

MENDOCINO COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

City of Ukiah JURISDICTIONAL ANNEX

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Multi-Jurisdiction Hazard Mitigation Plan

CITY OF UKIAH (UK)

Municipal Participating Jurisdiction Annex

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Adoption Record

To comply with DMA 2000, the County Board of Supervisors and participating jurisdictions have officially adopted this Mendocino County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Volume 1 and Volume 2. The adoption of the MJHMP in its entirety recognizes the jurisdictions' commitment to reducing the impacts of natural hazards within the County and Cities. See below record of adoption.

City of Ukiah - Adoption Resolution

RESOLUTION NO. 2020-65

RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF UKIAH ADOPTING THE 2020 MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN FOR MENDOCINO COUNTY

WHEREAS:

- The City of Ukiah is a political subdivision of the State of California and an official participating jurisdiction in the "2020 Mendocino County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan" (MJHMP); and
- 2. The MJHMP is set forth in Exhibit A, attached hereto and by reference incorporated herein; and
- 3. The City of Ukiah recognizes the MJHMP as the official hazard mitigation plan for the County and participating jurisdictions; and
- 4. The City of Ukiah, with the assistance from the County, has gathered information and prepared the MJHMP in accordance with Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) requirements pursuant to 44 C.F.R. § 201.6; and
- 5. The City of Ukiah Jurisdictional Annex set forth in Volume 2 of the MJHMP recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property within our community; and
- 6. The City of Ukiah has reviewed the MJHMP and affirms that the hazard mitigation plan actions in the City of Ukiah's Jurisdictional Annex will reduce the potential for harm to people and property from future hazard occurrences with our community; and
- 7. Congress passed the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (Disaster Mitigation Act) emphasizing the need for pre-disaster mitigation of potential hazards; and
- 8. The Disaster Mitigation Act made available mitigation grants to state and local governments; and
- 9. An adopted multi-hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future funding for mitigation projects under multiple FEMA pre- and post-disaster mitigation grant programs; and
- 10. The City Council fully participated in the FEMA-prescribed mitigation planning process to prepare this MJHMP; and
- 11. Citizens residing within the City's jurisdiction were afforded opportunities to comment and provide input in the MJHMP and the actions in the Plan; and
- 12. The City of Ukiah, as a fully participating jurisdiction of the MJHMP, is an eligible sub-applicant to the State of California under FEMA's hazard mitigation grant program guidance; and
- 13. The California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES), and the FEMA Region IX officials have reviewed the MJHMP, and approved it contingent upon this official adoption by the participating governing body; and

- 14. The City Council desires to comply with the requirements of the Disaster Mitigation Act and to augment its emergency planning efforts by formally adopting the MJHMP; and
- 15. Adoption by the City Council for the City of Ukiah demonstrates the jurisdiction's commitment to fulfilling the mitigation goals and objectives outlined in this MJHMP; and
- 16. Adoption of this Plan helps to coordinate the responsible agencies to carry out their responsibilities under the MJHMP.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that:

- 1. That the City of Ukiah adopts the 2020 Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Vol. 1 for Mendocino County and the City of Ukiah Jurisdictional Annex in Vol. 2, as approved by FEMA and Cal OES, as the hazard mitigation plan for the City of Ukiah.
- 2. That the City Council orders the City Manager to submit an approved and signed copy of this resolution to the Cal OES and FEMA Region IX officials to enable the plan's final approval.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 18th day of November, 2020, by the following roll call vote:

AYES:Councilmembers Mulheren, Brown, Scalmanini, Orozco, and Mayor CraneNOES:NoneABSENT:NoneABSTAIN:None

Douglas F. Crane, Mayor

ATTEST:

Kristine Lawler, City Clerk



Section 1. City of Ukiah

1.1 Purpose

This Annex details the hazard mitigation planning elements specific to the City of Ukiah. This Annex is not intended to be a standalone document but appends to and supplements the information contained in the base plan document. As such, all sections of the base plan, including the planning process and other procedural requirements apply to and were met by the City of Ukiah. This Annex provides additional information specific to the City of Ukiah, with a focus on providing additional details on the planning process, risk assessment, and mitigation strategy for this community.

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1.2 Planning Methodology

The City of Ukiah followed the planning process detailed in Volume 1, Section 3, including participating in the County Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee (HMPC) and Steering Committee and formulating their own internal planning team to support the broader planning process. Internal planning participants, their positions, and how they participated in the planning process are shown in Table 1-1.

Table 1-1: Planning Committee Members

| Planning Committee Members | Department |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------|
| Tami Bartolomei | Office of Emergency Management |
| Craig Schlatter | Community Development |
| Douglas Hutchison | Ukiah Valley Fire Authority |
| Greg Owen | Ukiah Municipal Airport Manager |
| Justin Wyatt | Police Department |
| Sage Sangiacomo | City Manager |
| Tim Eriksen | Public Works |

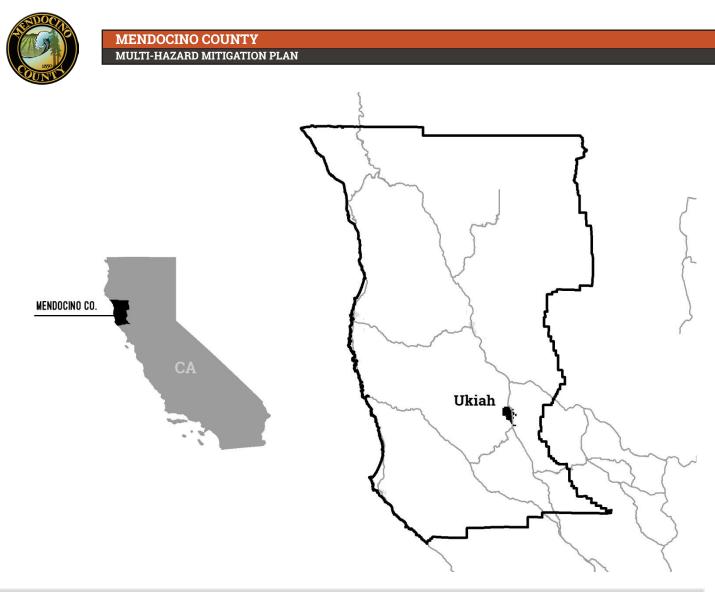


Figure 1-1: City of Ukiah Location

1.3 What's New

The City of Ukiah has been making improvements toward reducing natural hazard risks to life and property since the existing MJHMP was adopted.

