

Resolution Number 8-1

WHEREAS, on October 9, 2007 the Sangamon County Board passed Resolution 7-1 authorizing the Springfield Sangamon County Regional Planning Commission to prepare the Sangamon County Multi-jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan on behalf of Sangamon County; and

WHEREAS, the resolution required the County Board Chairman to appoint a representative to the task force creating the Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Sangamon County Board Chairman subsequently appointed Linda Fulgenzi as the Sangamon County representative to the Sangamon County Multi-jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan Task Force; and


WHEREAS, the Task Force has been meeting since October 2007 and has conducted a citizen survey, reviewed hazard profiles of the nine hazards being considered (floods, tornados, severe winter storms, thunderstorms, dam failures, earthquakes, droughts, extreme heat, and mine subsidence), and created goals and objectives for the Plan; and

WHEREAS, based on this information the list of twenty-two mitigation projects attached as Exhibit A has been prepared in cooperation with the Sangamon County Department of Zoning and Building Safety, the Sangamon County Department of Public Health, the Sangamon County Office of Emergency Management, the Sangamon County Highway Department, the Sangamon County GIS Department, and the Springfield Sangamon County Regional Planning Commission and is submitted to the County Board by Linda Fulgenzi.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County Board of Sangamon County, Illinois that the attached list (Exhibit A) is accepted by the County Board for inclusion in the Sangamon County Multi-jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan.

Signed and passed by the Sangamon County Board this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,  
Public Health, Safety and Zoning Committee of the Sangamon County Board

  
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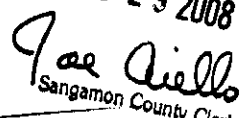
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Joe Aiello, Sangamon County Clerk

  
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Andy Van Meter, County Board Chairman

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**Exhibit A  
Sangamon County Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan Projects**

| Project # | Project Description  | Responsible Party                        | Funding Sources*   |
|-----------|--|--|--|
| 1         | Acquisition of repetitively damaged flood prone properties   | Planning Commission                      | 75% HMGP 25% IDNR  |
| 2         | Adoption of Erosion Control Ordinance (Enforcement of Erosion Control Ordinance)   | County Board<br>(Zoning Dept/County Hwy) | No cost<br>(dept budgets)  |
| 3         | Create education materials regarding importance of erosion control   | Zoning Dept/County Hwy                   | staff time   |
| 4         | Create volunteer network to monitor condition of road culverts   | County Hwy                               | staff time   |
| 5         | Create award program to recognize good erosion control practices   | County Board                             | County Board budget  |
| 6         | Create education program for builders and home owners regarding building designs that will provide protection during hazard events   | Zoning Dept.                             | 75% HMGP 25% Spfld.<br>Homebuilders Assoc. & Energy<br>Education Council |
| 7         | Create education program regarding the use of weather radios   | OEM                                      | dept. budget   |
| 8         | Educate the public on the County's road condition warning system   | County Board Office                      | staff time   |
| 9         | Explore the feasibility of installing snow fences along problem stretches of roads   | County Hwy                               | 75% HMGP 25% County Hwy  |
| 10        | Create and present school programs regarding the many aspects of natural hazards   | Zoning Dept/Public Health                | 75% HMGP 25% dept. budgets   |
| 11        | Prepare mine subsidence informational materials  | Zoning Dept/Plan. Comm.                  | staff time   |
| 12        | Work with state legislators to provide property tax credit for manufactured home parks that install storm shelters   | County Board/Zoning Dept                 | staff time   |
| 13        | Promote the adoption of International Building Codes in S.C. communities and provide opportunity to enter into inter-governmental agreement with the Zoning Dept for enforcement | Zoning Dept                              | building permit fees   |
| 14        | Provide a mobile building permit department to be activated in damaged areas after a natural hazard event  | Zoning Dept                              | Zoning Dept budget   |
| 15        | Shoot elevations of buildings in FEMA floodplain   | GIS Dept                                 | 75% HMGP 25% GIS Dept.   |
| 16        | Continue participation in Community Rating System  | Planning Commission                      | staff time   |
| 17        | Maintain current working response groups   | OEM                                      | staff time   |
| 18        | Develop response plans to ensure all small communities are involved.   | OEM                                      | staff time   |
| 20        | Provide safe rooms in new County facilities  | County Board                             | 75% HMGP 25% County  |
| 21        | Use GIS and latest aerial photography to review/update inundation impact below the Lake Sangchris dam.   | GIS Dept/OEM                             | staff time   |
| 22        | Work with local humane groups to explore the possibility of creating accommodations for pets displaced by natural hazard events in Sangamon County.                              | Animal Control Center                    | staff time   |

\* dept budget = increase in budget may be required      staff time = will fit into current budget