

Agenda
King County Flood Control Zone District
2nd Planning Team Meeting
Wednesday, September 16, 2009
1:00-3:00

Objectives

- HAZUS update
 - Confirm Goals
 - Identify Objectives
 - Outreach Strategy
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HAZUS Update	Ed Whitford Tetra Tech	1:00PM
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• First-Run HAZUS results-flood• EQ Scenarios• Dam Failure data needs• Critical facilities inventory-data needs• Other hazard data		
Goals	Rob Flaner	1:45PM
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Confirm Goals		
Objectives Exercise	Rob Flaner	2:00PM
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Do objectives exercise		
Outreach Strategy	Rob Flaner/ Saffa Bardaro	2:30PM
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Website• Public meetings• Press releases		
Action Items for Next Meeting	Rob Flaner	2:55PM
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MEETING SUMMARY

Date of Meeting: September 16, 2009
Subject: 2nd Planning Committee meeting,
Project Name: KCFCD-LHMP
In Attendance: Priscilla Kaufmann, Jason Wilkinson, Ken Zweig, Katy Vanderpool, Sally King, Saffa Bardaro
Planning Team-Rob Flaner
Not Present:
Summary Prepared by: Rob Flaner- October 19, 2009
Project No.: 135-12539-09001-05
Quorum- Yes or No N/A

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Welcome and Introductions

- Rob Flaner opened the meeting with brief group introduction.
- Agenda was reviewed and approved.

HAZUS UPDATE

Ed Whitford provided an update of the HAZUS modeling for the plan. Time was taken to explain the basics of HAZUS as well as explaining the components such as census tracks/blocks and the concept of general building stock and critical facilities. Key points discussed were as follows:

Inventory

Draft General Building Stock (GBS) Inventory updates using County Assessor data should be completed the beginning of October. Critical facilities have been defined by the Planning Committee. This definition has been utilized to build the inventory. This inventory includes:

Police, fire, medical, schools, government/admin, jails, seaport, airport

Roads, bridges, gas lines, power sub-station, fiber, sewage treatment, levees, pump stations, locks.

Flood

The 100-year and 500-year depth grids have been developed for the entire county. The general building stock has been updated with County assessor data. Rob also discussed breaking up the risk assessment for flood different that the flood plan to facilitate more accurate results, as well as potential application in the cities. The current risk assessment is broken down by river segment by basin. Rob recommended that this assessment be broken down by city. This will allow for better alignment with census blocks, which will address some of the accuracy issues identified in the first run analysis provided

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Earthquake

No analysis has been run on earthquake yet. It has downloaded the soil and liquefaction maps for the County. The following shakemap scenarios have been identified for the planning area;

- Seattle Fault, M 6.8
- Tacoma Fault, M 7.1
- Nisqually, M 7.2
- Seatac, M 7.2
- South Whidbey fault, M 7.4

Any or all of these scenarios can be evaluated for the risk assessment. Rob will check with Jeff Bowers to check on which ones are relevant to the planning area.

Other Hazards

Tetra Tech has downloaded King County Landslide data as well as WA DNR Wildfire data. WA dept. of Ecology has provided hard copy maps for S. fork Tolt, Chester Morse, Howard Hansen, and Culmback. There is no data available for Mud Mountain. Digital data is preferred. However if this is all we can get, we will make it work. Currently we do not have any data related to Dam Inundation/Failure.

Goals

Based on the discussion from the last meeting, a revised set of goals were created by the planning team. The planning committee reviewed these proposed goals, and approved them as amended. The goals identified are as follows:

- Protect life and property
- Support Emergency Services
- Promote public awareness
- Encourage the development and implementation of long-term, cost-effective and environmentally sound mitigation projects.
- Leverage partnering opportunities

Objectives Exercise

Now that goals have been identified for the plan, the next step will be to identify objectives. The objectives for this plan will stand alone, and not be subsets of goals. The objectives will resemble strategies, and be used to help establish priorities for the plan. Therefore these objectives must be measurable. To aid the Planning Committee in selecting objectives that meet multiple goals, an objectives exercise was created. This exercise provided a catalog of objective statements, as well as the goals identified for the plan. The objective of the exercise is to review each statement and identify those goals each statement will meet. The results will be reviewed and those statements that meet the most goals will be identified from the list. The Planning Committee will then select the objectives for the plan from the revised list.

Planning committee to complete objectives exercise and return to rob by 10/2/09.

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Outreach Strategy

Discussion on an outreach strategy for this process was lead by rob Flaner and Saffa Bardaro. Saffa the City of Seattle's web-based approaches to engaging the public. There was discussion on the expedited time line for this strategy and what was actually doable in the time-frame. There is an opportunity to advertise this effort in the County's mailing to floodplain residents. There was also discussion on possible sending out a post card with information in the process that advertises the website. The principal focus of this strategy will be the website. Saffa asked Rob to prepare information on the process to be posted ASAP. Saffa was going to coordinate with Brian on the direction he wanted to go on this subject. More information on this effort will be available by the next meeting.

Rob to prepare a short narrative on the plan and the process to be posted on a website by 9/25/09.

The Meeting was adjourned by Rob Flaner at 3:00PM

Please note, that all Planning Committee meetings are scheduled for the 3rd Wednesday of every month, unless otherwise notified.

The next meeting date is on:

October 21, 2009, 2009 from 1:00 to 3:00 PM

Location to be announced.