

# Appendices

## APPENDIX A REFERENCES

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## APPENDIX B: PLANNING PROCESS

The following materials are provided to document the planning process.

### B.1 Jackson County Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee (HMPC) Members

Jurisdiction/Stakeholder	Name	Title
Andrew	Roeder, Mike	Mayor
Andrew and Easton Valley Community School Districts	Fee, Chris	Superintendent
Baldwin	Browne, Carrie	City Clerk
Baldwin	Wogomon, John	Mayor
Bellevue	Clasen, Kent	Fire Chief
Bellevue	Weinschen, Teresa	City Clerk
Bellevue Community School District	Meyer, Tom	Superintendent
East Central Intergovernmental Association	Danielson, Dawn	Development Coordinator, Facilitator
Jackson County/Jackson County Region Medical Center	Beraneck, Paige	Emergency Preparedness Coordinator
Jackson County/Jackson County Economic Alliance	Brown, Kelley	Executive Director
Jackson County	Flagel, Nin	Supervisor
Jackson County	Medinger, Lyn	Emergency Management Coordinator
Jackson County	Schwenker, Don	Supervisor
Jackson County	Steines, Mike	Supervisor
Jackson County/Jackson County Public Health	Warren, Jennifer	Emergency Preparedness Coordinator
Jackson County	Kinney, Todd	Engineer
Jackson County	Kraker, Jim	Sheriff
Jackson County	Roling, Lori	Zoning Administrator
LaMotte	Kilburg, Joe	Water Testing
LaMotte	Wagner, Matt	Mayor
Maquoketa	Boldt, Josh	City Administrator
Maquoketa	Beck, Mark	Assistant Fire Chief
Maquoketa	Messerli, Tom	Mayor
Maquoketa	Muhlhausen, Carl	Assistant Fire Chief

Jurisdiction/Stakeholder	Name	Title
Miles	Maze, Paul	Fire Chief
Miles	Portz, Mike	Fire Chief
Miles	Tebbe, Brenda	City Clerk
Monmouth	VonBehren, Stephanie	City Clerk
Preston	Ruchotzke, Landon	Fire Chief
Sabula	Parker, Lynn	City Clerk
Sabula	Woodhurst, Travis	Fire Chief
Spragueville	Bredenkamp, Caroline	Mayor
Springbrook	Sieverding, Kevin	Fire Chief
St. Donatus	Hilkin, Ron	Mayor

## B.2 Kick-off Meeting Minutes

### Jackson County Multi-jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update Project Overview

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Kick Off Meeting Minutes  
December 29, 2023

**Attendees:** Dawn Danielson, ECIA & Lyn Medinger, Jackson County Emergency Management (EM) Coordinator

**Summary of Meeting:**

ECIA was selected to assist Jackson County with its Multi-jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update for the county. The ECIA team consists of Dawn Danielson, Project Coordinator, Dan Fox, Planner, and Jack Studier, Planner.

Participating Jurisdictions include Andrew, Baldwin, Bellevue, LaMotte, Maquoketa, Miles, Monmouth, Preston, Sabula, St. Donatus, Spragueville, Springbrook, Andrew Public School District, Bellevue Public School District, Easton Valley Public School District, and Maquoketa Public School District. Cities within the county are required to participate in the planning process.

The ECIA team will coordinate with Jackson County EM Coordinator and each jurisdiction throughout the plan update process to engage participation of the jurisdiction in the planning process. Attendees had preliminary discussion regarding last plan update, process for new plan update including identifying GIS needs and resources, discussed hazards to be included in plan, and options for flood risk assessment methodology, events since last plan update, clarification of roles and responsibilities for the Hazard Mitigation Planning Team. Reviewed tentative timeline for updating plan. Identified key stakeholders for the planning process and strategies for public engagement throughout the planning process.

**Next Steps:**

Responsible Party	Action Item
ECIA	Prepare public survey and flyer
	Prepare agenda for first public meeting
	Invite key stakeholders to public meeting
	Prepare meeting agenda, presentation, and data collection worksheets for meeting
Jackson County EM Coordinator:	Determine locations, dates/times for public meeting
	Provide email list to ECIA for key stakeholders to invite to public meetings
	Issue Public Release

## B.3 Public Notice – Seeking Public Input

**Jackson County News Release**

**Contact: Lyn  
Medinger 563.542.3911**

### **Public Input Wanted as County Updates Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan**

The Jackson County Emergency Management Office is working on updating the county's Multi-jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan (HMP). The Federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (DMA 2000) requires that a plan be updated every five years to maintain eligibility for FEMA's Hazard Mitigation Assistance (HMA) grant programs. The plan covers Jackson County including the unincorporated areas, cities, and school districts. The plan assesses the natural hazards that pose risk to the county, such as tornadoes, windstorms, ice storms, flooding and extreme temperatures and identifies ways to minimize the damage of future events. The plan will be updated by a planning team of representatives from county departments, local municipalities, school districts and other key stakeholders. As the county works to update the plan, it wants to hear from the public.

According to Lyn Medinger, Jackson County Emergency Management Coordinator, "Mitigation creates safer communities by reducing losses of life and property. Mitigation enables individuals and communities to recover more rapidly from disasters."

Examples of hazard mitigation actions include improvement of roads and culverts that experience repetitive flooding; construction of safe rooms at campgrounds, public parks, mobile home parks or schools to protect lives in the event of tornadoes or severe wind events; burying powerlines that may fail due to heavy snow, ice or wind storms; ensuring timely emergency communication to the public through warning sirens and mass notifications systems, and conducting public awareness and education campaigns to help people to be prepared to take safe action before, during or following a hazard event. Some mitigation activities may be eligible for FEMA Hazard Mitigation Assistance grant funding.

Jackson County is seeking feedback from residents and businesses to incorporate in the plan. To access the current HMP and the public survey visit the Jackson County Emergency Management website at <https://jacksoncounty.iowa.gov/emergency-management/>. Your input will help shape future hazard mitigation strategies. A draft of the updated plan will be posted for public review prior to submission to the State of Iowa.

## B.4 Hazard Mitigation Plan Survey – Request for Public Feedback



### Hazard Mitigation Plan Survey

Jackson County Emergency Management and its participating cities and school districts are conducting a survey as part of their multi-jurisdictional hazard mitigation plan update. The hazard mitigation plan is an important decision-making guide for community leaders. The purpose of the plan is to reduce or eliminate long-term risk to people and property from all types of hazards including flooding, drought, and severe storms.



#### Take the Survey

Use the QR code or link below to take the survey.



<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/3D53QT5>

#### We need your input

Collecting input from members of the community is an important step in developing the hazard mitigation plan. Your input will help shape future hazard mitigation strategies.

Visit the Jackson County Emergency Management website for more information.

<https://jacksoncounty.iowa.gov/emergency-management/>



## B.5 Kick-off Meeting #1 Invitation

### **Dawn Danielson**

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**From:** Dawn Danielson  
**Sent:** Friday, January 12, 2024 5:18 PM  
**To:** travis.woodhurst@gmail.com; pbmaze1971@gmail.com; prestonfiredepartmentchief@gmail.com; Al Muhlhausen (cam4535@msn.com); Larry Bartels (bartlar@hotmail.com); 5633575538@email.uscc.net; kjsieverding@yahoo.com; Kent Clasen (kent.clasen@bellevueia.gov); Joe Kilburg (sporty@netins.net); Tom Meyer (tommyer@bellevue.k12.ia.us); Tara Notz (tnotz@maquoketaschools.org); Chris Fee (chris.fee@andrew.k12.ia.us); Erik Rockwell (erik.rockwell@sacredheartmaq.org); Geoffrey Kaiser (geoffreykaiser@marquettecatholic.com); Kelley Brown; cityofmonmoth@netins.net; wagners5@outlook.com; Brenda Tebbe (miles@netins.net); Josh Boldt (manager@maquoketaia.com); Caroline Bredecamp; Marie Rossmann; william.reistroffer@bellevueia.gov; Joyce Hancock; Tom Messerli; mayortom652@gmail.com; Brenda Tebbe (miles@netins.net); Teresa Weinschenk; teresa.weinschenk@bellevueia.gov; rjhikindmforge@msn.com; Julia Boop; jcbos@co.jackson.ia.us; Judy Carr; Carrie Browne; mayormikeroeder@gmail.com; Troy Hansen; Sabulaclerk@iowatelecom.net; prestonmayortylersieverding@gmail.com; cityofzwingle@gmail.com  
**Cc:** lmedinger@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; dschwenker@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; nflagel@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; msteines@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; tkinney@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; etownsend@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; bkilburq@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; iowa40z@yahoo.com; Jennifer Walker  
**Subject:** Your invited...Jackson County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update Meeting - Jan 31  
**Attachments:** JCHMP\_Meeting 1 - Invitation.pdf; Agenda\_Meeting 1\_013124.pdf; Jackson HazMit Survey Flyer.pdf

Hello Jackson County Officials:

It is time to update the Jackson County 5-year Hazard Mitigation Plan (HMP). You will find attached an invitation to the first planning meeting and a meeting agenda along with a survey flyer.

For city clerks on this list please forward the email to your mayor, plant manager and anyone else you think would have valuable input on updating the countywide HMP.

Please note: The first Plan Update meeting will be January 31<sup>st</sup> at Maquoketa City Council Chambers at 6:30 p.m. (See attached invitation). Each jurisdiction and school district that is part of the Jackson County HMP must have a representative at the meeting. The survey flyer may be shared with others and posted in your city hall, library, post office, website or any other public place. Please complete the survey by February 7<sup>th</sup> (Survey Link: <https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/3D53QT5>).

Please respond to this email to RSVP for the January 31<sup>st</sup> meeting with who will be attending as representative for your jurisdiction. At least one individual **MUST** attend for each jurisdiction.

Any questions let me know. Otherwise I look forward to seeing you on January 31<sup>st</sup>.

Dawn Danielson | Development Coordinator

Brownfields Project Manager

East Central Intergovernmental Association | 7600 Commerce Park, Dubuque, IA 52002

C 563.580.1976 | F 563.556.0348 |

## B.6 Meeting #1 Agenda

**Jackson County  
Hazard Mitigation Plan Update  
Planning Meeting #1 - Agenda  
Wednesday, January 31, 2024 – 6:30 p.m.**

**Maquoketa City Council Chambers  
201 E Pleasant St  
Maquoketa, IA 52060**

**Web link:** <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82613943705?pwd=M94XVZ9ITp3jCgovL3bvm2L7FvLXNc.1>

Meeting ID: 826 1394 3705

Passcode: 677502

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1. Introductions
2. Hazard Mitigation Planning Overview/Purpose
3. Hazard Mitigation Funding
4. Multi-Jurisdictional Approach
5. Planning/Participation Requirements
6. Public Involvement
7. Update Hazards/Survey Monkey
8. Wrap up and discuss deadlines and assignments
  - a. Next Steps
  
- VII. Adjourn

For more information on plan update process contact ECIA: Dawn Danielson at [ddanielson@ecia.org](mailto:ddanielson@ecia.org) or 563.580.1976

## B.7 Meeting #1 – Presentation

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# Jackson County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update 2025-2030

**Web link:** <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82613943705?pwd=M94XVZ9ITp3jCgoyL3bvm2L7FvLXNc.1>

Meeting ID: 826 1394 3705

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## Introductions

### **Local Contact**

Jackson County  
Lyn Medinger, Emergency Management

### **Consultant**

East Central Intergovernmental Association (ECIA)  
Dawn Danielson, Economic Development/Project Coordinator

Dan Fox, Sr. Planner

Jack Studier, Planner

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# Hazard Mitigation Planning Overview/Purpose

- Jackson County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan developed and initially approved February 2013, last update approved January 2019
  - Identifies how a **whole** community can minimize the negative impacts of natural caused hazards.
  - Review of existing plan content:
    1. Goals
    2. Hazard analysis and risk assessment
    3. Critical facilities and vulnerable populations
    4. Mitigation strategies and action plans

**ACTION:** Adopt and Implement Updated Plan



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# Hazard Mitigation Planning Overview/Purpose

- Must be updated at minimum every 5 years to maintain funding eligibility for FEMA Hazard Mitigation Assistance (HMA)
- When disaster does occur, the community suffers less damage and recovers more quickly as a result of coordinating and collaborating between city, public agencies, local businesses, citizens and other key stakeholders

