

Resolution 2023-272
Authorizing the Adoption of the 2023/2024 Franklin County
Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update

The Board of Trustees of Franklin Township, Franklin County, Ohio, met in person in a Regular Meeting at 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, December 14, 2023. The trustee marked below made a motion for the adoption of the following Resolution:

Fleshman

Leezer

Horn

WHEREAS Franklin County and its jurisdictions recognize the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property within Franklin County; and

WHEREAS the County and its jurisdictions has prepared a multi-hazard mitigation plan, hereby known as the 2023/2024 Franklin County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update in accordance with federal laws, including the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended; the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, as amended; and the National Dam Safety Program Act, as amended; and

WHEREAS the 2023/2024 Franklin County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update identifies mitigation goals and actions to reduce or eliminate long-term risk to people and property in Franklin County and its jurisdictions from the impacts of future hazards and disasters; and

WHEREAS adoption by Franklin County and its jurisdictions demonstrates its commitment to hazard mitigation and achieving the goals outlined in the 2023/2024 Franklin County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY FRANKLIN TOWNSHIP, IN FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO:

In accordance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code, Franklin Township adopts the 2023/2024 Franklin County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update. While content related to Franklin County and Franklin Township may require revisions to meet the plan approval requirements, changes occurring after adoption will not require Franklin Township to re-adopt any further iterations of the plan. Subsequent plan updates following the approval period for this plan will require separate adoption resolutions.

See the link FranklinCountyOhhmp.com/draft-plan/ to review the mitigation plan

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that all formal actions of this Board concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were passed in an open meeting of this Board, and that all deliberations of this Board and of any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution shall be in full force and effective immediately upon its adoption.

The following trustee marked below seconded the motion:

Fleshman

Leezer

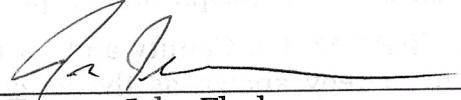
Horn

Roll was called for the adoption of the Resolution, and the vote was as follows:

