



# Jackson County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan

## Meeting 3 Minutes

February 22, 2022- 10:00 AM  
County EMA Director: Robert Burns  
County EMA Deputy Director: Orval Rowe  
Zoom (virtual) Meeting  
Planning Team Attendance: 22

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Kelsey Bowe (Greater Egypt) opened the meeting and gave introductory remarks. Meeting attendees were encouraged to introduce themselves through the chat feature.

Ms. Bowe reviewed the Planning Updates and the timeline of the MHMP. She explained the planning process involves collaboration within the jurisdictions in order to assist in identifying hazards, developing mitigation strategies, and match requirements. An emphasis was placed on participation in the plan and the match funding for officials in the jurisdictions. She also discussed what to expect leading up to the next MHMP meeting (match survey and strategies exercises). Kelsey talked with meeting participants about the Match Survey that they can take if they have not yet already. Kelsey reviewed the hazard ranking list; with tornados, disease, and earthquakes as the top three most concerning hazards.

Kelsey acknowledged the partners who have aided in gathering information for hazard models. The Essential Facility datasets were discussed. Planning Partners checked information for accuracy and made notes on what other facilities can be considered as essential.

Ms. Bowe explained the goals of mitigation strategies and the importance of understanding that natural hazards are an ongoing issue. The Planning Team has been expected to complete the Mitigations Strategies exercise for their jurisdiction. Ms. Bowe presented the different hazards and their proposed mitigation strategies for Jackson County. The Planning Team discussed additional strategies they would like to add to the Plan before it is finalized. The forms for adding facility information and new strategies were discussed.

Meeting materials and forms will be available at: <http://greateregypt.org/hazard-mitigation-planning/>.

The meeting was adjourned.