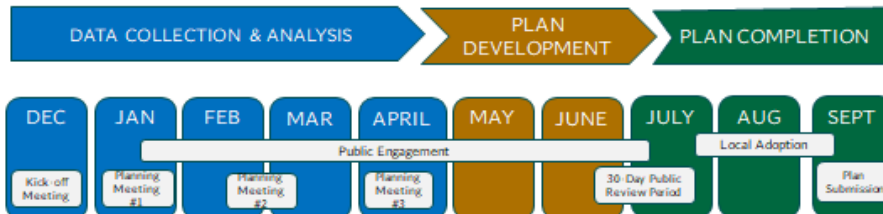
Build **Safe** and **Resilient** Community = ability to prepare for anticipated hazards; adapt to changing conditions and withstand and recover rapidly from disruptions



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# Planning Timeline



Current HMP expires 1/8/2025

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## Hazard Mitigation Funding

A Jurisdiction **must** have an approved hazard mitigation plan to maintain local government eligibility to apply to FEMA for

- Hazard Mitigation Assistance (HMA):
  - Pre-Disaster Grants:
    - Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC)
    - Flood Mitigation Assistance Program (FMA)
  - Post Disaster Grant:
    - Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)
- High Hazard Potential Dam (HHPD) Programs

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## Multi-Jurisdictional Approach

- Improve communication and coordination throughout county
- Face similar threats and hazards
- Enables comprehensive and regional mitigation approaches
- Avoids duplication of effort
- Share cost and capabilities



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## Planning/Participation Requirements

- Each jurisdiction **MUST** have at least one representative on the planning team (if participate in NFIP for CRS **MUST** have two representatives)
- Representative – will coordinate and delegate tasks for their jurisdiction for the plan
- **Must** provide local information and **MUST** review draft plan and provide comments
  - Identify hazards for jurisdiction and address specific vulnerabilities
  - Discuss participation in NFIP and identified repetitive loss properties
  - Develop mitigation action items to address hazards and identify capabilities to support mitigation strategy
  - Indicate how will incorporate HMP into other plans
  - Describe changes in development since last plan and how impacted vulnerability
  - Provide status of all previous mitigation actions
  - Formally adopt plan

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## Public Involvement

Public must have the opportunity to participate in the plan and comment on it.

- Public Meetings
- Post/Share Flyer for Updating Hazards/Survey Monkey
- News release
- Social Media Post
- Website

Document outreach **EFFORTS**

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# Wrap Up, Deadlines and Assignments

**Next Steps – Participants:**

- Invite others to participate
  - Post news release
  - Share survey flyer - open until February 10<sup>th</sup>
- Complete as a jurisdiction - data collection worksheets
  - Return worksheets – 1 per jurisdiction (electronically) by February 10<sup>th</sup>

**Next Meeting:**

Bellevue City Hall – at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, February 28, 2024

**Agenda:**

Review Survey Results

Goal setting

Review status of Mitigation Actions listed in 2019 plan

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## B.8 Meeting #1 Minutes

### Jackson County Multi-jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update Project Overview

Meeting #1 Minutes  
January 31, 2024

This document is a record of attendance and summary of material discussed at the Jackson County Multi-jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Planning meeting #1.

#### Attendees:

Jurisdiction	Name	Title/Agency
Jackson County	Paige Beranek	Emergency Preparedness Coordinator/Jackson County Regional Health Center
Jackson County	Kelley Brown	Executive Director/Jackson County Economic Alliance
Jackson County	Ruth Eltrich	Assistant Zoning Administrator
Jackson County	Todd Kinney	Engineer/Jackson County
Jackson County	Nin Flagel	Supervisor/Jackson County-Board of Supervisors
Jackson County	Lyn Medinger	Jackson County Emergency Management Coordinator
Jackson County	Jim Kraker	Sheriff/Jackson County
Jackson County	Lori Roling	Zoning Director/Jackson County
Jackson County	Don Schwenker	Supervisor/Jackson County-Board of Supervisors
Jackson County	Mike Steines	Supervisor/Jackson County-Board of Supervisors
Jackson County	Jennifer Warren	Jackson County Public Health
Andrew	Mike Roeder	Mayor, City of Andrew
Baldwin	Carrie Browne	City Clerk, City of Baldwin
Baldwin	John Wogomon	Mayor, City of Baldwin
Bellevue	Kent Clasen	Chief, Bellevue Fire Department
LaMotte	Matt Wagner	Mayor, City of LaMotte
LaMotte	Joe Kilburg	Water Testing, City of LaMotte
Maquoketa	Tom Messerli	Mayor, City of Maquoketa
Maquoketa	Mark Beck	Assistant Chief, Maquoketa Fire Department
Maquoketa	Carl Muhlhausen	Assistant Chief, Maquoketa Fire Department
Maquoketa	Josh Boldt	City Administrator, City of Maquoketa
Miles	Paul Maze	Chief, Miles Fire Department
Miles	Mike Portz	Miles Fire Department
Monmouth	Stephanie VonBehren	City Clerk, City of Monmouth
Preston & Spragueville	Caroline Bredekamp	Library Director, City of Preston & Mayor of Spragueville
Preston & Spragueville	Landon Ruchotzke	Chief, Preston Fire Department & City Council Member for City of Spragueville
Sabula	Travis Woodhurst	Chief, Sabula Fire Department
St. Donatus	Ron Hilkin	Mayor, City of St. Donatus

Springbrook	Kevin Sieverding	Chief, Springbrook Fire Department
Zwingle	Tim Stierman	City Council, City of Zwingle
Andrew Public School District & Easton Valley School District	Chris Fee	Superintendent, Andrew School District & Easton Valley School District
Plan Consultant; Facilitator	Dawn Danielson	Development Coordinator, ECIA

**Summary of Meeting:**

The meeting began with an introduction of the hazard planning committee members and attendees. Lyn Medinger kicked off the meeting with introductions. Dawn Danielson, ECIA project facilitator, presented a power point presentation outlining the agenda for the meeting. The presentation included an overview of the hazard mitigation planning process and purpose along with discussion of federal grant programs linked to an approved plan and the benefits of a multi-jurisdictional approach; importance of public involvement and engaging the whole community in the planning process and types of outreach that were being utilized for the plan update; and review and distribution of data collection worksheets to capture updates and changes in jurisdiction capacity since the last plan update. Participant responsibilities and expectations were discussed. Survey was distributed via email to all participating jurisdictions and to the public prior to the meeting and discussed as tool to reach the whole community. The survey was made available on ECIA and the Jackson County Emergency management websites and by jurisdictions. The survey remained open until February 23, 2024. The importance of integrating the Hazard Mitigation Plan with other plans, policies, ordinances within the jurisdiction to build a resilient and safe community was discussed. The meeting concluded with a discussion of next steps and timeline for the planning process.

The meeting was held in person at the Maquoketa City Council Chambers located at 201 E Pleasant St, Maquoketa, IA 52060 and offered via zoom for those who were unable to attend in person. Representatives from each of the jurisdictions participated in the meeting. A total of 32 attendees participated in the meeting.

**Next Steps:**

Responsible Party	Action Item
<b>ECIA:</b>	Distribute meeting minutes
	Prepare agenda for second public meeting
	Invite key stakeholders to public meeting
	Prepare data collection worksheets for meeting
<b>Participants:</b>	Circulate survey and press release regarding plan update
	Complete data collection set – one set per jurisdiction
	Forward jpg photo files to ECIA for use in the plan featuring prior hazard events and/or mitigation implementation

Next meeting will be at the Bellevue City Hall located at 106 N Third St, Bellevue IA at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, February 28, 2024. The meeting will be an in-person workshop. Meeting content to include review of hazard survey results along with a review of status of the goals and mitigations listed in current plan. Participants will be asked to update goals and mitigations within the plan and strategize on new mitigations.

## B.9 Meeting #1 Sign-In Sheets



Jackson County Multijurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan - Meeting #1  
Maquoketa, IA January 31, 2024, 6:30 p.m.



Name	Title/Agency	Jurisdiction	Address	Phone	Email	Signature
Dawn Danielson	Development Coordinator, ECIA	Plan Consultant; Regional Planner	7600 Commerce Park, Dubuque, IA 52002	563.580.1976	<a href="mailto:ddanielson@ecia.org">ddanielson@ecia.org</a>	
Lyn Medinger	Jackson County Emergency Management Coordinator	Jackson County	201 W Platt St, Maquoketa, IA 52060	563.542.3911	<a href="mailto:lmedinger@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov">lmedinger@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov</a>	
Kelley Brown	Executive Director, Jackson County Economic Alliance	Jackson County	120 1/2 S Main St, Maquoketa, IA 52060	563.652.4549	<a href="mailto:kelleybrown@theicea.org">kelleybrown@theicea.org</a>	
Todd Kinney	Engineer, Jackson County	Jackson County	201 W Platt St, Maquoketa, IA 52060	563.244.0564	<a href="mailto:tkinney@clintoncounty-ia.gov">tkinney@clintoncounty-ia.gov</a>	
Carrie Browne	City Clerk, City of Baldwin	Baldwin	Baldwin, IA	563.673.3471	<a href="mailto:cityofbaldwin@outlook.com">cityofbaldwin@outlook.com</a>	virtual
John Wogomon	Mayor, City of Baldwin	Baldwin	Baldwin, IA	563.673.3471	<a href="mailto:johnwogomon50@gmail.com">johnwogomon50@gmail.com</a>	
Kent Clasen	Chief, Bellevue Fire Department	Bellevue	106 N Third St, Bellevue IA 52031	563.872.4456	<a href="mailto:bfdchief@iwanet.com">bfdchief@iwanet.com</a>	virtual
Matt Wagner	Mayor, City of LaMotte	LaMotte	300 Union St, LaMotte IA	563.773.8285	<a href="mailto:wagners5@outlook.com">wagners5@outlook.com</a>	
Joe Kilburg	Water Testing, City of LaMotte	LaMotte	300 Union St, LaMotte IA	563.357.8832	<a href="mailto:sporty@netins.net">sporty@netins.net</a>	
Tom Messerli	Mayor, City of Maquoketa	Maquoketa	201 W Platt St, Maquoketa, IA 52060	563.652.3365	<a href="mailto:mavortom652@gmail.com">mavortom652@gmail.com</a>	
Mark Beck	Assistant Chief, Maquoketa Fire Department	Maquoketa	106 S Niagara St, Maquoketa	563.652.8154	<a href="mailto:marken408@gmail.com">marken408@gmail.com</a>	
Carl Muhlihausen	Assistant Chief, Maquoketa Fire Department	Maquoketa	106 S Niagara St, Maquoketa	563.652.8154		virtual
Josh Boldt	City Administrator, City of Maquoketa	Maquoketa	201 W Platt St, Maquoketa, IA 52060	563.652.3365	<a href="mailto:manager@maquoketaia.com">manager@maquoketaia.com</a>	



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Maquoketa, IA January 31, 2024, 6:30 p.m.



Name	Title/Agency	Jurisdiction	Address	Phone	Email	Signature
Paul Maze	Chief, Miles Fire Department	Miles	28 Orson St, Miles IA 52064	563.682.7889	<a href="mailto:pbmaze1971@gmail.com">pbmaze1971@gmail.com</a>	<i>Paul Maze</i>
Stephanie VonBehren	City Clerk, City of Monmouth	Monmouth	501 N Division, Monmouth IA 52309	319.480.9223	<a href="mailto:cityofmonmouth@netins.net">cityofmonmouth@netins.net</a>	<i>Virtual</i>
Caroline Bredekamp	Library Director, City of Preston & Mayor of Spragueville	Preston & Spragueville	1 W Gillet, Preston IA 52069; 127 E Main St, Spragueville IA 52074	563.689.3581	<a href="mailto:caroline.bredkamp@yahoo.com">caroline.bredkamp@yahoo.com</a>	<i>Caroline M Bredekamp</i>
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Maquoketa, IA January 31, 2024, 6:30 p.m.