The City reevaluated previous mitigation actions. Some mitigation actions have been completed and are highlighted in Table 1-3. The City determined to cancel some due to reprioritization, lack of funding, or other listed reasons. Table 1-2 lists those cancelled mitigation actions along with an explanation for why. Other mitigation actions are pending or ongoing and are included in Table 1-12.



| Mitigation No. | Hazard Type | Status | Year | Primary Agency | Title/Description | Reason Cancelled |
|----------------|----------------|-----------|------|-------------------|--|--|
| ma-AH-UK-72 | All Hazard | Cancelled | 2014 | City of Ukiah | Integrate the Mendocino County HMP, in particular the hazard analysis and mitigation strategy sections, into local planning documents, including general plans, emergency operations plans, and capital improvement plans. | Ongoing work, opportunities for integration reflected in capabilities assessment. |
| ma-FL-UN-192 | Flood | Cancelled | 2008 | City of Ukiah | Carry out minor flood and stormwater management projects that would reduce damage to infrastructure and residential buildings due to flooding. These projects include the modifying or replacing existing culverts and bridges, upgrading capacity of storm drains, stabilizing streambanks, clearing streambanks of debris and vegetation, and creating of debris or flood/stormwater retention basins in small watersheds. | Covered under 2014 MA #ma- FL-UK-78 |
| ma-HM-UK-63 | HazMat | Cancelled | 2014 | City of Ukiah | Conduct a public awareness and educational campaign to raise awareness about the presence of hazardous materials throughout the County, including naturally occurring asbestos. | Best addressed in other plans, not a priority |
| ma-IN-UK-71 | Insects | Cancelled | 2014 | City of Ukiah | Implement an infestation public awareness and educational campaign. | While this in an ongoing effort, it is best addressed in other plans |
| ma-WF-UK-68 | Wildfire | Cancelled | 2014 | City of Ukiah | Implement a fuel reduction program, such as the collection and disposal of dead fuel, within open spaces and around critical facilities and residential structures located within a high and very high wildfire zones. | covered under ma-WF-UK-289 |

Table 1-2: Cancelled Mitigation Actions

1.3.1 Mitigation Successes

Table 1-3 displays multiple important mitigation actions that have been completed by the City of Ukiah. The success story below further documents Ukiah's successful mitigation efforts to date. Some of the City's success stories are described in more detail herein.

| Table 1-3: Com | pleted Mitigation Actions |
|----------------|---------------------------|
|----------------|---------------------------|

| Mitigation No. | Hazard Type | Status | Year | Primary Agency | Title/Description |
|----------------|----------------|-----------|------|-------------------|--|
| ma-EQ-UK-80 | Earthquake | Completed | 2008 | City of Ukiah | Strengthen, abate, or downgrade in occupancy, any structures that are owned or leased by Mendocino County or incorporated communities that do not meet the California Building Code (CBC) requirements for seismic safety or the California Codes Essential Services Building Act. |
| ma-FL-UK-79 | Flood | Completed | 2008 | City of Ukiah | Public Works has a long-term maintenance plan in place and routinely conducts storm culvert, creek and vegetation management. |



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| Mitigation No. | Hazard Type | Status | Year | Primary Agency | Title/Description |
|----------------|----------------|-----------|------|-------------------|--|
| ma-FL-UK-81 | Flood | Completed | 2008 | City of Ukiah | Public Works has upgraded both the Water treatment and Wastewater treatment facilities and has letters of modified flood correction on file with FEMA. |
| ma-WF-UK-61 | Wildfire | Completed | 2014 | City of Ukiah | Develop a community wildfire mitigation plan that identifies and prioritizes areas for hazard fuel reduction treatments and recommend the types of methods of treatments. |
| ma-WF-UK-82 | Wildfire | Completed | 2008 | City of Ukiah | The Fire Marshall provides regular public outreach on wild land interface dangers, and the City Council adopted new building standards for the High Fire Hazard Severity Zone. |



SUCCESS STORY 1: Ukiah Wildfire Prevention Initiative

In 2019, the City of Ukiah began an effort to increase wildfire mitigation capabilities. The City began conducting inspections in the region to identify any fire prone areas. They also conducted outreach by consulting local homeowners about their knowledge of fire safety issues and experiences with wildfire in the area.

During the same period, the City began creating a number of Fire Safe Councils in and around the city. These Fire Safe Councils mapped non-ambulatory neighborhood residences. The Mendocino County Fire Safe Council, in particular, is managing the Ukiah Valley Fire Fuels Reduction Project. The Projects objective is to reduce fire fuels by performing roadside clearing, creating shaded fuel breaks, and holding neighborhood chipper days.

An additional collaboration between the County, the City, Ukiah Valley Fire Authority, Mendocino County Fire Safe Council and CalFire included vegetation management, shaded fuel breaks at the base of the western hills and ridgetop fire breaks in critical locations to reduce wildfire intensity and rate of spread around the City of Ukiah and surrounding communities.



1.4 Risk Assessment

The intent of this section is to profile the City of Ukiah's hazards and assess the City's vulnerabilities, distinct from that of the County-wide planning area. The hazard profiles in Volume 1 discuss overall impacts to the planning area and describes the hazard problem description, hazard extent, magnitude/severity, previous occurrences of hazard events and the likelihood of future occurrences. For more information on Risk Assessment Methodologies, see Vol. 1 and Appendix A.

1.4.1 Hazard Screening Criteria

Planning Team members from each participating jurisdiction collectively discussed which hazards should be profiled in the Plan and which should not. The results of that discussion can be found in Table 1-4. Detailed hazard profiles of the most significant County-wide hazards are described in Section 4 of Volume 1. The Planning Team reviewed previously-prepared hazard mitigation plans and other relevant documents to determine the realm of natural hazards that have the potential to affect City of Ukiah. Table 1-5 provides a crosswalk of hazards identified in Vol. 1 of this plan, City of Ukiah General Plan, and 2018 California State Hazard Mitigation Plan. The crosswalk was used to develop a preliminary hazards list, providing a framework for the Planning Team members to evaluate which hazards were truly relevant to City of Ukiah and which ones were not. Section 0 below describes the hazard risk ranking process that was performed by the planning team which prioritized hazards that are specifically relevant to City of Ukiah.



Table 1-4: County Hazard Prioritization (Vol. 1)

| Hazard Type | Explanation |
|---------------------------------|---|
| Climate Change | High priority county-wide, profiled hazard. |
| Dam/ Levee failure | High priority county-wide, profiled hazard. |
| Drought | High priority county-wide, profiled hazard. |
| Earthquake/ Geologic Hazards | High priority county-wide, profiled hazard. |
| Flood | High priority county-wide, profiled hazard. |
| Hazardous Material | While hazardous materials can release and impact the County, there |
| Hazardous Material | are better avenues to address this hazard outside this plan. |
| High Winds/ Straight Line Winds | High priority county-wide, profiled as part of Severe Weather. |
| Insect Hazards | While hazardous insects exist in Mendocino County, this was not |
| insect Hazarus | considered a priority and is not profiled in this plan. |
| Pandemic Disease | High priority county-wide, profiled hazard. |
| Severe Weather, including: | High priority county-wide for heavy wind and heavy rain. |
| Extreme Heat | Not a priority as extreme weather event, discussed as climate change |
| Extreme Heat | impact. |
| | Hail events are rare in Mendocino County and not profiled in this |
| Hail | plan. |
| High Wind | Profiled as part of Severe Weather hazard. |
| Heavy Rain | Profiled as part of Severe Weather hazard. |
| Fog | While fog events do occur within Mendocino County, they are rare |
| Fog | and are not considered a priority. |
| Lightning | Not a priority as an extreme weather event; discussed as source of |
| Lightning | wildfire. |
| Severe Thunderstorm | Severe thunderstorms were not identified as a priority in this plan. |
| Winter Storm / Extreme Cold/ | While winter storms are present in Mendocino County, they were not |
| Freeze Events | identified as a priority for this plan. |
| Slope Failure | High priority county-wide, profiled hazard. |
| Coil Horordo | High priority county-wide, profiled hazard (includes erosion and |
| Soil Hazards | naturally-occurring asbestos). |
| | While terrorism is certainly a threat to the County and participating |
| Terrorism/Human Caused Threats | jurisdictions, it is best addressed in other plans as this HMP does not |
| | address human-caused threats. |
| | Impacts to the County from tornados are extremely unlikely, if any. |
| Tornado | impacts to the County norm tornados are extremely uninkely, if any. |
| | Due to distance from volcanoes and the limited chance of an |
| Tornado Volcanic Activity | |



