

State Hazard Mitigation Plan Advisory Team Meeting Summary

Tuesday, December 8, 2009

1:00 p.m.

Kelly Training Center – Sadowski Building, Tallahassee

Opening

The meeting of the SHMPAT began at 1:05 pm on Tuesday, December 08, 2009 and was led by Joy Duperault of DEM. Members signed in as they entered the meeting.

Welcome and Introductions

Joy went over the purpose of the meeting and invited all attendees, both in person and via teleconference, to introduce themselves.

Meeting Goals

The goals of the meeting were to review and discuss various updated draft sections of the plan. Sections included;

Section 3 – Marybeth Groff – Brief Description of what has happened and where it is

Section 4.3 – Jonathan Thomas

Section 4.4, 4.5 – Carly Cermak – Under review, brief description provided

Section 4.6 – Carly Cermak

Section 4.7, 4.8 – Marybeth Groff

Other Sections Discussed During Previous Meetings

Section 2 – discussed during the 11/10/09 meeting

Section 3 – portions discussed during the 11/10/09 meeting

Section 4.1 and 4.2 – discussed during the 11/10/09 meeting

Section 5 – discussed during the October meeting

Section 6 – discussed during the 11/10/09 meeting

Status of Other Sections

Sections 1, 2, and 6 are in final drafting phase

Section 3 has been received from contractor and is being reviewed by DEM Planning staff in conjunction with the SHMPAT Risk Assessment sub-committee

Sections 5 finalized

Section 7 has been drawn into the rest of the plan to present a cohesive Enhanced Plan to FEMA

Section 4.3

Joy introduced Jon Thomas.

Requirements for Section 4.3 presented: This part of the plan is intended to depict local level mitigation activities and assess their effectiveness.

Contents of section reviewed: Section provides a general description of local activities and an analysis of effectiveness. Still waiting on status info for PDRPs

Questions/Comments for Section 4.3

Representative from FLASH suggested adding the mitigation teaching exhibit at Epcot. It is effective because it combines education with virtual learning. She will provide the Florida visitor metric. Leslie also suggested emphasizing Florida's research pedigree with its universities.

Sections 4.4 and 4.5

Carly Cermak

Sections 4.4 and 4.5 Project Implementation Capability and Program Implementation Capability, respectively, are both currently under review. Both sections come from the Enhanced plan requirements. Section 4.4 speaks specifically to identifying and demonstrating our ability to implement the Plan. Section 4.5 speaks to identifying and demonstrating our ability to administer grant programs. There will be time for everyone to review these sections in full before they're sent on to FEMA.

Questions/Comments for Section 4.4 and Section 4.5

Major component changes? Not at this time. The section is currently under review. Major changes are detailed in Section 2.

Section 4.6

Carly Cermak

Section 4.6 is a combination of standard and enhanced requirements. Combined 2007 Plan *Mitigation Actions* section and 2007 Enhanced Plan *Mitigation Actions Assessment* section to create *Mitigation Activities*. Contents and structure of section outlined.

Current Status: Populating the section with new and 2007 information and reviewing the approach for redundancies with sections 5, 4.4, and 4.5

No Questions or Comments.

Section 4.7

Marybeth Groff

Section 4.7, the Funding section, is a combination of standard and enhanced requirements. Combined 2007 plan components with 2007 Enhanced Plan components and updated. Structure of section outlined.

Current Status: Under Review

No Questions or Comments

Section 4.8

Marybeth Groff

Section 4.8 is currently the Commitment section and is used to depict Florida's commitment to the Plan and mitigation. It provides a synopsis of how the state has

performed mitigation. It will be compiled at end. Nevertheless, it will be relocated to the beginning of Section 4 as executive summary.

No Questions or Comments

What's Next?

Shape the Plan into a final draft in the next 4-5 weeks.

DRAFT will be placed on website where public will have 1-2 weeks to review.

Representative from NFWFMD asked what date SHMPAT intends to send the completed plan to FEMA. Target date to get to FEMA is by the end of January. We are required to send in May. The Plan expires in August.

Although the next scheduled meeting will be April 13, 2010 from 1:00pm – 4:00pm, sub-groups may meet as needed between now and submitting the plan to FEMA.

Mark your calendars for all 2010 scheduled meetings:

- April 13, 2010 – 1:00pm
- July 13, 2010 – 1:00pm
- October 12, 2010 – 1:00pm

Adjourn

Joy thanked participants and the meeting concluded at approximately 2:20 pm.