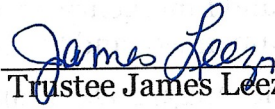
Fleshman: YES/ NO

Leezer: YES/ NO

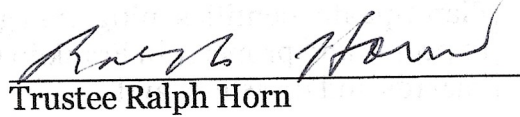
Horn: YES/ NO



Trustee John Fleshman

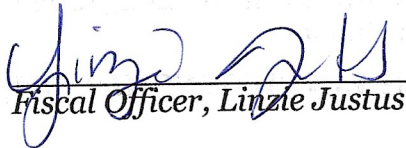


Trustee James Leezer



Trustee Ralph Horn

Attested to on this 14th day of December 2023


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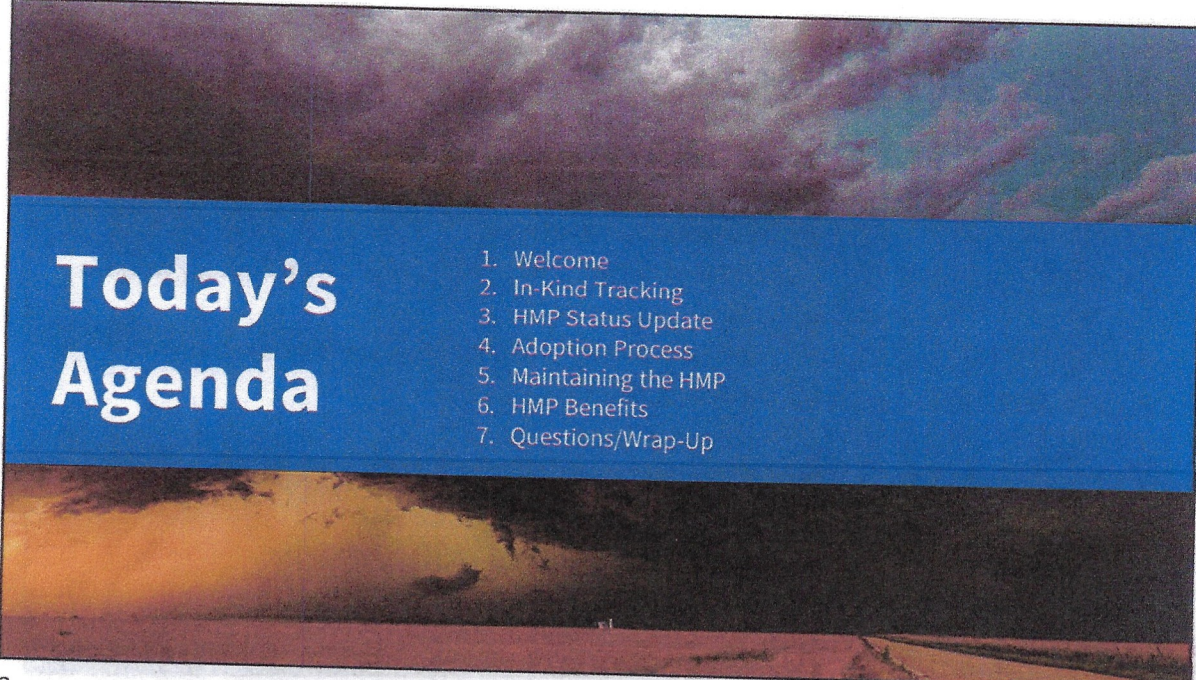
Franklin County, Ohio Hazard Mitigation Plan - 2023 Update

Planning Team Meeting | Next Steps
December 4, 2023

If you are joining through Teams, please enter your name and department/agency in the chat.

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Today's Agenda

1. Welcome
2. In-Kind Tracking
3. HMP Status Update
4. Adoption Process
5. Maintaining the HMP
6. HMP Benefits
7. Questions/Wrap-Up

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Adoption Process

- Franklin County adopted the HMP through resolution on November 21st
- Municipalities should begin adopting now. The current plan expires December 28th
- A draft adoption resolution is in the chat and will be sent out after today's meeting
- As you adopt the HMP, send copies of the resolution to Tetra Tech and Franklin County



Resolution 23-02
 Adopted: November 22, 2023
 Effective: November 27, 2023

ADOPTING THE 2023/2024 FRANKLIN COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE.

WHEREAS Franklin County, and its jurisdictions recognize the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property within Franklin County; and

WHEREAS the County and its jurisdictions has developed a multi-jurisdictional plan. This plan is in accordance with the 2023/2024 Franklin County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update in accordance with Ohio law, including the Robert T. Spitzer Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended; the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, as amended; and the National Earthquake Safety Program Act, as amended; and

WHEREAS the 2023/2024 Franklin County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update contains mitigation goals and actions to reduce or eliminate long-term loss of people and property in Franklin County, and its jurisdictions from the impacts of future hazards and actions; and

WHEREAS resolution 23-02 is a public and emergency ordinance in support of the Hazard Mitigation and Recovery Plan Update in the 2023/2024 Franklin County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Hilliard, Ohio:

4. EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY Resolution No. 0903-23

Resolution authorizing the adoption of The 2023/2024 Franklin County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan. (Emergency Management Agency)




Maintaining the HMP

- The County and each of you are responsible for monitoring, integrating, evaluating, and updating the 2023 HMP over the next 5 years
- How are you going to do that?
 - Reconvene the Planning Team once a year to provide a status update on actions and discuss any changes in mitigation and risk
 - Provide links to the HMP on your municipal websites
 - StoryMap
 - HMP Website
 - Municipal websites/social media
- BAToolSM




Monitoring



- Planning Team should meet each year over the next 5 years and discuss the following:

Planning Process	Risk Assessment	Mitigation Strategy	Implementation
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Reach out to planning partners and familiarize them with the HMP <input type="checkbox"/> Provide new information and data to the County <input type="checkbox"/> Incorporate HMP into other plans, policies, and programs <input type="checkbox"/> Invite new partners to participate in the HMP 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Record major state or federal disaster declarations or hazard events in past year <input type="checkbox"/> Discuss changes in population, land use or development in high-hazard areas <input type="checkbox"/> Document any new impacts on community vulnerability <input type="checkbox"/> Consider new information on the effect of future conditions, such as climate change <input type="checkbox"/> Check for new flood maps <input type="checkbox"/> Look at relevant Risk MAP products 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Encourage local partners to familiarize themselves with mitigation projects <input type="checkbox"/> Discuss changes in local capabilities or risk reduction goals <input type="checkbox"/> Check if mitigation actions align with local capabilities and goals <input type="checkbox"/> Report mitigation progress, successes, funding received, and training held 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Discuss the potential benefits of new training, data, funding sources, or technical assistance for carrying out mitigation actions <input type="checkbox"/> Brainstorm non-FEMA funding sources <input type="checkbox"/> Base funding source ideas on how mitigation goals align with other plans <input type="checkbox"/> Plan strategies to communicate mitigation priorities and actions to potential funding partners <input type="checkbox"/> Ensure readiness to apply for funds by making the priorities and actions known when funds become available


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**2023 FRANKLIN COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN
PROGRESS REPORT**

Guidance to the report authors:
Please refer to one or more of the following to ensure all required information is captured in your progress report prior to submission: Hazard Mitigation Plan maintenance section, the latest EPM Manual, the U.S. FICD ECDHS-DR Action Plan, and any applicable programmatic policies and procedures. Please note regard each placeholder item as needed to ensure applicability. Additional guidance is provided throughout the template in yellow indicated.

Reporting Period
The reporting period for this progress report is **12/01/2022** through **12/31/2022**.


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Background
2023 Franklin County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan

Total # Jurisdictions: 42
Reporting Progress: 100% (42/42)

Jurisdiction	Area Code/Zip Code	Area Name/Zip Code	Plan #/Contact	F-F Status	F Action to Review & Evaluate	% of Action to Review & Evaluate
Franklin County	43001	43001	1000000000	100%		100%
Franklin County	43002	43002	1000000000	100%		100%
Franklin County	43003	43003	1000000000	100%		100%
Franklin County	43004	43004	1000000000	100%		100%

- Online progress reporting for individual mitigation actions – pre-populated by Tetra Tech
- Reminder emails to log in and update
- Each municipality will get a username and password
- Training webinar will be held on January 11th at 1:00 pm


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Integrating the HMP



- Integrate the HMP into existing and future plans, codes, etc. can help create a more hazard-resistant and resilient community
- Do your local policies and programs align with the HMP?
- Refer to your annex to see what can be integrated
 - Comprehensive/master plans, zoning ordinances, stormwater plan, capital improvement plan, etc.

Continued Public Involvement

- Project website and StoryMap will be updated once the HMP is APA
- Keep a link to the site on your municipal website
- We will send a final round of social media graphics to inform the public of the plan's approval

FRANKLIN COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN 2023 UPDATE

The 2023 Franklin County Hazard Mitigation Plan is currently under review by Ohio EMA. [Click here to view the final draft.](#)

Welcome to the Franklin County Hazard Mitigation Plan (HMP) Website. This website provides project updates, resources, and links to hazard mitigation in support of the HMP update.

The goal of the project is to save lives and property through the reduction of hazard vulnerability for Franklin County and its municipalities. During the course of this planning process, county and local leaders and the community will work in tandem to identify risks, assess capabilities, and formulate a strategy to reduce unwanted vulnerability.

Public participation and feedback are vital parts of the hazard mitigation planning process. The Franklin County HMP (see February) team developed a Story Map to help the public learn more about the hazards that impact the County. [Click on the graphic to take you to the Story Map.](#)

Draft Plan

2023 Franklin County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update

The 2023 Franklin County HMP has been submitted to Ohio EMA to begin the review and approval process. To receive the final draft, click the buttons below.