Table 1-5: Document Review Crosswalk

| Hazards | 2014 Mendocino County MJHMP | 1995 City of Ukiah General Plan | 2009 Mendocino County General Plan | 2018 California State HMP |
|--|--------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Agricultural Pests | | | | • |
| Climate Change | | | | |
| Dam Failure | | | | |
| Drought | | | | |
| Earthquake | | | | |
| Flood | | | | |
| Insect Hazards | | | | |
| Landslide | | | | |
| Levee Failure | ∎* | | | |
| Manmade Hazards | | | | |
| Pandemic Disease | | | | |
| Sea Level Rise | | | | |
| Severe Weather | | | | |
| Soil Hazards | ■ ** | | | |
| Terrorism & Tech Hazards | | | | |
| Tsunami | | | | |
| Volcano | | | | |
| Wildfire | ■*** | | | |
| * included as part of dam failure ** included naturally occurring ask | estos | | | |

** included naturally occurring asbestos

*** included urban conflagration

1.4.2 Hazard Risk Ranking

The City of Ukiah's Planning Team used the same hazard prioritization process as the Mendocino County Planning Committee. This process is described in detail in Section 4.3.1 of Vol. 1. Figure 1-2 displays the results of the hazard risk ranking exercise that was performed by the Planning Team. The Planning Team chose to assess City of Ukiah's vulnerability to following hazards:

| Dam Failure | Earthquake | Flood | Drought |
|------------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Climate Change | Pandemic | Wildfire | |

All of these hazards have been profiled in Vol. 1 of this document. The purpose of this annex to specifically address City of Ukiah's vulnerability to these specifically-identified hazards.

1.4.3 Vulnerability Assessment

Assessing vulnerabilities exposes the unique characteristics of individual hazards and begins the process of narrowing down which areas within City of Ukiah are vulnerable to specific hazard events. The vulnerability assessment considered unique local knowledge of hazards and impacts and a GIS overlaying method for examining such vulnerabilities more in depth. Using these methods, participating jurisdictions estimated vulnerable populations, infrastructure, and potential losses from hazards.

1.4.3.1 Risk Assessment

Each participating jurisdiction developed a risk matrix that assessed the probability and impact of various hazards within the jurisdiction. Figure 1-2 is the jurisdiction's risk assessment, which was completed in part using the web based and interactive Risk Assessment Mapping Platform (RAMP), accessed via the project website at <u>www.mitigatehazards.com</u>. RAMP allows interactive discovery of robust risk, vulnerability, and exposure data developed especially for Mendocino County. RAMP is a mapping platform built specifically for mitigation planning. It displays County/jurisdiction facilities and buildings overlaid with natural hazards layers to bring interactivity and individual discovery to the GIS analysis performed for the MJHMP. See Vol. 1 for a detailed description of RAMP. The Planning Team used RAMP in meetings and as needed to understand vulnerabilities to City of Ukiah. Users interactively filter facilities and buildings by natural hazard zones and/or construction characteristics.

1.4.3.2 Snapshot Exposure Maps

The included snapshot maps, displayed below in Figure 1-3 through Figure 1-9, illustrate City of Ukiah's vulnerability to specific hazards. Figures include:

- Figure 1-3: City of Ukiah Dam Inundation
- Figure 1-4: City of Ukiah M7.4 Maacama Garberville Scenario Earthquake Exposure Summary
- Figure 1-5: City of Ukiah M7.8 N. San Andreas -N. Coast -Peninsula SC MTN
- Figure 1-6: City of Ukiah FEMA Flood Risk Exposure
- Figure 1-7: City of Ukiah Mean Fire Return Interval
- Figure 1-8: City of Ukiah Wildfire Risk Exposure Snapshot
- Figure 1-9: Drought Timeline for Russian Watershed

Based on the above risk assessment, the snapshot maps focus on those hazards prioritized by the jurisdiction. These maps helped the Planning Team understand the exposure of population, parcels, and critical infrastructure to specific hazards. Each map contains an exposure summary that displays the percent of the population, the improvement and content value of parcels, and the amount of critical infrastructure that is exposed to each respective hazard.



Risk Assessment Matrix Definitions

PROBABILITY RATING

The likelihood of a hazard event occurring within a time period?

| | Highly Likely | Highly likely - 100% annual probability. Or Likely to occur every year in your lifetime. |
|-------------|------------------|--|
| BILITY | Likely | Likely - between 10 & 100% annual probability. Or will occur several times in your lifetime. |
| PROBABILITY | Possible | Possible - between 1 & 10% annual probability. Or Likely to occur some time in your lifetime. |
| | Unlikely | Unlikely - less than 1% annual probability. Or unlikely but possible to occur in your lifetime. |

To concentrate resources, the jurisdictional planning team will focus on "High" and "Extreme" risk hazards. These hazards have the higher probability and greater impact as it relates to the jurisdictions planning area.

Hazard definitions are included in Vol. 1 of this plan. Some hazards are discussed as subset hazards— e.g., "Dam Failure" within the "Flood" hazard profile. If a hazard is not present on the risk matrix or are grey in color, the jurisdictional planning team felt the hazard had a minimal footprint within their planning area and was not ranked.

Hazard Information / Legend:



Climate Change impacts will be addressed at the end of each hazard section within the 2020 plan update and as a stand alone section for each jurisdiction...

For County and Municipal governments you will be



PROBABILIT required to address climate change impacts in the Safety Element of your General Plan. Climate change may change the frequency, duration and intensity of hazards listed above. Pandemic will be profiled for every

jurisdiction.

IMPACT RATING

In terms of injuries, damage, or death, would you anticipate impacts to be minor, limited, critical, or catastrophic when a significant hazard event occurs? The impact could be in terms of one hazard event (flooding from a culvert failure) or a large-scale event (multiple rivers flooding) in the same jurisdictional boundary.

| Minor | Limited | Critical | Catastrophic |
|-------|---------|----------|--------------|
| | | | |

Minor - very few injuries, if any. Only minor property damage & minimal disruption on quality of life. Temporary shutdown of critical facilities.

Limited - minor injuries only. Approx. 10% or less of property in disaster footprint damaged or destroyed. Complete shutdown of critical facilities for more than one day.

Critical - multiple deaths/injuries possible. Between 25% and 50% of property in disaster footprint is damaged or destroyed. Complete shutdown of critical facilities for more than one week.

Catastrophic - high number of deaths/injuries possible. More than 50% of property in affected area damaged or destroyed. Complete shutdown of critical facilities for 30 days or more.

