



HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

CUYAHOGA COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY



LOCATION

Cuyahoga County, Ohio

TASKS

- Sustainability and Resiliency Integration
- Public & Stakeholder Involvement
- Plan Integration Strategies
- Plan Adoption Assistance

HIGHLIGHTS

- Addressed natural & human-made hazards
- Facilitated public meetings virtually due to COVID-19
- Developed plan integration strategies
- Assisted jurisdictions with plan adoption

3. Thinking about the following hazards, do you think that they have increased in frequency or impact, decreased, or had no change? *

Mark only one oval per row.

	Increase	Decrease	No Change
Health Related Emergencies	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Flooding	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Temperature Extremes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Severe Winter Weather	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Earthquake	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Severe Thunderstorms	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Tornadoes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Drought	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Terrorism/CBRNE Incident	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Building/Structure Collapse	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Utility Disruption	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
IT/Communications Disruption	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Active Shooter Incident	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hazardous Materials Release	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

PROJECT DESCRIPTION

Under the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, local jurisdictions must have a disaster mitigation plan in effect to receive funds from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for pre-disaster mitigation activities. For this project, BPS served as a subconsultant and assisted in preparing the update to the Cuyahoga County Hazard Mitigation Plan with the purpose of identifying and assessing the hazards that pose the greatest risk to Cuyahoga County and its communities.

BPS organized and facilitated extensive stakeholder and public outreach and engagement activities designed to encourage participation from representatives of cities, villages, community organizations, as well as the members of the public throughout the County. Community participation was closely monitored, and feedback was collected through Google forms and analyzed to prepare mitigation action recommendations.

The BPS team also prepared the plan integration strategy that involves the incorporation of hazard mitigation principles and actions into community plans and community planning mechanisms into hazard mitigation plans.

After review and approval by the Ohio and Federal Emergency Management Agencies, the BPS team assisted communities with plan adoption.

Jurisdiction	Meeting Participation				Documentation Provided				2022 Status	
	Meeting 1	Meeting 2	Ind. Meeting	Completed Meeting Participation	Risk Evaluation	Vulnerability Assessment	Changes in Development	Capability Assessment		
Cuyahoga County	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bay Village	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Beachwood	0	0	Sept. 30th, 2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bedford	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bedford Heights	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bentleyville	0	0	Oct. 29th, 2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Berea	0	0	Sept. 23rd, 2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Bratenah	0	0	Oct. 26th, 2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brecksville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Broadview Heights	0	0	Sept. 23rd, 2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brook Park	0	0	Oct. 26th, 2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brookline	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Brookline Heights	0	0	Sept. 9th, 2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chagrin Falls	0	0	Oct. 29th, 2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cleveland Heights	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cuyahoga Heights	0	0	Dec. 22nd, 2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
East Cleveland	0	0	Oct. 6th, 2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eudist	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Fairview Park	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Garfield Heights	0	0	Oct. 8th, 2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gates Mills	0	0	Oct. 18th, 2021	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gleadow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gleadow	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Highland Heights	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0