

Part V: Adoption

Municipal Adoption Resolutions are included in Appendix V-1.

Part V.1 PLAN REVIEW, EVALUATION, AND IMPLEMENTATION

In order to continue to be an effective representation of the jurisdiction's overall strategy for reducing its risks from natural hazards, the mitigation plan must reflect current conditions. This will require an assessment of the current development patterns and development pressures as well as an evaluation of any new hazard or risk information. The plan update is an opportunity for the jurisdiction to assess its previous goals and action plan, evaluate progress in implementing hazard mitigation actions, and adjust its actions to address the current realities.

The Plan will continue to involve the participation of the Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee which will meet on an annual basis. The public will continue to be involved through public presentations, outreach efforts and internet access to the plan.

Part V.2: Changes in Development since 2007: The 2013 Oneida County tax parcel records were reviewed in October of 2013 in order to identify parcels created since 2007 in every municipality. Each parcel is assigned a property class code by the assessor in the municipality. These property class codes include agricultural, residential, commercial, etc and are described in detail in Appendix II-5. Therefore, we were able to isolate the new parcels created since 2007 by property class and were able to identify parcels that were critical facilities or vulnerable properties. In addition, we were able to show which new parcels were created in high hazard areas, specifically within the newly mapped floodzones. These are described in detail in Part III of the Plan in the Community Profiles for each municipality.

Part V.3: Changes in Priorities: The 2013 Hazard Mitigation Plan largely reflects the new reality of intense severe storms in the County as well as inundated due to stormwater and land use changes. Approximately half of the projects on the Mitigation Strategy List reflect the need to address undersized drainage infrastructure, stream management issues, stormwater related flooding and floodzone development.

V.4 PLAN ADOPTION

Adoption by the local governing body demonstrates the jurisdiction's commitment to fulfilling the hazard mitigation goals and actions outlined in the plan. Adoption legitimizes the plan and authorizes responsible agencies to execute their responsibilities. Updated plans also are adopted anew to demonstrate community recognition of the current planning process, changes that have occurred within the previous five years, and validate community priorities for hazard mitigation actions.

Table V-1 is the list of the date that each municipality has approved the HMP Adoption Resolution.