City of Ukiah Risk Matrix

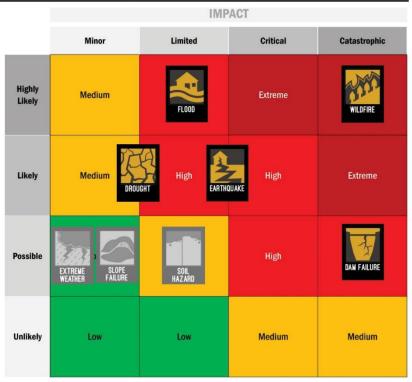


Figure 1-2: City of Ukiah Risk Assessment



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DAM INUNDATION EXPOSURE SNAPSHOT

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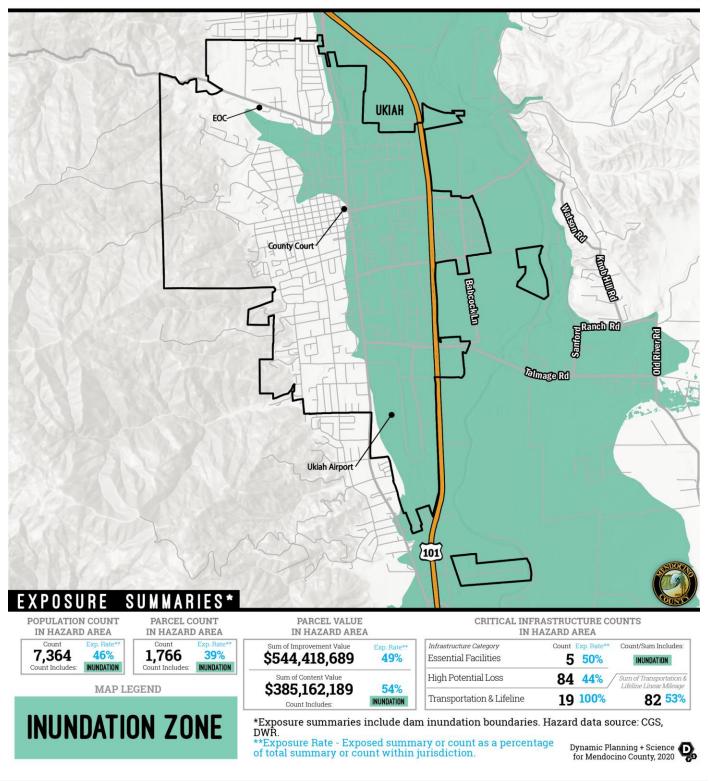


Figure 1-3: City of Ukiah Dam Inundation

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M7.4 MAACAMA GARBERVILLE SNAPSHOT

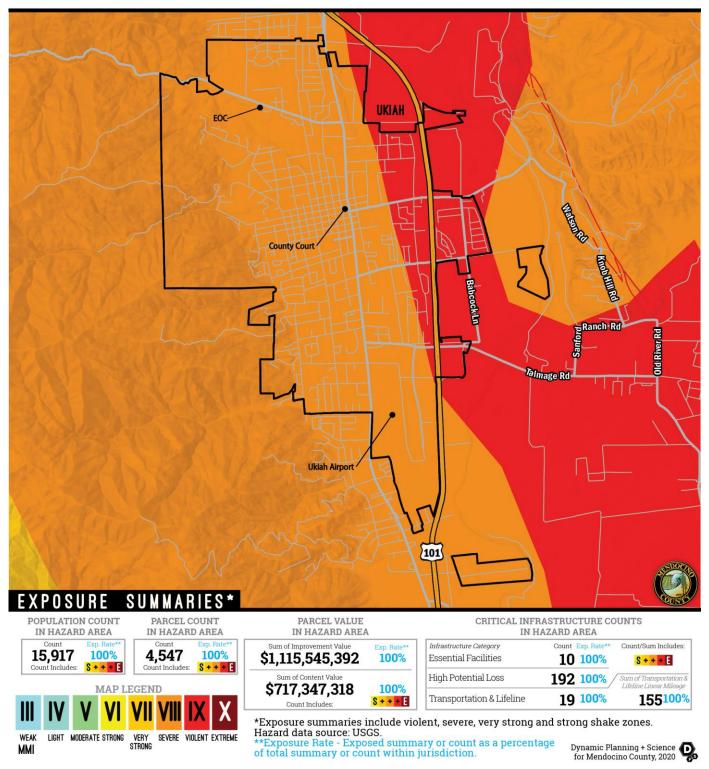


Figure 1-4: City of Ukiah M7.4 Maacama Garberville Scenario Earthquake Exposure Summary



M7.8 N. SAN ANDREAS - N. COAST - PENINSULA - SC MTN SNAPSHOT

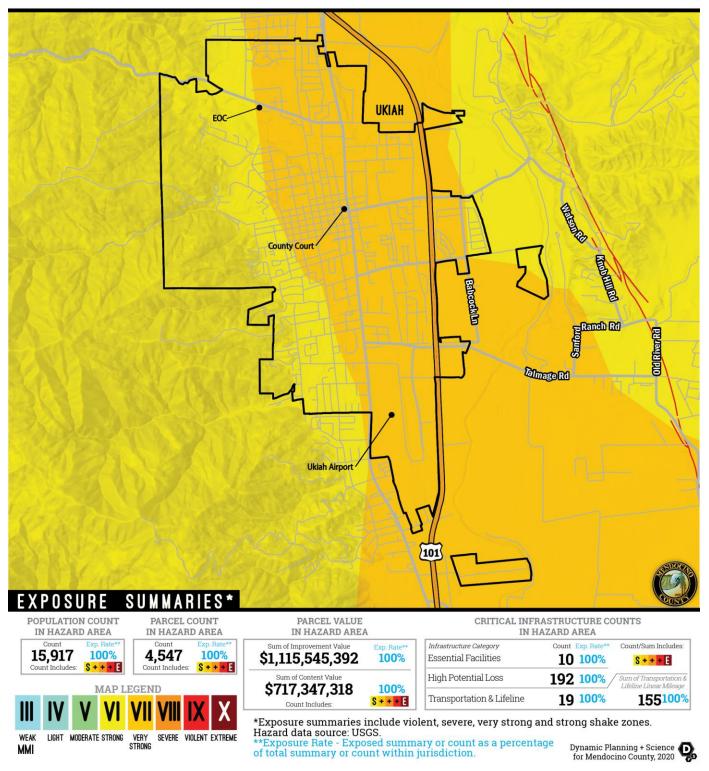


Figure 1-5: City of Ukiah M7.8 N. San Andreas -N. Coast -Peninsula - SC MTN





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FEMA FLOOD RISK EXPOSURE SNAPSHOT

