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Town of Webster

Hazard Mitigation Committee 2018



Monday, May 21, 2018 | 6:30 PM
Webster Town Office | 945 Battle Street, Webster

PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETING

Webster Hazard Mitigation Plan Update 2018

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Hazard Mitigation Committee

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AGENDA WITH TALKING POINTS

Italic numbers (#) indicate Plan Chapters

6:30 1. Introduction and Overview

By- ???

Review Planning Process & Community Profile (Chapters 1-2)

- (1) What is the purpose of a Haz Mit Plan?
- (1) Why did the Town update the Plan from 2012?
- (1) What was the planning process used to update?
- (1) Review Haz Mit Committee and its members, Committee Meetings/Work Sessions
- (1) Discuss publicity – who did you invite? Who attended from the public?
- (2) Pick out some demographics of interest to describe Town

6:35 2. Content of the Hazard Mitigation Plan

By- ???

Review Highlights of Each Chapter (Chapters 3-8)

- (3) List some goals and objectives of importance
- (4) List some of the main hazards in the community
- (4) Describe some of the recent disasters occurring in Webster, FEMA \$ received
- (4) Indicate hazard events that could be expected in the future
- (5) Describe inventory of community and critical facilities, potential \$ value if damaged
- (6) List some capabilities Depts have already to support mitigation
- (7) List some completed 2012 Actions, some Deferred to 2018
- (7) List some New 2018 Actions gained through process of assessments
- (8) Describe some priority Action projects the Town should undertake in the next 5 years



Assessments Developed:

HAZARD RISK ASSESSMENT

COMMUNITY FACILITY VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENT

CAPABILITY ASSESSMENT

MITIGATION ACTION PLAN

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7:15 3. Implementing the Plan

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Review Implementation and Important Appendices, Maps (Chapters 9-11)

- (9) Establish permanent Hazard Mitigation Committee to oversee Plan & meet quarterly
- (9) Actions to be accomplished yearly, most done by Departments at no cost
- (9) Some Actions need to be placed in Operating Budgets or go to Town Meeting for funding
- (9) Review and update Mitigation Action Plan each year
- (10) Appendices contain the assessments and Mitigation Action Plan
- (11) Indicate the Maps of the Plan:

4 Plan Maps

Map 1 - Potential Hazards ☐ Map 3 - Critical and Community Facilities
Map 2 - Past Hazards ☐ Map 4 - Potential Hazards and Losses
- Review next steps: NHHSEM issues APA (conditional) approval, Select Board adopts Plan, NHHSEM & FEMA issue formal approval letter
- Reiterate Purpose of Plan: Helps the Town reduce damages of hazards or disaster events to better protect life, property and infrastructure in Webster
- Reiterate Purpose: Town can remain eligible to apply for & receive FEMA mitigation funds, including the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP), Pre-Disaster Mitigation (PDM) and Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) *project* grants.

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7:20 4. Comments on the Plan and Maps / General Question and Answer Session

By- ???

Next Steps for the Draft Webster Hazard Mitigation Plan 2018

CNHRPC coordinates the Plan steps, on behalf of the Town, with State/Federal agencies:

- ✓ **Submit the Plan** to NH Homeland Security and Emergency Management (NH HSEM) and Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
- ✓ NH HSEM provides conditional approval, known as **Approvable Pending Adoption (APA)** status, to Town contingent upon Select Board adoption...no further changes to the Plan can occur.
- ✓ Webster Select Board holds a **public Plan adoption meeting** and signs Certificates of Adoption
- ✓ CNHRPC submit the Plan's Certificate of Adoption with final Plan version to NHHSEM/FEMA
- ✓ FEMA provides a **Letter of Formal Approval** indicating the Plan will expire in 5 years
- ✓ **Implement the Plan:** HMC meets, completes Actions in **Mitigation Action Plan** between 2018-2023

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