- Volume I - Area Wide Elements**
Federally required elements of a disaster mitigation plan that apply to the entire planning area. This includes a description of the planning process, planning area hazard risk assessments, public involvement, capabilities, goals, and objectives, mitigation strategy process, and a plan maintenance strategy.
- Volume II - Planning Team Annex**
Federally required jurisdiction specific elements, in addition, for each participating jurisdiction. It includes a description of the participation requirements established by the team, Planning Team, as well as instructions and templates that the planning team used to complete the annexes. Lastly, it includes the individual annexes for each participating jurisdiction.
- Appendices**
Supplementary information from Volumes I and II. This information serves as a resource for Franklin County and participating jurisdictions with reviewing, maintaining, and updating the 2023 HMP.

Implementation

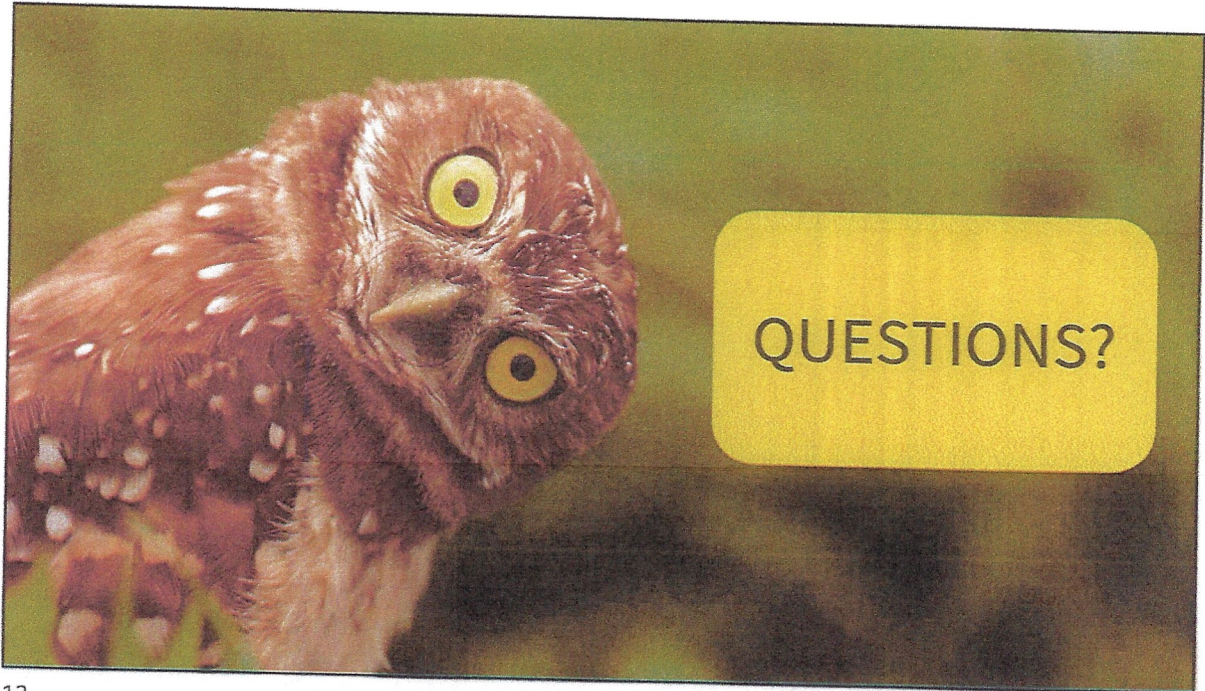


- Apply for FEMA HMA funding to implement mitigation actions
- With an approved and adopted HMP, you are eligible to apply for and receive FEMA HMA funding to complete mitigation projects
 - Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA)
 - Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC)
 - Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)

Next Steps



- Begin adopting the HMP
- Attend the BAToolSM webinar on January 11th
- Maintain the plan over the next 5 years
- Apply for grant funding to help complete your mitigation projects!



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