



Neuse River Basin Regional HMP

Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee Meeting
February 26, 2019



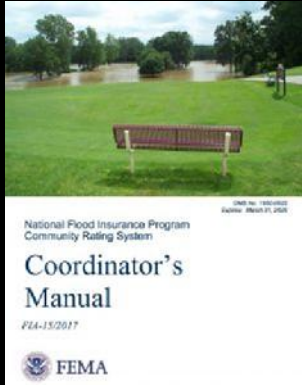
Participants

*Jurisdictions not attending first meeting.

- Pitt County
 - Ayden
 - Bethel*
 - Falkland*
 - Farmville
 - Fountain
 - Greenville
 - Grifton
 - Grimesland*
 - Simpson*
 - Winterville
- Greene County
 - Hookerton
 - Snow Hill
 - Walstonburg
- Jones County
 - Maysville*
 - Pollocksville*
 - Trenton*
- Lenoir County
 - Kinston
 - La Grange
 - Pink Hill
- Wayne County
 - Eureka*
 - Fremont*
 - Goldsboro*
 - Mount Olive
 - Pikeville*
 - Seven Springs*
 - Walnut Creek

What is CRS?

- Voluntary incentive program for NFIP participating communities
- Reduced flood insurance premiums for citizens in return for better floodplain management by communities
- CRS is modeled after the ISO fire insurance rating system



CRS in Neuse River Basin Region

CRS Rating Discounts

- 1 = 45% Discount
- 2 = 40% Discount
- 3 = 35% Discount
- 4 = 30% Discount
- 5 = 25% Discount
- 6 = 20% Discount
- 7 = 15% Discount
- 8 = 10% Discount
- 9 = 5% Discount
- 10 = 0% Discount

CRS Communities & Ratings

- Lenoir County - 8
- City of Kinston - 7
- Pitt County - 8
- Town of Farmville - 7
- City of Greenville - 7
- Town of Grifton - 7
- Town of Winterville - 10
- Wayne County - 8
- City of Goldsboro - 8
- Village of Walnut Creek - 8

CRS Goals

- Reduce flood damage to insurable property
- Strengthen/support insurance aspects of NFIP
- Encourage a comprehensive approach to Floodplain Management

Mitigation Goals

Existing Goals from 2015 Plan

- Promote the public health, safety, and general welfare of residents and minimize public and private losses due to natural hazards.
- Reduce the risk and impact of future natural disasters by regulating development in known high hazard areas.
- Pursue funds to reduce the risk of natural hazards to existing developments where such hazards are clearly identified and the mitigation efforts are cost-effective.
- Effectively expedite post-disaster reconstruction.
- Provide education to citizens that empower them to protect themselves and their families from natural hazards.

Mitigation Goals

Recommended Revisions

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Update Mitigation Strategies

- See action plan handouts
- Be as detailed/specific as possible

For every action, it must be clear whether the action is to be *carried forward* or *removed* in the plan update.

Existing Mitigation Strategies

Table 63. Neuse River Basin Regional Mitigation Strategies

Number	Strategy	Keep	Delete	Status Comments/Explanation
R1	Participating Counties will work together to educate citizens about the availability of their respective special Medical Needs Registry. These efforts will involve not only education, but outreach regarding how and where to enroll appropriately to ensure that assistance will be provided in the event of a natural or man-made disaster requiring evacuation and sheltering.			
R2	Emergency Management Departments for each participating County will work collectively to integrate regional response capabilities into annual exercises organized through North Carolina Emergency Management. These efforts will be focused on the sharing of available resources including equipment, sheltering, and manpower.			
R3	Participating Counties will consider all of the local and regional data, information and strategies outlined within this plan when carrying out duties and responsibilities associated with the respective County's local Emergency Planning Committee (EPC).			
R4	When possible, Participating Counties involved in the Community Rating System (CRS) will aim to leverage efforts regarding compliance with the program. This strategy will attempt to reduce redundancy and cut off time investment in establishing and/or maintaining compliance with the updated program.			
R5	Participating Counties will work together to ensure that the sheltering needs of each community are adequately addressed. These efforts will involve coordination between County Emergency Management Departments, NCEM and the American Red Cross.			
R6	Participating Counties will work together in a regional Mitigation Advisory Committee to identify and, when possible, address drainage issues of regional significance or concern. These efforts will also include the input and involvement of NC State Agencies.			
R7	Participating Counties will work together in an effort to educate citizens about hazard mitigation and public safety issues and efforts underway throughout the region. These efforts will involve the recruitment and engagement of volunteer groups to address a range of issues relating to mitigation and emergency response.			
R8	Participating Counties will be open to establishing and maintaining mutual aid agreements focused on providing emergency assistance in the form of manpower, equipment, and sheltering in the event of a natural disaster. Resource allocation will be determined on an as-needed basis.			
R9	Participating Counties will work together on future regional planning efforts relating to land use, emergency management, and stormwater management.			
R10	Participating Counties will maintain representation on the Neuse River Regional Mitigation Advisory Committee and will participate in the five-year update of this plan.			