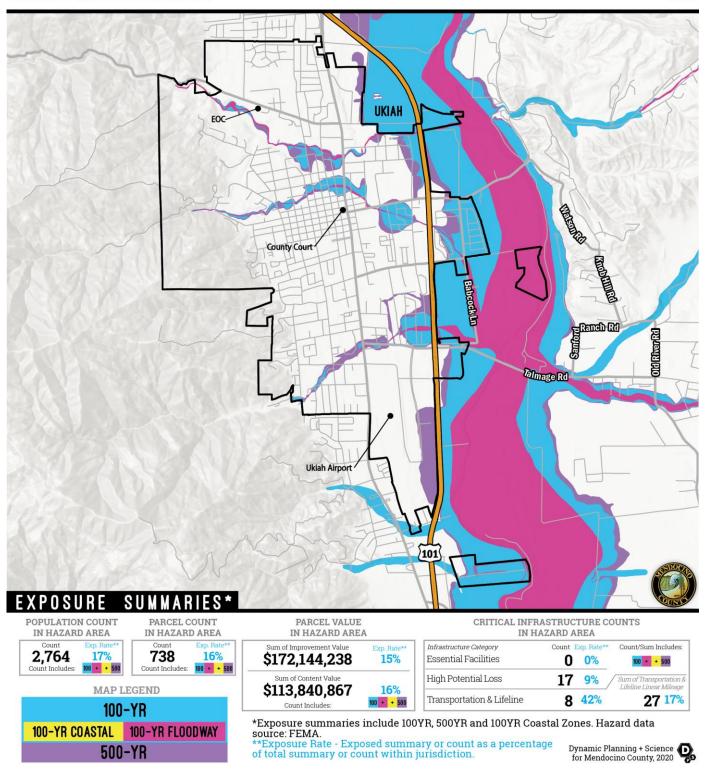
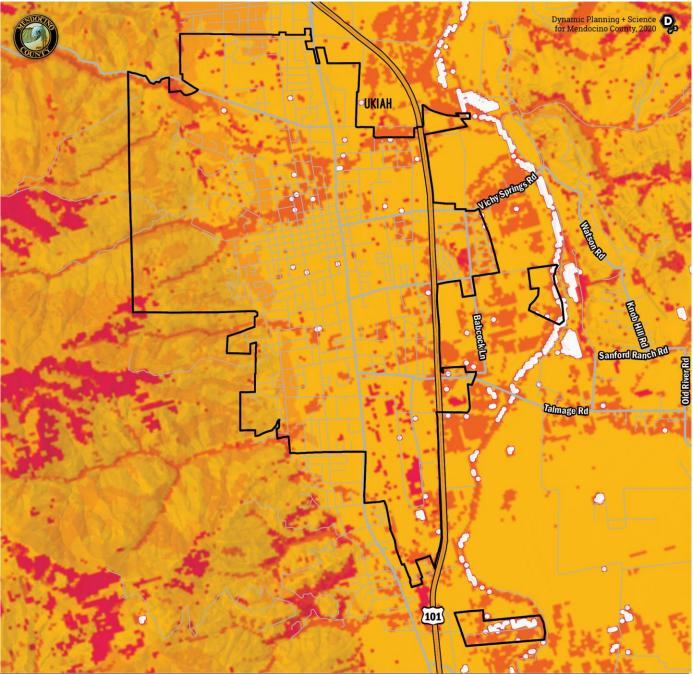


Figure 1-6: City of Ukiah FEMA Flood Risk Exposure

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MEAN FIRE RETURN INTERVAL

*Data sources: USGS LANDFIRE.





Figure 1-7: City of Ukiah Mean Fire Return Interval





WILDFIRE RISK EXPOSURE SNAPSHOT

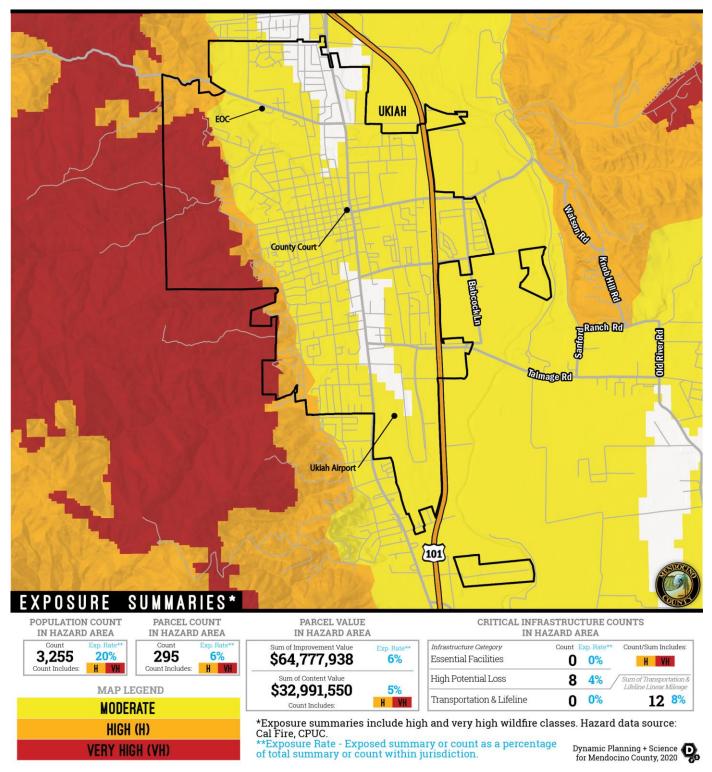


Figure 1-8: City of Ukiah Wildfire Risk Exposure Snapshot

Table 1-6: Drought Classifications and Impacts

| Category | Description | Possible Impacts |
|----------|------------------------|--|
| D0 | Abnormally Dry | Going into drought, short term dryness, slowing planting, growth of crops or pastures. Coming out of drought, some lingering water deficits and pasture or crops not fully recovered. |
| D1 | Moderate Drought | Some damage to crops, pastures Streams, reservoirs, or wells low, some water shortages developing or imminent Voluntary water-use restrictions requested |
| D2 | Severe Drought | Crop or pasture losses likely Water shortages common Water restrictions imposed |
| D3 | Extreme Drought | Major crop/ pasture losses Widespread water shortages or restrictions |
| D4 | Exceptional Drought | Exceptional and widespread crop/ pasture losses Shortages of water in reservoirs, streams, and wells creating water |

Adapted from U.S. Drought Monitor Drought Classifications and Impacts

DROUGHT SEVERITY TIMELINE

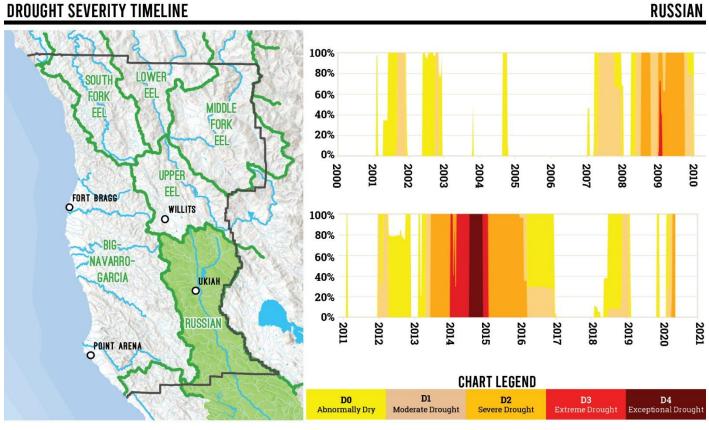


Figure 1-9: Drought Timeline for Russian Watershed



1.4.3.3 Past and Future Development

The City of Ukiah is a general law city that crafts its own development regulations and is subject to State law. Future development is subject to compliance with State of California planning, zoning, subdivision, and architecture laws.

The GP established long-rang development policies and is designed to help the City address issues related to land use, circulation (traffic), housing, open space, conservation, noise, and safety. The Land Use portion of the plan helps guide the City in determining the location of future development(s), including possible future annexation. In addition to the GP, the City has other plans that guide development in specific areas, including specific plans, policy plans, and master plans. These plans help to shape future development and dictate the City's Sphere of Influence (SOI). One of the central functions in these planning documents is to decrease risk of impact from natural hazards.

While growth has occurred in hazard areas in the past, increasing hazard risks to some degree, those risks are also decreased by development standards and plan requirements that serve to mitigate or avoid those risks. Problematic development generally occurred many decades ago, and thus much of this HMP focuses on retrofits or replacements from that older construction.

The City of Ukiah is required to update building codes to meet the minimum standards to those required in the California Building Code last updated in 2019. California Building Codes provide some of the safest construction standards in the world and are meant to reduce risk to occupants from high wind, seismic activity, landslides, flood, wildfire, and other natural hazards. In addition to California minimum develop standards, all jurisdictions belong to the NFIP, as such, all development must meet minimum flood protection standards set forth by FEMA. See Section 4.3.5 of Volume 1 for more information about past and future development in Mendocino County.