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Jim Kraker	Jackson Co Sheriff	Jackson				virtual

## B.10 Meeting #2 Invitation

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### **Dawn Danielson**

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**Subject:** Jackson County HMP Update Meeting #2  
**Location:** Bellevue City Hall

**Start:** Wed 2/28/2024 6:30 PM  
**End:** Wed 2/28/2024 8:30 PM  
**Show Time As:** Tentative

**Recurrence:** (none)

**Meeting Status:** Not yet responded

**Organizer:** Dawn Danielson  
**Required Attendees:** travis.woodhurst@gmail.com; pbmaze1971@gmail.com; prestonfiredepartmentchief@gmail.com; prestonmayortylersieverding@gmail.com; cam4535@msn.com; bartlar@hotmail.com; 5633575538@email.uscc.net; kjsieverding@yahoo.com; kent.clasen@bellevueia.gov; sporty@netins.net; Tom Messerli; tommeyer@bellevue.k12.ia.us; tnotz@maquoketaschools.org; chris.fee@andrew.k12.ia.us; dschwenker@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; nflagel@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; msteines@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; tkinney@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; etownsend@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; bkilburg@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; iowa40z@yahoo.com; rjhilkintdmforge@msn.com; erik.rockwell@sacredheartmaq.org; Kelley Brown; wagners5@outlook.com; Brenda Tebbe (miles@netins.net); Josh Boldt (manager@maquoketaia.com); Caroline Bredecamp; Marie Rossmann; Teresa Weinschenk; teresa.weinschenk@bellevueia.gov; Julia Boop; jcbos@co.jackson.ia.us; Carrie Browne; mayormikeroeder@gmail.com; Troy Hansen; Matt Wagner; 'Frank Ellenz'; Lynn Parker; chris.fee@eastonvalleycsd.com; andrew@netins.net; william.reistroffer@bellevueia.gov; Jennifer Messerich; Stephanie VonBehren; Paige Beranek; warrenjen@genesishhealth.com; johnwogomon50@gmail.com; mportz@netins.net; Joyce Hancock; Iroling@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; lmedinger@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; loras.herrig@bellevue.ia.gov

**Optional Attendees:** Jennifer Walker; cityofzwingle@gmail.com; Tom.Berger@DBQCOEMA.COM; geoffreykaiser@marquettcatholic.com; jack.stinogel@iowa.gov

**Importance:** High

Hi all,

Please **RSVP** to the Jackson County HMP Update Meeting #2 (Agenda attached) to be held at the Bellevue City Hall located at 106 N Third St. This will be a work session for each jurisdiction to work on the status of mitigations in current plan, updates to plan goals and additions/changes to mitigations.

Worksheets will be emailed **prior** to meeting #2 so if it works best to bring your laptop along to complete the worksheets please feel free to do that.

Quick Links:

2013 FEMA Mitigation Ideas Book: [https://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/2020-06/fema-mitigation-ideas\\_02-13-2013.pdf](https://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/2020-06/fema-mitigation-ideas_02-13-2013.pdf)

2019 Jackson County Multi-jurisdictional HMP: <https://jacksoncounty.iowa.gov/emergency-management/>

2023 FEMA Local Mitigation Planning Policy Guide: <http://tiny.cc/policyguide> and handbook: <http://tiny.cc/FEMAhandbook>

Any questions let me know. I look forward to seeing you on February 28th.

Dawn Danielson | Development Coordinator  
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## B.11 Meeting #2 Agenda

**Jackson County  
Hazard Mitigation Plan Update  
Planning Meeting #2 - Agenda  
Wednesday, February 28, 2024 – 6:30 p.m.**

**Bellevue City Hall  
106 N Third St, Bellevue IA 52031  
In-Person Work Session**

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1. Introductions
2. Review Risk Assessment Survey results and confirm
3. Review Data worksheets required for each jurisdiction
4. Discuss and update goals
5. Jurisdiction: Review and update status of Mitigation Actions listed in current (2019) HMP Update. Worksheets will be provided prior to meeting for review by each jurisdiction.
6. Wrap up and discuss deadlines and assignments
7. Adjourn



## B.12 Meeting #2 Presentation

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# Jackson County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update 2025-2030 Meeting #2

**Web link:** <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/82252168026?pwd=A6AjlhNzFFYHbU7ANyjiBDoFpOIhK2.1>

Meeting ID: 822 5216 8026

Passcode: 908074



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## Introductions

### **Local Contact**

Jackson County  
Lyn Medinger, Emergency Management

### **Consultant**

East Central Intergovernmental Association (ECIA)  
Dawn Danielson, Development/Project Coordinator

Dan Fox, Sr. Planner

Jack Studier, Planner

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# Agenda

1. Introductions
2. Timeline Recap
3. Review Risk Assessments & Survey results and confirm
4. Discuss and update goals
5. Jurisdiction: Review and update status of Mitigation Actions listed in current (2019) HMP Update Plan.
6. WrapUp, Deadlines and assignments
7. Adjourn

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# Planning Timeline



Current HMP expires 1/8/2025

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# Hazard – Risk Assessment Survey Results

	Probability	Magnitude	Warning	Time Duration	CFR	Planning Significance	2019 Plan Results
Animal/Farm/Crop Disease	2	2	1	1	4	2.05 Moderate	2.05 Moderate
Dam/Levee Failure	2	2	2	2	4	2.2 Moderate	3.10 High
Drought	3	2	1	4	4	2.5 Moderate	3.25 High
Expansive Soils	2	1	1	2	2	1.95 Low	n/a
Extreme Heat	3	2	1	3	3	2.4 Moderate	2.85 Moderate
Flash Flood	2	2	3	2	2	2.15 Moderate	2.50 Moderate
Grass/Wildland Fire	2	2	4	2	2	2.3 Moderate	n/a
Hazardous Materials	2	2	4	2	2	2.3 Moderate	2.80 Moderate
Human Disease	2	2	1	4	4	2.05 Moderate	2.50 Moderate
Infrastructure Failure	2	2	3	3	3	2.25 Moderate	3.30 High
Landslide	1	1	3	2	2	1.4 Low	n/a
Ecological Incident	1	1	3	3	3	1.5 Low	2.05 Moderate
River Flooding	3	2	2	3	3	2.55 Moderate	3.25 High
Severe Winter Storm	3	2	1	3	3	2.4 Moderate	3.25 High
Sinkholes	1	1	3	2	2	1.4 Low	1.45 Low
Terrorism	1	1	4	4	4	1.75 Low	2.05 Moderate
Thunderstorm/Lightning/Hail	4	2	2	2	2	2.9 Moderate	2.90 Moderate
Tornado/Windstorm	3	3	3	4	4	3.1 High	3.10 High
Transportation Incident	2	2	4	2	2	2.3 Moderate	3.70 High



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# National & Iowa HMP Goals

	2023 National Mitigation Plan	2023 Iowa Hazard Mitigation Plan
Goal 1:	<b>Show How Mitigation Investments Reduce Risk.</b> The whole community will build a shared understanding of mitigation investment and its value.	Through comprehensive and collaborative planning and analysis, develop processes and regulations that reduce hazard risks, and provide resources to local jurisdictions so they can develop and update plans and regulations to mitigate hazard impacts.
Goal 2:	<b>Coordinate Mitigation Investments to Reduce Risk.</b> The whole community will coordinate mitigation investments through shared risk information, reinforced strategies, for risk reduction, and easier access to existing funding.	Construct new or improved structures and infrastructure, including natural infrastructure, and employ practices that reduce hazard risks while also preserving or restoring the functions of natural systems.
Goal 3:	<b>Make Mitigation Investment Standard Practice.</b> The whole community will factor mitigation into investment decisions, especially for buildings and infrastructure.	Expand public awareness and intergovernmental communication so that Iowa citizens and communities have knowledge to mitigate hazard impacts and become more resilient.
Goal 4:		Through planning, improved warning systems, and redundancy increase capabilities to ensure government operations, response and recovery are not significantly disrupted by disaster events.

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## Review Jackson County - 2019 HMP Goals

Goal 1: Protect the health, safety, and quality of life for Jackson County citizens while reducing or eliminating property losses, economic costs, and damage to the natural environment caused by a disaster.

Goal 2: Ensure government operations, response and recovery in Jackson County are not significantly disrupted by disasters.

Goal 3: Expand public awareness and encourage intergovernmental cooperation, coordination, and communication in Jackson County to build a more resilient community against all hazards.

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## Mitigation Actions

Hazard mitigation is the cornerstone of emergency management.

- Preparedness – preparing to handle an emergency
  - Includes planning, training, and educational activities **before** event happens
- Response – responding safely to an emergency **after** event happens
  - Occurs in the immediate aftermath of a disaster
- Recovery – recovering from an emergency **after** event happens
  - Restoration efforts occur concurrently with regular operations and activities
- Mitigation – preventing future emergencies or minimizing their effects
  - Includes actions taken to prevent or reduce the cause, impact, and consequences of disasters

**Effective Mitigation** reduces or even eliminates the need for Response.



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## Mitigation Actions

- All actions should be **SMART**
  - Specific
  - Measurable
  - Achievable
  - Relevant
  - Time Bound
- Each jurisdiction **MUST** have at least one mitigation action identified
  - Each jurisdiction **MUST** evaluate mitigations for own community
- Be specific as much as possible & include specific location for action to occur (i.e. culvert enlargement, low water crossing elevation, elevate electric components, buyout in specific neighborhood, safe room at specific school(s))
- Avoid beginning mitigation action with “encourage”, “ensure” or “continue/maintain” as these are **NOT** specific actions, nor can progress be measured – Reformulate statement so measurable action

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## Mitigation Actions

- Review 2019 Mitigation Action Projects
  - What's the status of project? (Provide status update)
    - **Completed** – provide date completed and funding amount if applicable
    - **Cancelled** – Mitigation action is no longer relevant and should be removed; provide reason for deleting
    - **In-Progress** – Mitigation action started not yet completed, provide details on progress made to date
    - **Not Started** – Mitigation action not started, provide details on any plans made to initiate action
- Discuss with other representatives from your jurisdiction
- Be careful to distinguish between response actions (actions after an event) and **mitigation** actions (actions before an event that reduce or eliminate need for response)

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# Mitigation Actions

- Identify **New** Mitigation Action Projects
  - Add new mitigation action not previously identified
  - Identify source(s) of funding for project – must be specific
  - Aim for 1 project per hazard identified
  - FEMA Resources: Local Mitigation Planning Handbook and Mitigation Ideas

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# Mitigation Actions

- Breakout Session
  - Breakout into groups by jurisdiction
  - Update Status of Current Plan Mitigations
  - Add **NEW** Mitigations
  - Complete Mitigation Action Plan worksheets –1 per jurisdiction
  - Any Questions ??

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## Wrap Up, Deadlines and Assignments

### Next Steps – Participants:

- Invite others to participate
- Send photos for plan to ECIA
- Complete as a jurisdiction - Mitigation Action worksheets  
Return mitigation worksheets\* by **March 20**  
\*1 packet per jurisdiction (electronically)



### Next Meeting:

April 17, 2024 at 6:30 p.m.  
Preston Fire Department  
14 N Mitchell St  
Preston IA 52069

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## B.13 Meeting #2 Minutes

### Jackson County Multi-jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update Project Overview

Meeting #2 Minutes  
February 28, 2024

This document is a record of attendance and summary of material discussed at the Jackson County Multi-jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Planning meeting #2.

