



Perry County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan Meeting 1 Minutes

June 29, 2021 - 10:00 AM

County EMA Coordinator: Chuck Genesio

Zoom (Virtual) Meeting

Planning Team Attendance: 26

Tyler Carpenter (Greater Egypt) opened the meeting and introduced Chuck Genesio, EMA Coordinator for Perry County, and Cary Minnis, Executive Director with Greater Egypt. They both gave opening remarks regarding the history of the Multi-hazard Mitigation Planning (MHMP) process and the importance of the planning team.

Tyler Carpenter reviewed the MHMP process which includes: hazard mitigation history and assistance, local MHMP process, and adoption of the plan. He explained the planning process involves forming a planning team to assist in identifying hazards, developing mitigation strategies, and match requirements. An emphasis was placed on participation in the plan and funding for jurisdictions.

Kelsey Bowe (Greater Egypt) presented historical hazards in Perry County. She also identified hazards that have been included in previous plans for Perry County. Kelsey introduced the critical facilities data. This dataset will need to be updated for the HAZUS models to be more accurate. The Planning Team will need to review the critical facilities map.

Ciara Nixon (Greater Egypt) explained the process to assess risk from hazards. The Planning Team will be required to complete the Hazard Ranking exercise for their jurisdiction. This utilizes the Risk Priority Index Equation. Planning partners were given time to complete the exercise. Partners will also be able to finish the exercise outside of the meeting. Greater Egypt will provide assistance for the exercise. Meeting materials will be available at:

<http://greateregypt.org/hazard-mitigation-planning/>

The meeting was adjourned.