As the General Plan is updated and incorporates information from this HMP, City of Ukiah staff are continually improving hazard information through these hazard mitigation plan updates. With this 2020 update, improved online mapping about natural hazards available on RAMP will inform those responsible for future development to make better decisions where and how future development occurs.

City of Ukiah reviewed its general plans under the capability assessments undertaken for this hazard mitigation plan in Section 1.5.1. Deficiencies revealed by these reviews are identified as mitigation actions to decrease risks to move beyond past trends.

The City's municipal codes includes regulations to mitigate the impact of hazards on new and existing development, including:

- Drainage and stormwater retention requirements,
- Steep slope restrictions for new development,
- Waterbody buffer requirements,
- Floodplain management regulations,



- Zoning that prevents development in hazardous areas of the community such as floodplains, landslide areas, the wildland-urban interface (WUI), or other known hazard areas, and
- Building codes that include the most up-to-date California Fire Code, seismic standards, and many
 other provisions crafted to protect new construction from hazard events.

The City of Ukiah is largely already built out and development is severely limited and regulated in hazard areas. Even in the event that limited development did occur within a hazard area, the municipal code should ensure impacts from a hazard event are mitigated and losses are minimal. If development does occur in hazard areas, evacuation and emergency planning should take into consideration the anticipated local impacts of the hazard event, including potential interrupted services or the elimination of access.

The City has seen an uptick in development activity since 2015, as measured by the number of building permits issued. This could reflect an increased rate of growth but is also premature to mark a clear trend. The anticipated growth in the City will not cause significant change in vulnerability to the City for identified priority hazards.

1.4.3.3.1 National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP)

The NFIP makes federally backed flood insurance available to homeowners, renters, and business owners in participating communities. FEMA has prepared a detailed Flood Insurance Study (FIS) for Mendocino County and municipalities. The study presents water surface elevations for floods of various magnitudes, including the 1-percent annual chance flood and the 0.2-percent annual chance flood (the 500-YR flood). Base flood elevations and the boundaries of the 100- and 500-YR floodplains are shown on Flood Insurance Rate Maps (FIRMs), which are the principle tool for identifying the extent and location of the flood hazard. FIRMs are the most detailed and consistent data source available, and for many communities they represent the minimum area of oversight under their floodplain management program. See Section 4 of Volume 1 for general information on the NFIP.

The City of Ukiah has participated in the NFIP since 1982. City of Ukiah is currently in good standing with the provisions of the NFIP. Compliance is monitored by FEMA regional staff and by the California Department of Water Resources under a contract with FEMA. Maintaining compliance under the NFIP is an important component of flood risk reduction. See Table 1-7 for more information on the City's policies and historic flood insurance claims.



| NFIP Status | Participating since 07/19/82 |
|---|------------------------------|
| Policies in Force | 257 |
| Policies in SFHA | 227 |
| Policies in non-SFHA | 30 |
| Total Claims Paid | 61 |
| Paid Losses | \$1,126,463.00 |
| Repetitive Loss Properties | 1 |
| Severe Repetitive Loss Properties | 0 |
| Repetitive Loss Payment by NFIP on Building | \$1,755.30 |
| Repetitive Loss Payment by NFIP on Contents | N/D |

Table 1-7: NFIP Status Table

See Volume 1, Section 4.5 for more information on the NFIP.

1.4.3.4 Identify Hazard Problem Statements

As part of the mitigation action identification process, the Planning Committee for each jurisdiction identified areas of concern (aka problem statements) for their respective facilities based on the risk assessment and vulnerability analysis, utilizing the RAMP mapping and static snapshot maps. Problem statements focused on the impact, victim, or threat that the hazard could create in the jurisdiction, as described in Figure 1-10. Identifying common issues and weaknesses through these problem statements assisted the Planning Committee in understanding the realm of resources needed for mitigation. Jurisdiction problem statements are listed in Table 1-8.

The goal is to have at least one mitigation action for every problem statement. Projects or actions have been developed to mitigate each problem identified. See Table 1-13 for a full list of mitigation actions and corresponding problem statements that they address. Each problem statement is coded with a problem number for cross-referencing between Table 1-8 and Table 1-13.



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IMPACT Casualties Property Damage Business Interruption Financial Loss Environmental Contamination

VICTIM

School Children in Hazard High Hazard Areas Care Facilities in High Hazard Area Vulnerable Population Exposed to hazards



THREAT

Increased Fuels due to drought Hotter, drier climates More Intense Storms Impervious surfaces = greater runoff Increases of Invasive Species

Figure 1-10: Guidance for Problem Statements

Table 1-8: Problem Statements

| Problem No. | Hazard | Area of Concern | Mitigation Alternatives | Primary Agency | Problem Description | Related MA |
|------------------|-------------------|--------------------|---|-------------------|--|----------------------------------|
| ps-AH-UK- 147 | All Hazard | Impact | ES - Emergency Services , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Only 1 fire station (Central) has backup power | ma-AH-UK- 276 |
| ps-AH-UK- 165 | All Hazard | Victim | PRV - Prevention , ES - Emergency Services | City of Ukiah | Adventist Health Ukiah Valley may not have enough generators for amount of ventilators needed to respond to pandemic. | ma-AH-UK- 276 |
| ps-AH-UK- 166 | All Hazard | Impact | PPRO - Property Protection , ES - Emergency Services , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Loss of power from a second hazard event (flood, wildfire, earthquake), hospitals and critical elderly care facilities need back up generators. | ma-AH-UK- 276 |
| ps-CC-UK- 170 | Climate Change | Impact | PRV - Prevention | City of Ukiah | City parks and golf courses currently use treated drinking water for irrigation (also drought) | ma-DR-UK-64, ma-CC-UK- 297 |
| ps-CC-UK- 171 | Climate Change | Impact | PRV - Prevention | City of Ukiah | Loss of hydroelectric power during drought (hydro = 35% of City's supply). City could use additional energy storage and local electric production to address this power loss. (also drought) | ma-DR-UK-64 |



| Problem No. | Hazard | Area of Concern | Mitigation Alternatives | Primary Agency | Problem Description | Related MA |
|------------------|-------------|--------------------|--|-------------------|---|---|
| ps-DF-UK- 172 | Dam Failure | Impact | PRV - Prevention, ES - Emergency Services, SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | PGE and City of Ukiah Electric Utility substations in dam inundation zone. Critical facilities in dam inundation include water and wastewater treatment plants. | ma-AH-UK- 276, ma-AH- UK-70 |
| ps-DF-UK- 173 | Dam Failure | Victim | PE&A - Public Education & Awareness , ES - Emergency Services | City of Ukiah | Reverse 911 capabilities needed to improve critical response times to prevent loss of human life. | ma-DF-UK-73, ma-DF-MC- 199 |
| ps-DF-UK- 174 | Dam Failure | Impact | PPRO - Property Protection , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Like flood, loss of power from dam inundation as transformers need to shut down with 8' of water covering ground. | ma-AH-UK- 276 |
| ps-DR-UK- 175 | Drought | Impact | PPRO - Property Protection , NRP - Natural Resource Protection , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | City parks and golf courses currently use treated drinking water for irrigation (also climate change) | ma-DR-UK-64, ma-CC-UK- 297 |
| ps-EQ-UK- 144 | Earthquake | Impact | PPRO - Property Protection , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Critical facilities in the violent shake zone for Maacama/ Garberville include water and wastewater treatment plants, statefairgrounds, and the fire stations. May not be properly retrofitted or with inside bracing. | ma-EQ-UK-77, ma-EQ-UK- 278 |
| ps-EQ-UK- 145 | Earthquake | Impact | PPRO - Property Protection , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | At least 3 groundwater pumping wells may not function post-earthquake. | ma-EQ-UK-77 |
| ps-EQ-UK- 146 | Earthquake | Impact | PPRO - Property Protection , ES - Emergency Services | City of Ukiah | Fire Stations do not meet seismic req's for emergency/ essential facilties. Talmage Fire Station at high risk and is a converted warehouse/ commercial facility that does not likely have any earthquake bracing or retrofitting | ma-EQ-UK-77, ma-EQ-UK- 278 |
| ps-EQ-UK- 148 | Earthquake | Victim | PPRO - Property Protection , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Downtown Ukiah has many unreinforced masonry (URM) buildings | ma-EQ-UK- 277, ma-EQ- UK-280, ma- AH-UK-70 |
| ps-EQ-UK- 149 | Earthquake | Victim | PE&A - Public Education & Awareness | City of Ukiah | Residential renters in upstairs apartments in older URM buildings may not be aware of earthquake vulnerability | ma-EQ-UK- 280 |