#### Attendees:

Jurisdiction	Name	Title/Agency
Jackson County	Kelley Brown	Executive Director, Jackson County Economic Alliance
Jackson County	Nin Flagel	Supervisor, Jackson County-Board of Supervisors
Jackson County	Lyn Medinger	Jackson County Emergency Management Coordinator
Jackson County	Brent Kilburg	Sheriff/Jackson County
Jackson County	Lori Roling	Zoning Director, Jackson County
Jackson County	Jayden Scheckel	Assistant Engineer, Jackson County
Jackson County	Don Schwenker	Supervisor, Jackson County-Board of Supervisors
Jackson County	Jennifer Warren	Jackson County Public Health
Andrew	Keith DeMoss	City Council, City of Andrew
Bellevue	Teresa Weinschenk	Chief, Bellevue Fire Department
LaMotte	Matt Wagner	Mayor, City of LaMotte
LaMotte	Joe Kilburg	Water Testing, City of LaMotte
Maquoketa	Tom Messerli	Mayor, City of Maquoketa
Miles	Paul Maze	Chief, Miles Fire Department
Miles	Mike Portz	Miles Fire Department
Preston & Spragueville	Landon Ruchotzke	Chief, Preston Fire Department & City Council Member for City of Spragueville
Sabula	Lynn Parker	City Clerk, City of Sabula
St. Donatus	Ron Hilkin	Mayor, City of St. Donatus
Springbrook	Mark Griffin	Chief, Springbrook Fire Department & City Council, City of Springbrook
Bellevue School District	Tom Meyer	Superintendent, Bellevue School District
Plan Consultant; Facilitator	Dawn Danielson	Development Coordinator, ECIA

#### Summary of Meeting:

The meeting began with an introduction of the hazard planning committee members and attendees. Lyn Medinger welcomed and thanked attendees. Dawn Danielson, ECIA project facilitator, presented a power point presentation outlining the agenda for the meeting. The presentation included an update of the planning timeline, hazard risk assessment survey results



and risk analysis assessments and updates. The HMPC discussed the Hazard Risk Assessment, the hazard assessment score for each hazard and survey results and determined which hazards the update would include. Danielson explained that the risk assessment will include review and update to the list of critical facilities for each jurisdiction. Danielson shared the 2023 National and State Hazard Mitigation Plan goals along with the prior Jackson County Hazard Mitigation Plan goals. The HMPC discussed the goals and decided to retain Goal 1 & 2 with no changes and to slightly modify Goal 3 to include verbiage regarding public awareness reaching the whole community whether urban or rural.

Danielson discussed the importance of mitigation and the importance of it in emergency management along with preparedness, response, and recovery. Prior mitigation actions and potentially new mitigation actions were discussed, and jurisdictions received data collection worksheets to update the mitigation actions from the prior hazard mitigation plan. Tools to conduct the update were shared including the FEMA Mitigation Idea Book and the Local Mitigation Planning Handbook. Each jurisdiction was asked to collaborate with other members within its jurisdiction to update/modify the mitigation actions for its jurisdiction and return updated worksheets to Danielson by March 20, 2024.

The meeting was held in person at the Bellevue City Council Chambers located at 201 E Pleasant St, Maquoketa, IA 52060 and offered via zoom for those who were unable to attend in person. Representatives from each of the jurisdictions participated in the meeting. A total of 21 attendees participated in the meeting.

**Next Steps:**

Responsible Party	Action Item
<b>ECIA:</b>	Distribute meeting minutes
	Prepare agenda for third public meeting
	Invite key stakeholders to public meeting
	Prepare draft chapters and circulate for review
<b>Participants:</b>	Complete data collection set – one set per jurisdiction
	Review draft chapters and provide comments/edits
	Forward jpg photo files to ECIA for use in the plan featuring prior hazard events and/or mitigation implementation

Next meeting will be at the Preston Fire Department located at 14 N Mitchell St, Preston IA at 6:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 17, 2024. Meeting content to include review of draft chapters and discussion on plan maintenance and updates. Participants will be asked to review mitigation actions and prioritization.

## B.14 Meeting #2 Sign-In Sheets



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Name	Title/Agency	Jurisdiction	Address	Phone	Email	Signature
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Paul Maze	Chief, Miles Fire Department	Miles	28 Orson St, Miles IA 52064	563.682.7889	<a href="mailto:pbmaze1971@gmail.com">pbmaze1971@gmail.com</a>	
Mike Portz	Miles Fire Department	Miles	652 Lincoln St, Miles		<a href="mailto:mportz@netins.net">mportz@netins.net</a>	
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Caroline Bredekamp	Library Director, City of Preston & Mayor of Spragueville	Preston & Spragueville	1 W Gillet, Preston IA 52069; 127 E Main St, Spragueville IA 52074	563.689.3581	<a href="mailto:caroline.bredekamp@yahoo.com">caroline.bredekamp@yahoo.com</a>	
Landon Ruchotzke	Chief, Preston Fire Department & City Council Member for City of Spragueville	Preston & Spragueville	14 N Mitchell St, Preston IA 52069; 127 E Main St, Spragueville, IA 52074	563-212-1977	<a href="mailto:prestonfiredepartmentchief@gmail.com">prestonfiredepartmentchief@gmail.com</a>	
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Ron Hilkin	Mayor, City of St. Donatus	St. Donatus	203 W 1st Street, St. Donatus IA 52071	563.590.0954	<a href="mailto:rjhilkintdmforge@msn.com">rjhilkintdmforge@msn.com</a>	Virtual
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		Maquoketa Public School District	612 S Vermont St, Maquoketa IA 52060	563.652.4984	<a href="mailto:tnotz@maquoketaschools.org">tnotz@maquoketaschools.org</a>	
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 Bellevue, IA February 28, 2024, 6:30 p.m.



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## B.15 Meeting #3 Invitation

### Dawn Danielson

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**Subject:** Jackson County HMP Update Meeting #3  
**Location:** Preston Fire Station

**Start:** Wed 4/17/2024 6:30 PM  
**End:** Wed 4/17/2024 8:30 PM  
**Show Time As:** Tentative

**Recurrence:** (none)

**Meeting Status:** Not yet responded

**Organizer:** Dawn Danielson  
**Required Attendees:** travis.woodhurst@gmail.com; pbmaze1971@gmail.com; prestonfiredepartmentchief@gmail.com; prestonmayortylersieverding@gmail.com; cam4535@msn.com; bartlar@hotmail.com; 5633575538@email.uscc.net; kjsieverding@yahoo.com; kent.clasen@bellevueia.gov; sporty@netins.net; tommeyer@bellevue.k12.ia.us; tnotz@maquoketaschools.org; chris.fee@andrew.k12.ia.us; Paige Beranek; dschwenker@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; nflagel@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; msteines@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; tkinney@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; etownsend@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; bkilburg@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; iowa40z@yahoo.com; rjhilkintdmforge@msn.com; erik.rockwell@sacredheartmaq.org; wagners5@outlook.com; Mindy Ashcraft; Josh Boldt; Caroline Bredecamp; Marie Rossmann; teresa.weinschenk@bellevueia.gov; Julia Boop; jcbos@co.jackson.ia.us; Carrie Browne; mayomikeroeder@gmail.com; Troy Hansen; Matt Wagner; Frank Ellenz; Lynn Parker; chris.fee@eastonvalleycsd.com; andrew@netins.net; william.reistroffer@bellevueia.gov; Jennifer Messerich; warrenjen@genesishhealth.com; johnwogomon50@gmail.com; mportz@netins.net; Joyce Hancock; Iroling@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; lmedinger@jacksoncounty.iowa.gov; jscheckel@jackson.county.iowa.gov; Teresa Weinschenk; Stephanie VonBehren; Caroline Bredekamp; Mike Griffin; Tom Messerli (tommy@yousq.net)

**Optional Attendees:** Jennifer Walker; cityofzwingle@gmail.com; Tom.Berger@DBQCOEMA.COM; geoffreykaiser@marquettecatholic.com; jack.stinogel@iowa.gov

Hi all,

Thank you to all who attended the second Jackson County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update meeting. The [next meeting](#) will be 6:30 pm on April 17, 2024 at the Preston Fire Station.

As a reminder the Mitigation Action worksheets are due March 20. Here are some quick links to assist in filling out the worksheet.

**Quick Links:**

2013 FEMA Mitigation Ideas Book: [https://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/2020-06/fema-mitigation-ideas\\_02-13-2013.pdf](https://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/2020-06/fema-mitigation-ideas_02-13-2013.pdf)

2019 Jackson County Multi-jurisdictional HMP: <https://jacksoncounty.iowa.gov/emergency-management/>

2023 FEMA Local Mitigation Planning Policy Guide: <http://tiny.cc/policyguide> and handbook: <http://tiny.cc/FEMAhandbook>

Also, please make sure to fill in the columns in **BLUE** on the worksheets especially the timeline and potential funding source column. There is list of the timeline ranges and funding sources at the top of the worksheet.

I know several of you were taking the worksheets back and having a meeting with council and staff. If you do that please send me the date you had the meeting and who attended as I will include that in the Plan update as part of the update process.

Any questions on the worksheets let me know.  
Thanks again,

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Brownfields Project Manager  
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## B.16 Meeting #3 Agenda

### **Jackson County HMP Update Meeting #3**

**Preston Fire Department Station**

**14 N Mitchell St – Preston, IA 52069**

**Wednesday, April 17, 2024 – 6:30 pm – 8:00 pm**

#### **Agenda**

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**Zoom:** <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81477820469?pwd=JsaDiLUPpGTUcFWb1CgSkQzyWknBK9.1>

Meeting ID: 814 7782 0469

Passcode: 732544

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1. Introductions
2. Status Update/Review Plan Draft
3. Discuss Plan Maintenance
4. Wrap up and discuss Next Steps
5. Adjourn

## B.17 Meeting #3 Presentation

# Jackson County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update Meeting #3

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## Introductions

### **Local Contact**

Jackson County  
Lyn Medinger, Emergency Management

### **Consultant**

East Central Intergovernmental Association (ECIA)  
Dawn Danielson, Development/Project Coordinator

Dan Fox, Sr. Planner

Jack Studier, Planner

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# Agenda

1. Introductions
2. Status Update/Review Plan Draft/Timeline Recap
3. Discuss Plan Maintenance
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5. Adjourn

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# Planning Timeline



Current HMP expires 1/8/2025

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# Jackson County HMP – Draft

Each Jurisdiction:

- Review DRAFT chapters located at [https://eciains.org/jackson\\_county\\_hazard\\_mitigation\\_plan.php](https://eciains.org/jackson_county_hazard_mitigation_plan.php)
- Share draft chapters with community at large and ask for feedback/comments
- Comments: Submit by **May 20<sup>th</sup>**.
- Update will be available for public by June 1<sup>st</sup> - *tentatively* [public comment period 30 days] – send proof of publication to ECIA

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# Jackson County – 2023 HMP Goal Updates

Goal 1: Protect the health, safety, and quality of life for Jackson County citizens while reducing or eliminating property losses, economic costs, and damage to the natural environment caused by a disaster.

Goal 2: Ensure government operations, response and recovery in Jackson County are not significantly disrupted by disasters.

Goal 3: Expand public awareness *within the whole community, both urban and rural* and encourage intergovernmental cooperation, coordination, and communication in Jackson County to build a more resilient community against all hazards.

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# Jackson County HMP – Plan Maintenance

- HMPC agree to:
  - Meet annually – incorporate in Emergency Management Commission meeting for annual monitoring of progress on mitigation actions – update mitigation strategy
  - Meet following major storms or natural disasters
  - Seek community public input
  - Update Plan – ongoing
    - Plan is a **Living** Document – incorporate Action items in other plans
  - Report progress on mitigation actions to Jackson Co Emergency Management

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## Wrap Up & Next Steps

### Participants:

- Send photos for plan to ECIA
- Review DRAFT chapters located at [https://eciains.org/jackson\\_county\\_hazard\\_mitigation\\_plan.php](https://eciains.org/jackson_county_hazard_mitigation_plan.php)
- Share with local community stakeholders

### Jackson Co – Emergency Management Coordinator:

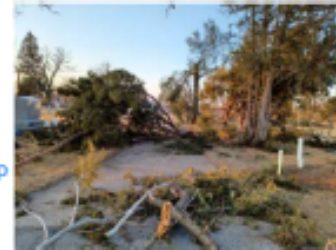
- Issue Public Notice for 30-day Public Comment Period - tentatively planned for June 1-30

### Jurisdictions:

- After comment period, each Jurisdiction will adopt plan

### ECIA:

- Prepare draft chapter edits, circulate
- Submit Plan Update to State – Fall 2024 & FEMA Fall/Winter 2024



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## B.18 Meeting #3 Minutes

# Jackson County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update Project Overview

Meeting #3 Minutes  
April 17, 2024

This document is a record of attendance and summary of material discussed at the Jackson County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Planning meeting #3.

