









St. Louis Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025-2030



HMP Update Overview

- The St. Louis Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan (HMP) encompasses natural hazards, floods, wildfires, earthquakes, tornadoes, etc. (not manmade disasters – train derailments, landfill fires, factory explosions).
- The HMP is regional, covering the Missouri counties of: St. Louis, Jefferson, Franklin, St. Charles, and the City of St. Louis.
 - In Illinois, the İllinois Emergency Management Agency requires each county to prepare their own HMP
- The HMP is updated every 5 years and approved by Missouri State Emergency Management Agency (SEMA) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). Taking part in the plan is voluntary, but jurisdictions must follow guidance for approval.
- And the HMP must be adopted by each jurisdiction that wants to apply for disaster mitigation funds.



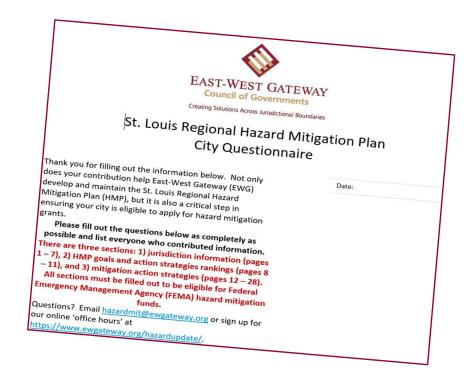
What the HMP does

- Identifies recommended mitigation strategies to reduce or eliminate the impacts caused by a natural hazard event
- Identifies resources, assets at risk, and strategies, and discusses impact of disasters
- Contains actual actions not suggestions or possibilities
- If your jurisdiction fully completes the HMP Questionnaire and adopts the new plan by resolution, your jurisdiction is eligible for SEMA/FEMA disaster mitigation funds



Collaboration and Engagement

- HMP Questionnaire
 - Cities, Counties, Fire and Ambulance Districts, School Districts, Special Districts
 - Distributed Late June
 - Jurisdictions that complete the HMP Questionnaire and adopt the new plan by resolution will be eligible for federal disaster mitigation funds
- Working Group
 - EMAs, EducationPlus, SLARCC, STARRS
- Community engagement
 - Public Survey, community events,
 - Ongoing engagement with elected officials and municipal staff
 - www.ewgateway.org/hazardupdate





Timeline

May 2024 — March 2025 June 2024 — February 2025 October 2024 – September 2025:

March 2025

September 2025

Input from local governments, districts and the public Data collection and analysis, mapping, plan writing

Adoption by resolution by jurisdictions

Draft to SEMA

Final draft to SEMA



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