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| Problem No. | Hazard | Area of Concern | Mitigation Alternatives | Primary Agency | Problem Description | Related MA |
|------------------|------------|--------------------|--|-------------------|---|---|
| ps-EQ-UK- 150 | Earthquake | Victim | PPRO - Property Protection , PE&A - Public Education & Awareness , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Many residential and commercial buildings in Ukiah are likely soft floor construction. | ma-EQ-UK- 277 |
| ps-FL-UK- 157 | Flood | Impact | PPRO - Property Protection , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Recent flooding destroyed water treatment storage bays, damaged perc ponds for water treatment. | ma-FL-UK-75 |
| ps-FL-UK- 158 | Flood | Impact | PPRO - Property Protection, ES - Emergency Services, SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Loss of access to neighborhoods during flood events (Vichy Springs, Talmadge). | ma-WS-UK-62, ma-FL-UK-78, ma-FL-UK- 275, ma-AH- UK-70 |
| ps-FL-UK- 159 | Flood | Victim | PPRO - Property Protection , NRP - Natural Resource Protection | City of Ukiah | Residents in the Oak Manor region currently experience repetitive losses and regular flooding and power losses | ma-WS-UK-62, ma-FL-UK-76, ma-FL-UK-275 |
| ps-FL-UK- 160 | Flood | Impact | PPRO - Property Protection , NRP - Natural Resource Protection | City of Ukiah | PG&E substation and a number of City of Ukiah Electric Utility pad mount facilities located in floodplain (near Oak Manor neighborhood). | ma-WS-UK-62 |
| ps-FL-UK- 161 | Flood | Victim | PRV - Prevention, PPRO - Property Protection, PE&A - Public Education & Awareness | City of Ukiah | Residents along tributaries to the Russian River on west side of town regularly experience loss of power due to inundation of transformers and necessary "powering down." | ma-WS-UK-62 |
| ps-FL-UK- 162 | Flood | Threat | PPRO - Property Protection , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Mudflows from tributaries west of town regularly create debris piles and block stormwater drainage, exacerbating impact from flood events. | ma-WS-UK-62 |
| ps-PN-UK- 167 | Pandemic | Victim | PPRO - Property Protection , ES - Emergency Services , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Need for additional sheltering locations in event of pandemic social distancing needs paired with another hazard event (flood, wildfire, earthquake). | ma-PN-UK- 282, ma-PN- UK-283 |



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|------------------|----------|--------------------|--|-------------------|---|--|
| Problem No. | Hazard | Area of Concern | Mitigation Alternatives | Primary Agency | Problem Description | Related MA |
| ps-PN-UK- 168 | Pandemic | Victim | PPRO - Property Protection , ES - Emergency Services , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Utilities and critical facilities may not have adequate fresh air/ ventilation to be appropriate for essential work during pandemic. | ma-PN-UK-281 |
| ps-PN-UK- 169 | Pandemic | Threat | PPRO - Property Protection , ES - Emergency Services , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Community center/ evacuation center does not have adequate staffing space or structural barriers from public interaction to be used safely during pandemic. | ma-PN-UK- 282 |
| ps-WF-UK- 151 | Wildfire | Victim | PPRO - Property Protection , NRP - Natural Resource Protection , ES - Emergency Services , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Limited access exists to get above the residences if wildfire starts west of town. | ma-AH-UK-70, ma-WF-UK- 289 |
| ps-WF-UK- 152 | Wildfire | Victim | PPRO - Property Protection , ES - Emergency Services , SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | City has limited fire department staffing and response ability | ma-WF-UK-60, ma-WF-UK-74, ma-AH-UK-70, ma-WF-UK- 289, ma-WF- UK-296 |
| ps-WF-UK- 153 | Wildfire | Victim | PRV - Prevention, PPRO - Property Protection, SP - Structural Projects | City of Ukiah | Sparks from wildfire can enter westside where many older wooden construction home are located, creating urban conflagration. | ma-WF-UK-74, ma-WF-UK- 296 |
| ps-WF-UK- 154 | Wildfire | Victim | PE&A - Public Education & Awareness , ES - Emergency Services | City of Ukiah | Current hazard shelters are located within City limits; in major fire event evacuees would need to leave City limits. | ma-WF-UK- 285 |
| ps-WF-UK- 155 | Wildfire | Threat | PRV - Prevention , NRP - Natural Resource Protection | City of Ukiah | Capacity to enforce and conduct inspections of debris and weed abatement limited within City limits. | ma-WF-UK-60, ma-WF-UK-74, ma-AH-UK-70, ma-WF-UK- 289 |



1.4.3.5 Mitigation Action Support Tool (MAST)

As a living document, hazard problem statements and mitigation activities will be updated through a web interface application developed specifically for participating jurisdictions. The Mitigation Action Support Tool (MAST) is accessible through <u>https://mitigatehazards.com/mendocino-county/</u>.

MAST is a web-based interactive tool that enables multiple users to search, view, enter, and update mitigation actions, ideas or projects, and other information. MAST provides participating jurisdictions and plan reviewers (Cal OES/FEMA) access to valuable mitigation information that can be leveraged by future planning or other risk reduction efforts within the County. Participating jurisdictions can update the status of their mitigation projects throughout the planning lifecycle, and this web-based tool will improve participating jurisdiction's ability to apply for FEMA's Hazard Mitigation Assistance (HMA) grant programs including initial grant application processes through Cal OES.



1.5 Mitigation Strategy

The mitigation strategy is the guidebook to future hazard mitigation administration, capturing the key outcomes of the MJHMP planning process. The mitigation strategy is intended to reduce vulnerabilities outlined in the previous section (a.k.a. problem statements) with a prescription of policies and physical projects. These mitigation actions should be compatible with existing planning mechanisms and should outline specific roles and resources for implementation success.

1.5.1 Capabilities Assessment

This section examines the planning and regulatory, administrative, technical, financial, educational, and outreach capabilities to augment known issues and weaknesses from identified natural hazards.