### Attendees:

Jurisdiction	Name	Title/Agency
Jackson County	Kelley Brown	Executive Director, Jackson County Economic Alliance
Jackson County	Nin Flagel	Supervisor, Jackson County-Board of Supervisors
Jackson County	Lyn Medinger	Jackson County Emergency Management Coordinator
Jackson County	Brent Kilburg	Sheriff/Jackson County
Jackson County	Lori Roling	Zoning Director, Jackson County
Jackson County	Don Schwenker	Supervisor, Jackson County-Board of Supervisors
Jackson County	Mike Steines	Supervisor, Jackson County-Board of Supervisors
Jackson County	Jennifer Warren	Jackson County Public Health
Maquoketa	Tom Messerli	Mayor, City of Maquoketa
Miles	Paul Maze	Chief, Miles Fire Department
Preston & Spragueville	Landon Ruchotzke	Chief, Preston Fire Department & City Council Member for City of Spragueville
Preston & Spragueville	Caroline Bredekamp	Mayor, City of Spragueville & Library Director, City of Preston
Preston	Sheryl Ganser	City Clerk, City of Preston
Springbrook	Mark Griffin	Chief, Springbrook Fire Department & City Council, City of Springbrook
Plan Consultant; Facilitator	Dawn Danielson	Development Coordinator, ECIA

### Summary of Meeting:

The meeting began with an introduction of the hazard planning committee members and attendees. Lyn Medinger welcomed and thanked attendees. Dawn Danielson, ECIA project facilitator, presented a power point presentation outlining the agenda for the meeting. The presentation included an update of the planning timeline, hazard risk assessment survey results and risk analysis assessments and updates. The HMPC discussed the Hazard Risk Assessment, review of draft chapters and shared location, review of plan maintenance and update process.

The mitigation actions from the 2019 HMP plan along with potential new mitigation actions were discussed. Actions that align with the goals of the county were added to the plan and actions that have been completed were removed. Danielson discussed the requirements for the plan to provide a formal plan maintenance process to ensure that the mitigation plan remains an active and relevant document. Committee reviewed the plan process and made no changes to the current process in place.

The meeting was held in person at the Preston Fire Department Station located at 14 N Mitchell St, Preston, IA 52060 and offered via zoom for those who were unable to attend in person. The Plan coordinator followed up with meeting minutes to all committee members. A total of 15 attendees participated in the meeting.

Draft plan will be posted to ECIA Jackson County HMP Update website for review and comment and link and public notice posted on Jackson County Emergency Management website. Any comments received during comment period will be addressed and incorporated accordingly in the plan update.

**Next Steps:**

Responsible Party	Action Item
<b>Participants:</b>	Forward jpg photo files to ECIA for use in the plan featuring prior hazard events and/or mitigation implementation
	Review draft chapters and provide comments/edits
	Share with local community stakeholders
<b>Jackson Co – EM Coordinator:</b>	Issue Public Notice for 30-day public comment period once draft chapters have been reviewed by HMPC and updated by ECIA
	Solicit Feedback from Adjacent Communities and other key stakeholders
<b>Jurisdictions:</b>	After comment period and plan updated, adopt plan
<b>ECIA:</b>	Distribute meeting minutes
	Prepare draft chapter edits and circulate for review
	Submit Plan update to State & FEMA – August/September 2024
	Anticipate FEMA approval pending adopt – December 2024

## B.19 Meeting #3 Sign-In Sheets



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Preston, IA April 17, 2024, 6:30 p.m.



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<i>Sheryl Gunzer</i>	<i>City Admin</i>	<i>Preston</i>	<i>1 W Gillet St Preston</i>	<i>563-684-300</i>	<i>admin@preston.iowa.gov</i>	<i>Sheryl Gunzer</i>

## B.20 Plan Summary/Questionnaire for Public Comment during Drafting Stage



### Jackson County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update

\* 1. Select your Jurisdiction

Other (please specify)

\* 2. Please provide your name and email

Name

Email Address



In this survey you will evaluate potential hazards based on four criteria: Probability, Magnitude/Severity, Warning Time, and Duration. Please review the following hazard definitions below before continuing.

**Animal/Plant/Crop Disease:** infection of crops/livestock that renders it unfit for consumption/use

**Dam/Levee Failure:** uncontrolled release of water resulting from a structural failure of a dam/levee

**Drought:** condition of moisture levels significantly below normal for an extended period time over a large area that adversely affects plants, animal life, and humans

**Expansive Soils:** soils that expand and shrink in relation to water content, causing damage to buildings and infrastructure

**Extreme Heat:** temperatures hover 10 degrees or more above the average high for the region for several weeks

**Flash Flood:** water levels rise at an extremely fast rate as a result of intense rainfall over a brief period

**Grass/Wildland Fire:** widespread fire typically associated with lightning and drought conditions

**Hazardous Materials:** incident involving a substance that may cause damage when released to soil, water, or air

**Human Disease:** outbreak of medical, health, or sanitation threat to the general public

**Infrastructure Failure:** failure of vital facilities/systems including electric, gas/oil, water, transportation, etc.

**Landslide:** downhill movement of masses of soil and rock by gravity

**Radiological Incident:** an occurrence resulting in the release of radiological material at a fixed facility (such as power plants, hospitals, laboratories, etc. or in transit

**River Flooding:** partial or complete inundation of normally dry land areas

**Severe Winter Storm:** blizzard, blowing snow, snow squalls, snow showers, freezing rain, and/or sleet

**Sinkholes:** rock below the land surface is limestone, carbonate rock, salt beds, or rocks that can naturally be dissolved by ground water circulating through them, creating voids/caverns, and resulting in the sudden collapse of the land surface

**Terrorism:** encompasses enemy attack, biological terrorism, agroterrorism, chemical terrorism, cyber terrorism, radiological terrorism, and public disorder, demonstrating unlawful force, violence, and/or threat against persons or property causing intentional harm

**Thunderstorm/Lightning/Hail:** thunderstorms are storms that contain lightning, large discharges of energy, thunder, and sometimes hail, frozen water droplets that accumulate until falling to earth, commonly between the size of a pea and a baseball, and often causing damage

**Tornado/Windstorm:** violently rotating column of air extending from a thunderstorm to the ground

**Transportation Incident:** incident which results in property damage, death/injury, and/or impacts a community's capabilities to provide emergency services

\* 3. **Probability:** Reflects the likelihood of the hazard occurring in the future, considering both the hazard's historical occurrence and the projected likelihood of the hazard occurring in any given year.

Based on the following definitions, assign a probability value to each hazard.

Unlikely - Less than 10% probability

Occasional - Between 11% and 20% probability

Likely - Between 21% and 33% probability

Highly Likely - More than 34% probability

	Unlikely	Occasionally	Likely	Highly Likely
Animal/Plant/Crop Disease	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dam/Levee Failure	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Drought	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Expansive Soils	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Extreme Heat	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Flash Flood	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Grass/Wildland Fire	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hazardous Materials	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Human Disease	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Infrastructure Failure	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Landslide	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Radiological Incident	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
River Flooding	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Severe Winter Storm	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sinkholes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Terrorism	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Thunderstorm/Lightning/Hail	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Tornado/Windstorm	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Transportation Incident	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

\* 4. **Magnitude/Severity:** Assessment of severity in terms of injuries and fatalities, personal property, and infrastructure and the degree and extent with which the hazard affects the jurisdiction.

Based on the following definitions, assign a value to each hazard.

Negligible - Less than 10% of property severely damaged, shutdown of facilities and services for less than 24 hours, and/or injuries/illnesses treatable with first aid.

Limited - 11% to 25% of property severely damaged, shutdown of facilities and services for less than 24 hours, and/or injuries/illnesses that do not result in permanent disability.

Critical - 26% to 50% of property severely damaged, shutdown of facilities and services for at least 2 weeks, and/or injures/illnesses that result in permanent disability.

Catastrophic - More than 51% of property severely damaged, shutdown of facilities and services for more than 30 days, and/or multiple deaths.

	Negligible	Limited	Critical	Catastrophic
Animal/Plant/Crop Disease	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dam/Levee Failure	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Drought	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Expansive Soils	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Extreme Heat	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Flash Flood	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Grass/Wildland Fire	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hazardous Materials	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Human Disease	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Infrastructure Failure	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Landslide	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Radiological Incident	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
River Flooding	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Severe Winter Storm	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sinkholes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Terrorism	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Thunderstorm/Lightning/Hail	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Tornado/Windstorm	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Transportation Incident	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

\* 5. **Warning Time:** Rating of the potential amount of warning time that is available before the hazard occurs. This should be taken as an average warning time.

Based on the following definitions, assign a value to each hazard.

- 1 - More than 24 hours warning time
- 2 - 13 to 24 hours warning time
- 3 - 6 to 12 hours warning time
- 4 - minimal or no warning time (less than 6 hours)

	1	2	3	4
Animal/Plant/Crop Disease	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dam/Levee Failure	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Drought	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Expansive Soils	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Extreme Heat	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Flash Flood	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Grass/Wildland Fire	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Hazardous Materials	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Human Disease	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Infrastructure Failure	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Landslide	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Radiological Incident	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
River Flooding	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Severe Winter Storm	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Sinkholes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Terrorism	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Thunderstorm/Lightning/Hail	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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Transportation Incident	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

\* 6. **Duration:** Measure of the duration of time that the hazard will affect the jurisdiction.

Based on the following definitions, assign a value to each hazard.

1 - Less than 6 hours

2 - More than 6 hours to less than 1 day

3 - More than 1 day to less than 1 week

4 - More than 1 week

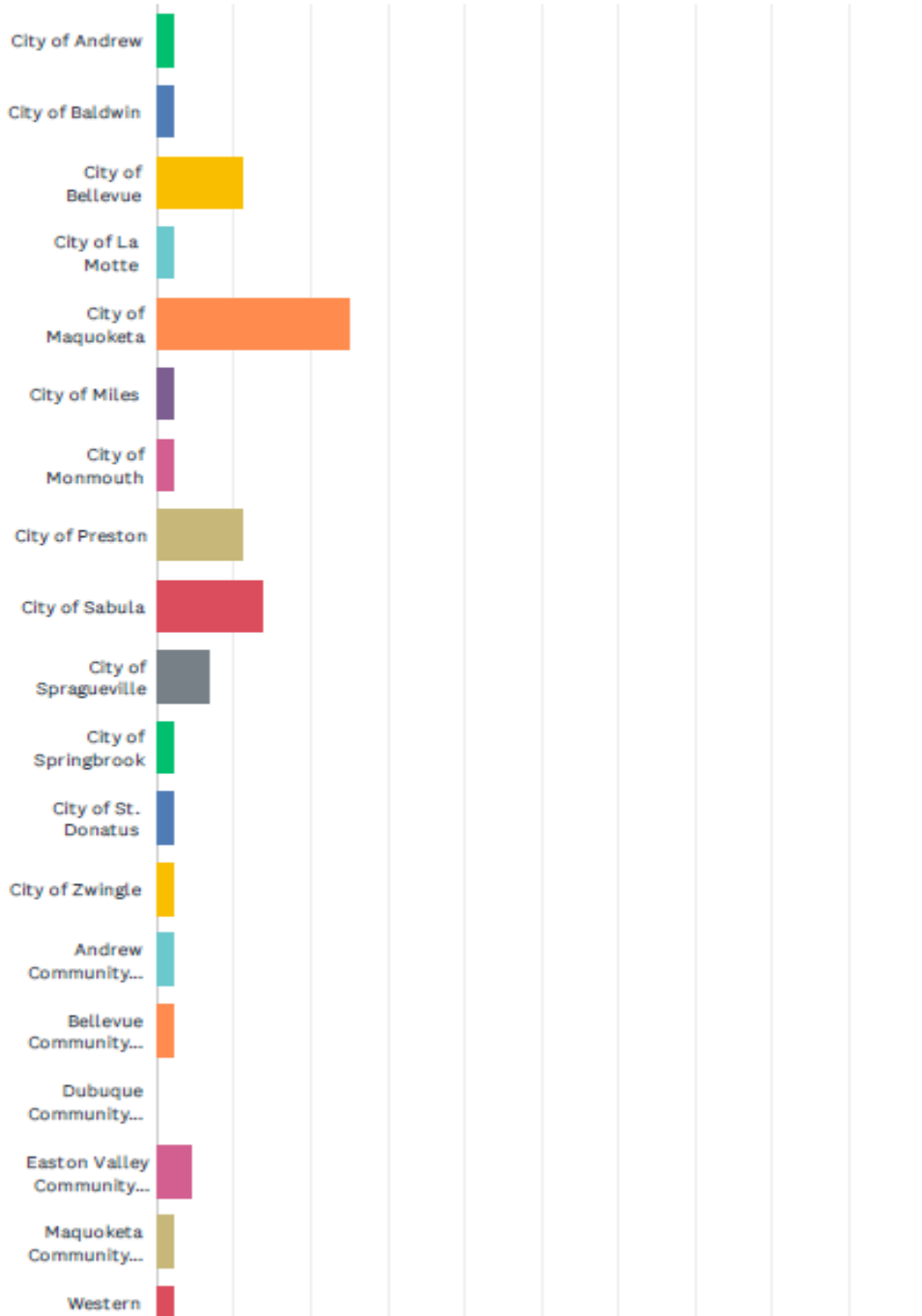
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Dam/Levee Failure	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Drought	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Expansive Soils	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Extreme Heat	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Flash Flood	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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Hazardous Materials	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Human Disease	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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Landslide	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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Terrorism	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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Tornado/Windstorm	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
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# B.21 Public Survey Results

