

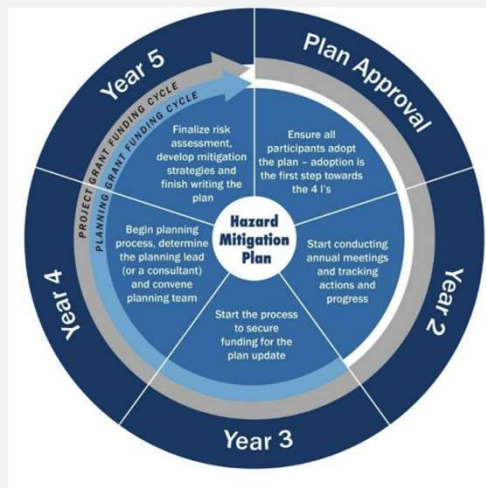
HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE 2028

Isabella O'Brien, Regional Planner II

1

HAZARD MITIGATION PLANNING

- In 2001, the Disaster Mitigation Act amended the Stafford Act, and created the framework for local and state governments to engage in hazard mitigation planning.



2



3



4



LOCAL BENEFITS

Action Item Description: Replace or upgrade generators at the following buildings: Lovington Fire Department, Piney River Fire Department, Faber Fire Department, Rockfish Valley Fire and Rescue, Montebello Fire Department, Roseland Rescue Squad and Nelson EMS. The generators at Nelson's fire and EMS stations are either under powered or have reached end of life and are not functioning, acting as barriers to effective response to fire and ems calls in the case of power outage. Additionally, Fire and EMS buildings act as emergency shelter locations, and currently may not have power during blackout conditions, inhibiting their use during times of need.

Hazard(s): Multiple

Lead Party Responsible: Emergency Services Coordinator

Estimated cost: \$300,000.00

Funding Method: Hazard Mitigation Grant Program, General Revenue

Implementation Schedule: 3 years

Priority: High

5

BUDGET

	Program		Admin		Totals
	Budget	%	Budget	%	
Federal	\$93,884	75%	\$6,259	53%	\$100,144
State	\$25,036	20%	\$0		\$25,036
Local			\$5,491	47%	\$5,491
Local In-Kind Contributions	\$6,259	5%			\$6,259
Totals	\$125,179		\$11,750		\$136,930

6

NEXT STEPS

- Submit grant application to VDEM by July 18, 2028
- Planning likely to begin in late 2025 - early 2026
- Plan Approved & Adopted by February 1, 2028

Staff recommends that the TJPDC approve the resolution for hazard mitigation planning.