Existing Mitigation Strategies

Number	Strategy	Applicable Jurisdictions	Keep	Delete	Comments
L3	Lenoir County will maintain a comprehensive Floodplain Management Program focused on managing development within flood hazard areas. This effort will include maintaining updated Flood Insurance Rate Maps, as well as annually reviewing and updating the County Flood Damage Prevention Ordinance. Municipal jurisdictions which maintain independent Floodplain Management Programs will be responsible for carrying out this action.	Lenoir County, Kingston, La Grange, Frank- Hill			<p>Each community will need to report on the status on their actions</p>
L6	Lenoir County, as well as other jurisdictions participating in the Community Rating System (CRS) Program, will continue to maintain their respective CRS rating through implementation of a comprehensive Floodplain management program.	Lenoir County, Swinton			
L7	Lenoir County will work closely with all electric service providers operating throughout the County to ensure that tree trimming necessary to protect the integrity of service lines is conducted on an ongoing basis.	Lenoir County, Kingston, La Grange, Frank- Hill			
L8	Lenoir County will work closely with the American Red Cross to address the sheltering needs of County residents. The County will continue to work on improving the preparedness of all existing shelter facilities, including the installation of on-site generators at all shelter locations. Additionally, these efforts will involve support of the NC Coastal Region local action and Shelters (CRS) plan aimed at providing inland sheltering resources for coastal counties.	Lenoir County, Kingston, La Grange, Frank- Hill			
L9	Lenoir County will educate, inform, and provide educational materials to citizens, contractors, local real estate agents, and homeowners regarding the hazards associated with floodplain development. Additionally, the County will utilize this service to inform the public about the potential natural hazards impact throughout Lenoir County and services available to provide assistance if the County is	Lenoir County, Kingston, La Grange, Frank- Hill			

Existing Mitigation Strategies

North Carolina Department of Transportation - Mitigation Action Reporting Form

INSTRUCTIONS: Complete this form for each mitigation action that will be included in the plan update.

jurisdiction: All (no action selected) (only when in progress) None

Applicable State: North Carolina Virginia West Virginia Maryland

Applicable District: _____

County Name: _____

Action Description: _____

Map Scale: _____

Map Scale: 1:10,000 1:20,000 1:50,000 1:100,000 1:250,000 Other _____

Estimated Cost: _____

Estimated Start/End Dates: _____

Estimated Start/End Dates: Year 1st Year 2nd Year 3rd Year More than 1 year Ongoing

Priority: High Medium Low

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Housekeeping

- Share the link to the plan website (www.NeuseRiverHMP.com) on your local community webpages
- Share and promote plan survey
- Post notification of public input meeting on community webpages
- Provide screenshot of public meeting notification
- Contact information from all communities

Additional Next Steps

- Complete strategy exercise by March 26, 2019
 - Provide current status of existing strategies (keep, delete, comments)
 - Complete Mitigation Action Reporting Form for all strategies to be carried forward into the new plan update
- Review and return capability assessment by March 26, 2019
- Next meeting will be scheduled for mid-May
- Project team will coordinate new projects specific to local jurisdictions leading up to the 3rd meeting

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