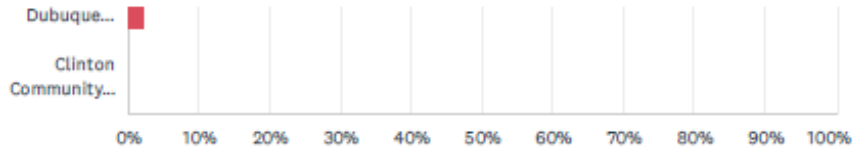
## Jackson County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update

### Q1 Select your Jurisdiction

Answered: 44 Skipped: 0



### Jackson County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES
City of Andrew	2.27% 1
City of Baldwin	2.27% 1
City of Bellevue	11.36% 5
City of La Motte	2.27% 1
City of Maquoketa	25.00% 11
City of Miles	2.27% 1
City of Monmouth	2.27% 1
City of Preston	11.36% 5
City of Sabula	13.64% 6
City of Spragueville	6.82% 3
City of Springbrook	2.27% 1
City of St. Donatus	2.27% 1
City of Zwingle	2.27% 1
Andrew Community School District	2.27% 1
Bellevue Community School District	2.27% 1
Dubuque Community School District	0.00% 0
Easton Valley Community School District	4.55% 2
Maquoketa Community School District	2.27% 1
Western Dubuque Community School District	2.27% 1
Clinton Community College	0.00% 0
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>44</b>

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Q2 Please provide your name and email. Optional. Please provide this information if you would like to receive updates on the plan.

Answered: 26 Skipped: 18

ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Name	100.00%	26
Company	0.00%	0
Address	0.00%	0
Address 2	0.00%	0
City/Town	0.00%	0
State/Province	0.00%	0
ZIP/Postal Code	0.00%	0
Country	0.00%	0
Email Address	100.00%	26
Phone Number	0.00%	0



Q3 Probability: Reflects the likelihood of the hazard occurring in the future, considering both the hazard's historical occurrence and the projected likelihood of the hazard occurring in any given year. Based on the following definitions, assign a probability value to each hazard. Unlikely - Less than 10% probability Occasional - Between 11% and 20% probability Likely - Between 21% and 33% probability Highly Likely - More than 34% probability

Answered: 44 Skipped: 0

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	UNLIKELY	OCCASIONALLY	LIKELY	HIGHLY LIKELY	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Animal/Plant/Crop Disease	25.0% 11	56.8% 25	13.6% 6	4.5% 2	44	1.98
Dam/Levee Failure	47.7% 21	29.5% 13	13.6% 6	9.1% 4	44	1.84
Drought	4.5% 2	29.5% 13	47.7% 21	18.2% 8	44	2.80
Expansive Soils	34.1% 15	50.0% 22	11.4% 5	4.5% 2	44	1.86
Extreme Heat	2.3% 1	29.5% 13	54.5% 24	13.6% 6	44	2.80
Flash Flood	13.6% 6	43.2% 19	29.5% 13	13.6% 6	44	2.43
Grass/Wildland Fire	27.3% 12	34.1% 15	29.5% 13	9.1% 4	44	2.20
Hazardous Materials	36.4% 16	31.8% 14	20.5% 9	11.4% 5	44	2.07
Human Disease	27.3% 12	43.2% 19	18.2% 8	11.4% 5	44	2.14
Infrastructure Failure	34.1% 15	36.4% 16	20.5% 9	9.1% 4	44	2.05
Landslide	79.5% 35	18.2% 8	2.3% 1	0.0% 0	44	1.23
Radiological Incident	81.8% 36	11.4% 5	6.8% 3	0.0% 0	44	1.25
River Flooding	13.6% 6	31.8% 14	29.5% 13	25.0% 11	44	2.66
Severe Winter Storm	0.0% 0	22.7% 10	31.8% 14	45.5% 20	44	3.23
Sinkholes	52.3% 23	29.5% 13	11.4% 5	6.8% 3	44	1.73
Terrorism	68.2% 30	18.2% 8	9.1% 4	4.5% 2	44	1.50
Thunderstorm/Lightning/Hail	0.0% 0	18.2% 8	25.0% 11	56.8% 25	44	3.39
Tornado/Windstorm	0.0% 0	29.5% 13	25.0% 11	45.5% 20	44	3.16
Transportation Incident	31.8% 14	27.3% 12	27.3% 12	13.6% 6	44	2.23

Q4 Magnitude/Severity: Assessment of severity in terms of injuries and fatalities, personal property, and infrastructure and the degree and extent with which the hazard affects the jurisdiction. Based on the following definitions, assign a value to each hazard. Negligible - Less than 10% of property severely damaged, shutdown of facilities and services for less than 24 hours, and/or injuries/illnesses treatable with first aid. Limited - 11% to 25% of property severely damaged, shutdown of facilities and services for less than 24 hours, and/or injuries/illnesses that do not result in permanent disability. Critical - 26% to 50% of property severely damaged, shutdown of facilities and services for at least 2 weeks, and/or injures/illnesses that result in permanent disability. Catastrophic - More than 51% of property severely damaged, shutdown of facilities and services for more than 30 days, and/or multiple deaths.

Answered: 44 Skipped: 0

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	NEGLIGIBLE	LIMITED	CRITICAL	CATASTROPHIC	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Animal/Plant/Crop Disease	40.9% 18	50.0% 22	9.1% 4	0.0% 0	44	1.68
Dam/Levee Failure	38.6% 17	34.1% 15	15.9% 7	11.4% 5	44	2.00
Drought	20.5% 9	45.5% 20	31.8% 14	2.3% 1	44	2.16
Expansive Soils	52.3% 23	47.7% 21	0.0% 0	0.0% 0	44	1.48
Extreme Heat	15.9% 7	52.3% 23	31.8% 14	0.0% 0	44	2.16
Flash Flood	18.2% 8	54.5% 24	22.7% 10	4.5% 2	44	2.14
Grass/Wildland Fire	34.1% 15	50.0% 22	11.4% 5	4.5% 2	44	1.86
Hazardous Materials	47.7% 21	34.1% 15	9.1% 4	9.1% 4	44	1.80
Human Disease	34.1% 15	45.5% 20	15.9% 7	4.5% 2	44	1.91
Infrastructure Failure	29.5% 13	40.9% 18	18.2% 8	11.4% 5	44	2.11
Landslide	77.3% 34	18.2% 8	4.5% 2	0.0% 0	44	1.27
Radiological Incident	63.6% 28	15.9% 7	11.4% 5	9.1% 4	44	1.66
River Flooding	11.4% 5	52.3% 23	29.5% 13	6.8% 3	44	2.32
Severe Winter Storm	9.1% 4	50.0% 22	31.8% 14	9.1% 4	44	2.41
Sinkholes	59.1% 26	31.8% 14	9.1% 4	0.0% 0	44	1.50
Terrorism	61.4% 27	11.4% 5	20.5% 9	6.8% 3	44	1.73
Thunderstorm/Lightning/Hail	9.1% 4	45.5% 20	36.4% 16	9.1% 4	44	2.45
Tornado/Windstorm	2.3% 1	36.4% 16	29.5% 13	31.8% 14	44	2.91
Transportation Incident	47.7% 21	29.5% 13	20.5% 9	2.3% 1	44	1.77

Q5 Warning Time: Rating of the potential amount of warning time that is available before the hazard occurs. This should be taken as an average warning time. Based on the following definitions, assign a value to each hazard. 1 - More than 24 hours warning time 2 - 13 to 24 hours warning time 3 - 6 to 12 hours warning time 4 - minimal or no warning time (less than 6 hours)

Answered: 44 Skipped: 0

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	1	2	3	4	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Animal/Plant/Crop Disease	77.3% 34	6.8% 3	4.5% 2	11.4% 5	44	1.50
Dam/Levee Failure	31.8% 14	25.0% 11	6.8% 3	36.4% 16	44	2.48
Drought	81.8% 36	9.1% 4	4.5% 2	4.5% 2	44	1.32
Expansive Soils	72.7% 32	11.4% 5	6.8% 3	9.1% 4	44	1.52
Extreme Heat	65.9% 29	27.3% 12	4.5% 2	2.3% 1	44	1.43
Flash Flood	18.2% 8	25.0% 11	27.3% 12	29.5% 13	44	2.68
Grass/Wildland Fire	18.2% 8	9.1% 4	18.2% 8	54.5% 24	44	3.09
Hazardous Materials	22.7% 10	9.1% 4	11.4% 5	56.8% 25	44	3.02
Human Disease	65.9% 29	13.6% 6	11.4% 5	9.1% 4	44	1.64
Infrastructure Failure	22.7% 10	11.4% 5	25.0% 11	40.9% 18	44	2.84
Landslide	29.5% 13	6.8% 3	25.0% 11	38.6% 17	44	2.73
Radiological Incident	34.1% 15	6.8% 3	15.9% 7	43.2% 19	44	2.68
River Flooding	31.8% 14	34.1% 15	20.5% 9	13.6% 6	44	2.16
Severe Winter Storm	52.3% 23	22.7% 10	13.6% 6	11.4% 5	44	1.84
Sinkholes	27.3% 12	15.9% 7	15.9% 7	40.9% 18	44	2.70
Terrorism	22.7% 10	6.8% 3	6.8% 3	63.6% 28	44	3.11
Thunderstorm/Lightning/Hail	29.5% 13	27.3% 12	20.5% 9	22.7% 10	44	2.36
Tornado/Windstorm	22.7% 10	18.2% 8	18.2% 8	40.9% 18	44	2.77
Transportation Incident	20.5% 9	6.8% 3	13.6% 6	59.1% 26	44	3.11

Q6 Duration: Measure of the duration of time that the hazard will affect the jurisdiction. Based on the following definitions, assign a value to each hazard. 1 - Less than 6 hours 2 - More than 6 hours to less than 1 day 3 - More than 1 day to less than 1 week 4 - More than 1 week

