0
Coastal flooding	0	0	0	0
Tornado	0	0	\circ	\circ
Thunderstorm	0	0	0	0
High straight-line wind	0	\circ	0	\circ
Lightning	0	0	0	0
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Heavy snowstorm	0	0	0	0
Blizzard	0	0	0	0

Ice storm	0	0	0	0
Extreme cold	0	0	0	0
Extreme heat	0	0	0	0
Drought	0	0	0	0
Fog	0	0	0	0
Dust storm	0	0	0	0
Lake Michigan erosion	0	0	0	0
Lake Michigan bluff failure	0	0	0	0
Earthquake	0	0	0	0
Wildfire	0	0	\circ	\circ
Dam failure	0	0	0	0
Non-Lake Michigan related landslide	0	0	0	0
Land subsidence	0	0	0	0

HUMAN IMPACT: Other (please specify below)

PROPERTY IMPACT

Please indicate what you consider to be the likely level of physical losses and damages to property if the hazard occurs.

- Low Minimal or minor impact on properties
- Moderate Somewhat significant impact on properties
- High Severe impact on properties
- Not Applicable does not apply to your area/jurisdiction

Issues to consider for Property Impact include:

- The potential to cause damage to property or crops
- The cost to replace damaged property
- The cost to set up a temporary replacement for damaged property
- The cost to repair damaged property
- The time to recover from the property damage

	Low	Moderate	High	Not Applicable
Riverine flooding	0	0	0	0
Stormwater flooding	0	0	0	0
Inland lake flooding	0	0	0	\circ
Coastal flooding	0	0	0	0
Tornado	0	0	0	0
Thunderstorm	0	0	0	0
High straight-line wind	0	0	0	\circ
Lightning	0	0	0	0
Hail	0	\circ	\circ	\circ
Heavy snowstorm	0	0	0	0

Blizzard	0	\circ	\circ	\circ		
Ice storm	0	0	0	0		
Extreme cold	0	\circ	\circ	\circ		
Extreme heat	0	0	0	0		
Drought	0	\circ	\circ	\circ		
Fog	0	0	0	0		
Dust storm	0	\circ	\circ	\circ		
Lake Michigan erosion	0	0	0	0		
Lake Michigan bluff failure	0	\circ	\circ	\circ		
Earthquake	0	0	0	0		
Wildfire	0	\circ	\circ	\circ		
Dam failure	0	0	0	0		
Non-Lake Michigan related landslide	0	\circ	\circ	\circ		
Land subsidence	0	0	0	0		
PROPERTY IMPACT: Other (please specify below) f you would like to rank another natural hazard not already listed, please do so here.						

BUSINESS & GOVERNMENT AGENCY IMPACT

Please indicate what you consider to be the likely level of impact to the operations of businesses and government agencies if the hazard occurs.

- · Low Minimal or minor impact on operations
- Moderate Somewhat significant impact on operations
- High Severe impact on operations
- Not Applicable does not apply to your area/jurisdiction

Issues to consider for Business & Gov. Agency Impact include:

- Business or agency interruption
- Employees unable to report to work
- · Customers or clients unable to reach facility
- · Company or agency in violation of contractual agreements
- · Imposition of fines and penalties or legal costs
- Interruption of access to critical supplies
- · Interruption of product or service distribution
- Financial impact or burden
- · Interruption of critical care and emergency services

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Riverine flooding	0	0	0	0
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Tornado	0	\circ	0	0
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Wildfire	0	0	0	0
Dam failure	0	0	0	0
Non-Lake Michigan related landslide	0	0	0	0
Land subsidence	0	0	0	0

BUSINESS & GOV. AGENCY: Other (please specify below)

PREPAREDNESS

Please indicate what you consider to be the current level of preparedness for dealing with the hazard and its impacts if the hazard occurs.

- Low Prepared very little or not at all
- Moderate Prepared somewhat significantly
- High Prepared significantly well
- Not Applicable does not apply to your area/jurisdiction

Issues to consider for Preparedness include:

- The status of current plans that address the hazard
- The frequency of drills that address the hazard
- The status of training related to the hazard and its impacts
- Insurance
- The availability of back-up systems
- The availability of community resources

	Low	Moderate	High	Not Applicable
Riverine flooding	0	0	0	0
Stormwater flooding	0	0	0	0
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Coastal flooding	0	0	0	0
Tornado	0	0	0	0
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PREPAREDNESS: Other (please specify below)

What specific areas in your jurisdiction are heavily impacted by natu hazard events?	ıral
Please list these known areas and be specific.	
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Please provide a list of the hazard mitigation activities/projects your jurisdiction has initiated and/or completed since 2017.	r
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Please provide a list of the outreach activities your jurisdiction/local communities have initiated and/or completed since 2017.	
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Additional Comments	
If you have any questions, comments, concerns, or would like to rank another natural haz not already listed, please do so here.	ard
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