Answered: 44 Skipped: 0

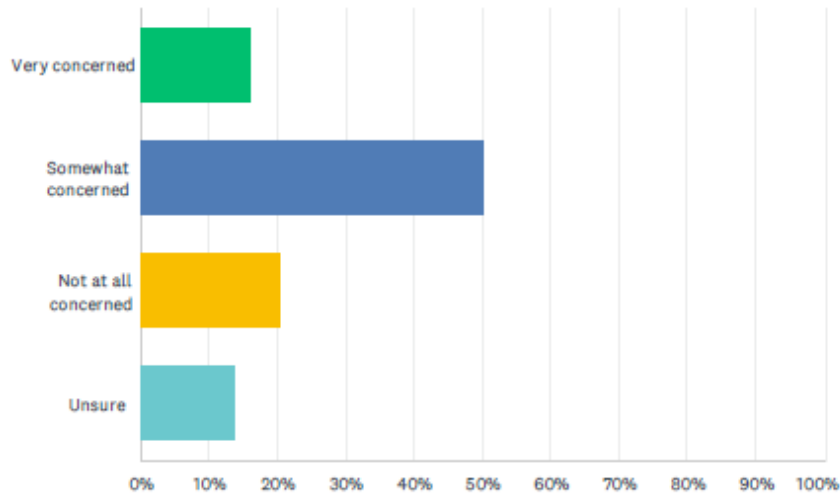
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	1	2	3	4	TOTAL	WEIGHTED AVERAGE
Animal/Plant/Crop Disease	13.6% 6	0.0% 0	4.5% 2	81.8% 36	44	3.55
Dam/Levee Failure	18.2% 8	0.0% 0	18.2% 8	63.6% 28	44	3.27
Drought	9.1% 4	6.8% 3	4.5% 2	79.5% 35	44	3.55
Expansive Soils	22.7% 10	18.2% 8	27.3% 12	31.8% 14	44	2.68
Extreme Heat	4.5% 2	15.9% 7	45.5% 20	34.1% 15	44	3.09
Flash Flood	15.9% 7	15.9% 7	36.4% 16	31.8% 14	44	2.84
Grass/Wildland Fire	20.5% 9	36.4% 16	25.0% 11	18.2% 8	44	2.41
Hazardous Materials	13.6% 6	25.0% 11	31.8% 14	29.5% 13	44	2.77
Human Disease	11.4% 5	11.4% 5	13.6% 6	63.6% 28	44	3.30
Infrastructure Failure	9.1% 4	13.6% 6	29.5% 13	47.7% 21	44	3.16
Landslide	31.8% 14	6.8% 3	34.1% 15	27.3% 12	44	2.57
Radiological Incident	18.2% 8	6.8% 3	29.5% 13	45.5% 20	44	3.02
River Flooding	9.1% 4	4.5% 2	40.9% 18	45.5% 20	44	3.23
Severe Winter Storm	2.3% 1	20.5% 9	61.4% 27	15.9% 7	44	2.91
Sinkholes	22.7% 10	25.0% 11	31.8% 14	20.5% 9	44	2.50
Terrorism	15.9% 7	11.4% 5	20.5% 9	52.3% 23	44	3.09
Thunderstorm/Lightning/Hail	20.5% 9	29.5% 13	38.6% 17	11.4% 5	44	2.41
Tomado/Windstorm	4.5% 2	13.6% 6	27.3% 12	54.5% 24	44	3.32
Transportation Incident	34.1% 15	20.5% 9	31.8% 14	13.6% 6	44	2.25



### Q7 How concerned are you that climate change may create new hazardous situations in Jackson County or make existing natural hazards worse?

Answered: 44 Skipped: 0

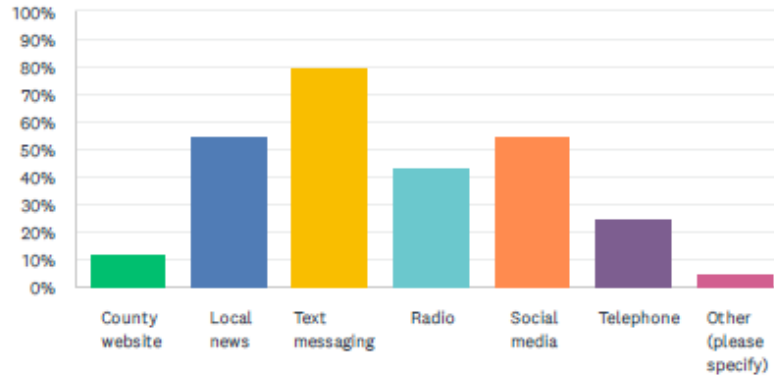


ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Very concerned	15.91%	7
Somewhat concerned	50.00%	22
Not at all concerned	20.45%	9
Unsure	13.64%	6
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>44</b>

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Q8 If disaster occurs or one is imminent, what is best way for the county to provide disaster information including details about evacuations? Select up to three options.

Answered: 44 Skipped: 0



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
County website	11.36%	5
Local news	54.55%	24
Text messaging	79.55%	35
Radio	43.18%	19
Social media	54.55%	24
Telephone	25.00%	11
Other (please specify)	4.55%	2
<b>Total Respondents: 44</b>		

## B.23 Announcement for Final Public Comment Period

Jackson County News Release

Contact: Lyn Medinger 563.542.3911

### Jackson County, Iowa County Hazard Mitigation Plan

Jackson County, IA – Jackson County has completed a draft update of its Hazard Mitigation Plan (HMP) and is now seeking public feedback. Public participation plays an important role in planning. Planning for natural disasters minimizes the impact of these events that can cause vast economic loss and personal hardship. Jackson County residents and interested stakeholders including those in neighboring counties or working with affected agencies are encouraged to review and offer feedback. The review and comment period are open for a period of 30 days through June 30, 2024. The public can access the plan and submit comments at [https://eciatrans.org/jackson\\_co\\_hmp\\_draft\\_chapters.php](https://eciatrans.org/jackson_co_hmp_draft_chapters.php)

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Hi all,

All chapters of the Jackson County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update have been posted to: [https://eciatrans.org/jackson\\_county\\_hazard\\_mitigation\\_plan.php](https://eciatrans.org/jackson_county_hazard_mitigation_plan.php)

I have attached a copy of the press release. Please post to your city website, Facebook page, community board and include in any other form of communication you have with the public. After posting please send me a screen shot or photo of the posting along with location where posted so I can document in the plan.

The public comment period starts now and goes to June 30<sup>th</sup>. Comments can be emailed to me at [ddanielson@ecia.org](mailto:ddanielson@ecia.org). There are few edits yet to be made to the plan and the table of contents will be updated once all edits have been made after the comment period.

Thank you in advance for your participation in the plan update and for sharing this draft plan with your community.

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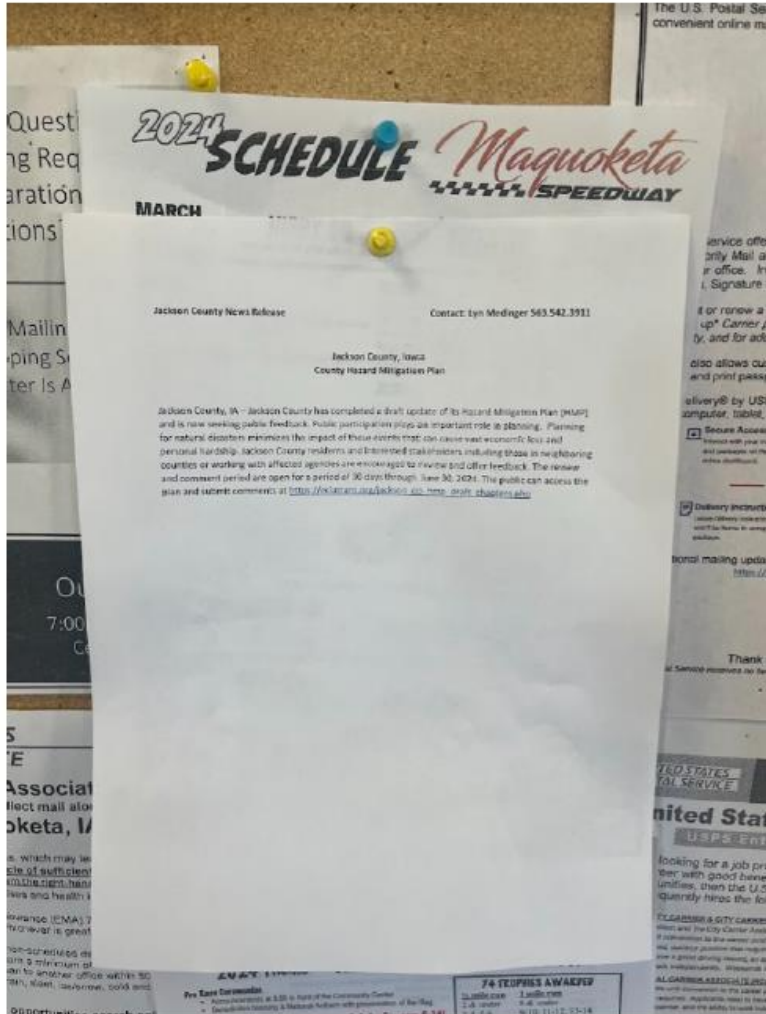
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# Kilburg defeats Schroeder in primary race for sheriff

## Miller-Meeks defeats Pautsch for Iowa's first congressional district; Steines and Smith unopposed

By TATE HUCKSTADT  
for the Bellevue Herald-Leader

Incumbent Jackson County Sheriff Brent Kilburg won in the June 4 GOP primary election last, and will move on to appear on the general election ballot this November.

In one of only two races in which multiple candidates filed to run, Kilburg defeated Bellevue police chief Dennis "Bud" Schroeder, receiving 1,149 (63%) votes to Schroeder's 671 (37%), according to unofficial results. Kilburg will continue to vie for a second term as sheriff. No candidates filed paperwork to run for sheriff as a Democrat.

"I think the community feels and appreciates the difference we've been making since I became sheriff," Kilburg said of his victory. "I interpret the election results as a vote of confidence from the community and as a signal that they want us to continue that vision and mission that we've embarked on and keep striving for more progress and trying to improve things every day as we go forward."

Schroeder thanked his supporters for turning out to vote. "We did our best to inform the public so voters knew they had a choice to make."

In the only other competitive primary race, Iowa's first congressional district representative Mariannette Miller-Meeks fended off challenger David Pautsch, founder of the Quad Cities Prayer Breakfast.

In Jackson County, Miller-Meeks received 877 votes and Pautsch received 676, according to unofficial results. Across the entire congressional district, which includes counties in south-central and southeastern Iowa, Miller-Meeks received 55.4% of the vote to Pautsch's 44.6%, according to the Associated Press.

In a statement released after her victory, the congresswoman said: "I am deeply honored to win the Republican nomination for Iowa's First Congressional District. I look forward to taking our message to every Iowan in our district ahead of November. I

share Iowans' priorities for the next Congress: securing our southern border, getting inflation and the cost of living under control, tackling the mounting national debt, making sure we have strong K-12 education, and addressing escalating conflicts around the world.

"I look forward to continuing to serve and deliver for the constituents of Southeast Iowa."

Miller-Meeks' victory in the primary sets the stage for a rematch of the 2022 competition for the same seat. Christina Bohannon, the only democrat to file for the race, received 161 votes from Jackson County voters in the June 4 primary, according to unofficial results.

In a statement released after her victory, Bohannon said: "I'm overwhelmed by the support we've received since launching this campaign. ...I grew up in a working family. I know how tough it is to make ends meet. I will always fight for Iowans and work to lower costs, revitalize our rural communi-

ties, and protect reproductive freedom."

Unofficial winners in local uncontested races are:

■ Jackson County Supervisor Mike Steines (R) is seeking another term and received 1,422 votes.

■ Jackson County Auditor Alisha Smith (R) is seeking re-election and received 1,379 votes.

■ In the race to represent district 66 in the Iowa House of Representatives, incumbent Steve Bradley (R) received 1,018 votes in Jackson County.

Andy McKean (D) is running for the same seat and received 96 votes in Jackson County.

■ In the race to represent district 70 in the Iowa House of Representatives, incumbent Norlin Mommsen received 339 votes in Jackson County.

Kay Pence (D) is running for the same seat and received 70 votes in Jackson County.

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## Graduation rates vary in Jackson County

### Bellevue maintains same numbers, while Maquoketa falls below state average

By TATE HUCKSTADT  
for the Bellevue Herald-Leader

While some area school districts' graduation rates have held steady, some other districts have declined in recent years, according to recently released data from the Iowa

Department of Education. In Jackson County, graduation rates have held steady in the past five to ten years, noting that it has become more common for students to make it to school, but not to class.

Maquoketa Community School District Superintendent Tara Notz shared that the



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# Hearing set for comprehension plan

## INCIDENTS

By MARY HAYWARD  
Staff Writer

The Jackson County Board of Supervisors continued moving towards approving the comprehensive plan that has been developed for the county by setting a public hearing on May 28.

Zoning Administrator Lori Roling told the supervisors that the zoning commission recently completed their work on the comprehensive plan.

Last summer, Jackson County made a one-year contract with ECIA (East Central Intergovernmental Association) to help develop a plan. With that year almost behind them, the supervisors set June 18 at 9 a.m. for a hearing at which the public is invited to give their input.

Roling explained that the comprehensive plan is a fluid document. It is not a law, as an ordinance would be. It is approved by resolution, which is more of an opinion or statement.

As defined by Iowa State University, a comprehensive plan is a document designed to guide the future actions of a county. The document should present a vision for the future with long-term goals and objectives for all activities that affect the county. This could include guidance on how to make decisions on public and private land development proposals.

The proposed Jackson County Comprehensive Plan can be viewed online at: [eciatrans.org/jackson\\_county\\_comprehensive\\_plan.php](https://eciatrans.org/jackson_county_comprehensive_plan.php)

The supervisors approved the purchase of a used end loader to replace a machine which is otherwise going to need costly repairs.

Assistant county engineer Jayden Scheckel said the Jackson County Engineer's Office had ordered a new sign truck which will not be ready for delivery until the next fiscal year, so there is money available in this year's budget.

Three companies provided bids on four machines and the supervisors chose a Case machine sold by Titan Machinery.

Sheckel said the cost of this used machine will be \$78,553.16.

The supervisors approved a right-of-way permit for utility work to be done in various locations around Maquoketa by Alliant Energy. Sheckel said this is maintenance work to be done on overhead lines for the purpose of extending the life of the equipment.

Sheckel said he received a request from the contractor who is scheduled to work on day labor bridges next fall. The request was to work on the Jackson County bridges earlier than planned because high water in other areas is re-arranging his plans.



JAYDEN SCHECKEL

County Engineer Todd Kinney said the bills will be submitted in the next fiscal year to keep the funds paid out in the proper time period.

The bridges on 275<sup>th</sup> Street in Otter Creek Township and on 224<sup>th</sup> Street in Butler Township might be worked on sooner than originally planned.

Sheckel told supervisors there are 128 miles of gravel road planned for the re-claiming procedure this year and seven have been completed so far.

He said that Mother Nature continues to dictate the pace of the work which was hampered last year by the lack of rain, the opposite of this year.

Re-claiming gravel roads is done by scraping rock out of the ditches and placing more rock into the middle of the road. This re-shapes the road for the purpose of allowing water to drain off the road and into the ditch.

Sheckel said that Jamie and Monica McHugh of rural Zwingle have requested that approximately 370 feet of a Level C section of 267<sup>th</sup> Street in Richland Township be improved to Level A status.

The McHugh family will be responsible for 75% of the actual costs for the road improvement, which will include a new culvert, some fence removal, grading, and rock. The current estimate is \$27,000 and the landowner will pay 75% of the actual costs of the project, not the estimate.

Board Chairman Mike Steines reminded citizens that this kind of situation is addressed on a case-by-case basis per county ordinance. The public hearing was set for June 11 at 9 a.m.

In other county news:

■ The supervisors approved a 28E Agreement with the City of Andrew for the Jackson County Sheriff's Office to provide police protection services for the City of Andrew. The State of Iowa mandates that each community should either provide their own law enforcement or make agreements with other law enforcement agencies.

■ The cost for the City of Andrew will be \$25 for each resident for a total of \$9500 per year.

■ The supervisors approved a renewal agreement with Solutions, Inc., for another year of information technology services, managed services, licensed code support, and document loca-

tor services at the rate of \$90,149.59. Auditor Lisa Smith said this company has taken care of the entire computer system for the courthouse since 1983.

■ The supervisors accepted a bid for NetGuard Plus cyber security insurance from Tokio Marine HCC. They chose the higher premium of \$12,375 with a \$15,000 deductible. The lower premium of \$11,268 had a deductible of \$30,000.

■ The supervisors approved a permit for Brian Peterson of Zwingle to have a fireworks display on July 4.

■ Supervisor Nin Fligel said she is working on a possible new fireworks ordinance while considering whether there should be a penalty for citizens who do not report their fireworks before an event. She said there is currently a \$250 fine possible in Jackson County when someone does not report a burning event and then calls the fire department when the fire gets out of hand.

■ Lori Roling said the Jackson County Zoning Commission is almost starting over on a wind energy ordinance. Although they had invited citizens to bring input to meetings for six months over the winter, people did not show up until April.

Roling said she is busy researching different concerns people have and trying to gather the best information to help the Zoning Commission make good decisions.

Fligel recommended that people interested in learning more about the draft county ordinance should go to the Jackson County website under Planning and Zoning. It is titled Jackson County Wind Energy Conversion System.

The supervisors approved the following personnel matters:

■ Facilities Maintenance Manager Jeff Kilburg received a salary increase to \$70,283 effective May 30, after six months of work probation.

■ Maintenance Custodian Bob Kilburg received a salary increase to \$25.00 per hour effective May 30, after one full year of service.

■ Part-time jailer Greg Krogman resigned his position effective May 14.

■ Two new part-time jailers to be scheduled when needed were hired. Betsy Swisher and Ryland Richards were hired at the rate of \$20.69 per hour.

■ Lynce Burken of rural Charlotte was hired to fill the position of Coordinator of Disability Services, at a salary of \$68,000. Burken will begin work with the county on June 18 and will replace Lynn Bopes who is retiring at the same time.

### Sunday, May 19

Vehicle versus deer, 22500 block of Highway 61, Zwingle. Four patients.

Assault, 612 Niagara St., Maquoketa.

Vehicle versus deer, 175<sup>th</sup> Street and Highway 61, Fulton.

Person on property, threat, carrying golf club, 115 Anderson St., Maquoketa.

Fire under grill, 54 N. Mitchell St., Preston. Hot dogs on fire.

Warrant, subject took off running, one at taser point, Pershing Estates, Maquoketa.

Kid possible throwing a bike at kid, roughhousing, First Ward Park.

Vehicle accident, beer can on ground, 16437 Highway 64, Maquoketa. Person ran out of gas and another person came to get gas money.

### Monday, May 20

Severe thunderstorm warning, southwestern Jackson County.

### Tuesday, May 21

Fire sparking against house, wires pulled away, 312 N. Second St., Maquoketa.

Power line on fence, 22528 Highway 64, Maquoketa.

Altercation between neighbors regarding dog, 300 block of South Main Street, Maquoketa.

Call out, 2554 233rd Ave., Maquoketa.

Dog at large, 802 Broad St., Sabula.

Cow out, 22500 block of Highway 61, LaMotte.

Documentation, EMS on scene, 814 Pearl St., Sabula.

Animal complaint, River Ridge Brewing.

Person calling 911 to get weather forecast, Maquoketa.

Out with juvenile and principal, Horseshoe Pond.

Door kicked in, TV gone, Prairie Creek Trailer Court.

Suspicious person, Jackson County Attorney's Office.

## BRIEFLY

### City lifts brush emergency

On Friday, May 31, the city of Maquoketa lifted the local community disaster period following severe storms that went through the area two weeks ago.

The Maquoketa Public Works Department will no longer pick up brush around in the community. This means residents must privately take all future brush to the city's Birch Drive dump site.

During the week of June 3-7, Public Works brush and sweep the streets for final clean-up.

The public, if income qualified, may still request Individual Disaster Assistance Program funds from the state of Iowa in an amount up to \$5,000.

### Voy 3 Theatre sold

After 52 years, owner Dennis Voy has passed the torch of the Voy 3 Theatres in downtown Maquoketa.

On June 3, the theater closed temporarily as ownership transitions from Voy to Maquoketa native Taylor Casel. Casel is buying the Voy 1 and Voy 2 theaters and will reopen the entertainment venue in August, according to a post on the theater's social media page.

The third theater, the Voy 3, is also being sold but will be closed permanently. The buildings will become separate with different owners, according to the social media post.

Look for more information as it becomes available.

North District of Iowa, World War II Army veteran and 141-day prisoner of war

■ Bruce Pauls, a 15-year member of the Maquoketa Community School Board with 39 years of volunteer service on the sidelines of high school varsity games

The inductees will be honored during a Cardinals home football game and a banquet and induction ceremony later this fall.

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## APPENDIX C CANCELLED/COMPLETED MITIGATION ACTIONS

The following table provides the disposition of actions from the previous Jackson County Hazard Mitigation Plan that the jurisdictions did not continue forward in the mitigation strategy of this plan update. This includes actions with the following statuses:

- Cancelled
- Completed

### Appendix C Completed/Deleted Mitigation Actions from 2019

2019 Action ID	Jurisdiction	Mitigation Action	Status (Completed or Cancelled)	Status Comment
11	Andrew	Purchase barricades and signage as deemed necessary to better communicate information.	Completed	City has purchased barricades and signs for use during hazard events.
12	Andrew	Train personnel as weather spotters.	Completed	Firemen have been trained to be spotters.
21	Bellevue	Continue to improve public knowledge of the City's warning system and enhance the City's current TV warning system.	Cancelled	Public knowledge is part of Action ID #Bellevue-13; removed as duplicate action
37	Maquoketa	Purchase a Code Red messaging system to help alert residents with any type of emergency information (evacuations, prediction of severe weather, water main breaks, loss of utilities etc.)	Cancelled	City of Maquoketa and Jackson County EMA participate in Alert Iowa. Code Red is a redundancy. Cancelled action item as communication to public of hazards is already on action list.
40	Maquoketa	Purchase signage for staging and detours.	Cancelled	Public notices are given with City Facebook and other relevant communication mediums such as Alert Iowa. Often this means communicating the location of cooling and heating centers.
43	Maquoketa	Add three additional warning sirens and more depending on growth of City.	Cancelled	There is no long-term square mile coverage area growth expected thus the City doesn't feel this is a practical goal.

2019 Action ID	Jurisdiction	Mitigation Action	Status (Completed or Cancelled)	Status Comment
12	Maquoketa	Train personnel as weather spotters.	Completed	Jackson/Jones County hosted a spotter training on March 11, 2024. Training typically coordinated by county.
5	Maquoketa	Continue to maintain and enforce snow removal policies.	Completed	Maquoketa continuously addresses snow routes in a snow event and increased snow routes to include downtown in 2022.
6	Monmouth	Update fire and rescue equipment as needed to better respond to emergencies.	Cancelled	City does not have its own fire department. It contracts service with neighboring community.
83	Monmouth	Update snow and ice equipment as needed to better respond to snow and ice events.	Cancelled	City does not have its own equipment. It contracts service out.
64	Sabula	Continue to train weather spotters through local fire department.	Cancelled	Action item on list twice. Removed duplication. #12 remains on list.
61	Sabula	Purchase a trailer mounted alternate pump for City's storm pump.	Completed	City purchased 2 new pumps with money received from FEMA in 2019
62	Sabula	Purchase erosion protection matting and material for south levee.	Completed	City worked with the Corps to complete a rehab of the levee in 2022 and repairs in 2023. Levee maintained and recertified every year.
63	Sabula	Install storm drain around 900 block of Cottage Street.	Completed	City completed project.
84	Spragueville	Review and implement community snow policies and implement during smaller storms as appropriate so citizens are familiar with rules and regulations	Completed	City has reviewed and implemented snow policy - approved by city council
1	Springbrook	Maintain NFIP community membership and meet all program requirements.	Cancelled	City is not a NFIP Community. It has no floodplains within the city limits

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2	Springbrook	Maintain, enhance, or install GIS System to better track critical facilities and vulnerable populations as well as respond to emergencies.	Cancelled	Springbrook has no plans to GIS at this time. GIS is maintained at county level.
69	Springbrook	Continue to train weather spotters for spotting tornadoes	Cancelled	This was duplicate action. Combine actions and included all applicable hazards in action
83	Springbrook	Update snow and ice equipment as needed to better respond to snow and ice events.	Cancelled	City utilizes local quarry when larger equipment is needed and contracts snow removal. City has no plans to purchase any equipment.
7	Springbrook	Provide backup power generators and wiring for critical facilities.	Completed	Springbrook bought and maintained an emergency generator and has the fire house and the city well wired for use if power is out.
6	St. Donatus	Update fire and rescue equipment as needed to better respond to emergencies.	Cancelled	City does not have its own fire department. It utilizes Bellevue fire department
8	St. Donatus	Consider building a tornado safe room for all new construction and rehabilitation projects.	Cancelled	There are no plans in next 5 yrs., small community with only 120 residents; structures are relatively safe.
10	St. Donatus	Continue to maintain existing outdoor warning siren systems and ensure appropriate coverage for population or ensure NOAA weather radios are available in uncovered areas.	Cancelled	City has no sirens and has no radios at this time. No plans to add/purchase.
12	St. Donatus	Train personnel as weather spotters.	Cancelled	City works with county and spotters are located in county rural area.
11	St. Donatus	Purchase barricades and signage as deemed necessary to better communicate information.	Completed	City has purchased barricades and has sufficient number at this time.

## **APPENDIX D ADOPTION RESOLUTIONS BY JURISDICTION**

[Placeholder for executed resolutions for each jurisdiction]

## APPENDIX E CRITICAL/ESSENTIAL FACILITIES (Redacted)