Capabilities assessments include considerations of a community's adaptive capacity for climate change, as outlined in Cal OES' 2020 California Adaptation Planning Guide. Adaptive capacity is a community or region's existing ability to moderate climate change impacts. Assessing adaptive capacity includes analysis of policies, plans, programs, funding, and staffing capacity. (Cal. Adaptation Planning Guide, 2020, p. 94)

The tables in this section explore various local planning mechanisms, administrative capacity, financial capabilities, and education and outreach initiatives. The columns in each table represent deeper dives into the following questions:

- Is the existing planning or regulatory mechanism used currently? (Column 1, Status)
- Has the HMP been integrated into the planning mechanism currently so that the named mechanism is currently used in HMP planning? (Column 2, Current Mitigation Use)
- Is there a future opportunity to expand, improve upon, and incorporate this 2020 HMP Update into the planning or regulatory mechanism? (Column 3, Future Opportunity)

The capabilities assessment is easily-digestible and based on color coding to indicate which policies and plans are adequate, need improvement or in which the HMP could be integrated. Each table includes a legend that explain how each one of these questions are being answered according to the color indicated: green, yellow, and orange.

For more information on the regulatory environment surrounding each hazard, see hazard-specific sections of Volume 1. Volume 1, Section 5.3.5 includes an extensive list of federal and state funding opportunities as well.

Table 1-9: City of Ukiah Planning and Regulatory Mitigation Capabilities

| Status | CAPABILITY ASSESSMENT LEGEND Current Mitigation Use | Future Opportunity |
|--|--|--|
| Currently in use or present. | Used widely for mitigation. | Opportunity to expand and integrate. |
| (Sort of) Seldomly used or limited presence. | Limited use in mitigation planning. | Limited opportunity to expand and integrate. |
| (No) Not present or available. | Not used in mitigation planning. | No opportunity to expand or integrate. |

| | I | HMP Integrat | ion | |
|---|-------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|---|
| Resource | Status | Current Mitigation Use | Future Opportunity | Notes / Additional Detail |
| Planning and Regulatory Capa | | | | |
| Construction and Future Developm | nent Regula | ations | | |
| Building Codes | | | | 2019 California Building Code |
| BCEGS Rating | | | | Not provided |
| Public Protection (ISO Class) | | | | Not provided |
| Hazard Related Development Standards | | | | Erosion and Sediment Control (Ch. 7); Construction Site Control Measures (§9704). |
| Zoning Ordinance | | | | |
| Hazard-Specific Ordinance | | | | Fire Prevention Code (Div. 6, Ch. 3); Emergency Services (Div. 6, Ch. 2); State of Emergency (§5128) |
| Growth Management Ordinance | | | | |
| Hazard Reduction Programs (Ann | ually Condu | icted) | | |
| Capital Improvements Program (CIP) or Plan | | | | City of Ukiah Five Year CIP Plan. |
| Erosion/Sediment Control Program | | | | The City includes erosion and sediment control practices in their 2006 Storm Water Management Plan. |
| Hazard-Related Public Outreach Program | | | | See education and outreach capabilities below. The City hosts "Building Together" Training Sessions for disaster preparedness outreach efforts. |
| Stormwater Management Program (Annual Inspections) | | | | |
| Seismic Safety Program (Non- structural) | | | | |
| Earthquake Modernization Plan (Building Safety) | | | | |
| Hazard Plans General Plan Safety Element | | | | Adopted 1995. |



| | H | IMP Integrat | ion | |
|---|----------|------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Resource | Status | Current Mitigation Use | Future Opportunity | Notes / Additional Detail |
| Planning and Regulatory Capa | bilities | | | |
| Community Wildfire Protection Plan (CWPP) | | | | 2016 County-wide CWPP in existence. |
| Floodplain Management Plan | | | | |
| Stormwater Management Plan | | | | |
| Emergency Operations Plan | | | | Mendocino County Operational Area Emergency Operations Plan (2016) |
| Climate Action Plan | | | | Drafted in 2014, not adopted, future opportunity |
| Ground Water Management Planning / Plans | | | | Ukiah Valley Basin Grounwater Sustainability Agency is in the process of developing a groundwater sustainability plan for the basin. |
| National Flood Protection Program | n (NFIP) | | | |
| Floodplain Management Regulations | | | | |
| Flood Insurance Education and Technical Assist. | | | | |
| Flood Hazard Mapping / Re- Mapping | | | | |
| Community Rating System (CRS) | | | | |

1.5.1.1 Administrative and Technical Capabilities

Table 1-10: Administrative and Technical Capabilities

| Status | CAPABILITY ASSESSMENT LEGEND Current Mitigation Use | Future Opportunity |
|--|--|--|
| Currently in use or present. | Used widely for mitigation. | Opportunity to expand and integrate. |
| (Sort of) Seldomly used or limited presence. | Limited use in mitigation planning. | Limited opportunity to expand and integrate. |
| (No) Not present or available. | Not used in mitigation planning. | No opportunity to expand or integrate. |

| | F | IMP Integrat | ion | |
|---|------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|--|
| Resource | Status | Current Mitigation Use | Future Opportunity | Notes / Additional Detail |
| Administrative and | | | | |
| Technical | | | | |
| Community Planning and Dev | elopment S | Services | | |
| Community Planner | | | | Community Development Department, Planning Services. |
| Civil Engineer | | | | Department of Public Works. |
| Building Code Official (Full time or Augmented) | | | | |
| Floodplain Administrator | | | | Tim Eriksen, Director of Public Works |
| Fire Marshal | | | | Ukiah Valley Fire Department. |
| Dedicated Public Outreach Personnel | | | | |
| GIS Specialist and Capability | | | | |
| Emergency Manager | | | | Office of Emergency Management. |
| Full-Time Building Official | | | | Building and Code Enforcement Services. |
| Grant Manager, Writer, or Specialist | | | | |
| Other | | | | |
| Warning Systems/Services | | | | |
| General | | | | MendoAlert and Nixle Alerts. |
| Flood | | | | MendoAlert and Nixle Alerts. |
| Wildfire | | | | MendoAlert and Nixle Alerts. |
| Geological Hazards | | | | MendoAlert and Nixle Alerts. |



1.5.1.2 Financial Capabilities

Table 1-11: Fiscal Capabilities Summary

| | CAPABILITY ASSESSMENT LEGEND | | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Status | Current Mitigation Use | Future Opportunity | | | | | |
| Currently in use or present. | Used widely for mitigation. | Opportunity to expand and integrate. | | | | | |
| (Sort of) Seldomly used or limited presence. | Limited use in mitigation planning. | Limited opportunity to expand and integrate. | | | | | |
| (No) Not present or available. | Not used in mitigation planning. | No opportunity to expand or integrate. | | | | | |

| | I | HMP Integrat | ion | |
|---|-------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Resource | Status | Current Mitigation Use | Future Opportunity | Notes / Additional Detail |
| Fiscal Capabilities | | | | |
| Financial Resources for Hazar | d Mitigatio | on | | |
| Levy for Specific Purposes with Voter Approval | | | | |
| Utilities Fees | | | | |
| Benefit assessments | | | | |
| System Development Fee | | | | |
| General Obligation Bonds to Incur Debt | | | | |
| Special Tax Bonds to Incur Debt | | | | |
| Withheld Spending in Hazard- Prone Areas | | | | |
| Stormwater Service Fees | | | | |
| Capital Improvement Project Funding | | | | City of Ukiah Five Year CIP Plan. |

1.5.1.3 Education and Outreach

Table 1-12: Education / Outreach Capabilities Summary

| | Status | CAPABILITY ASSESSMENT LEGEND | Future One extunity |
|---|--|-------------------------------------|--|
| 1 | Status | Current Mitigation Use | Future Opportunity |
| | Currently in use or present. | Used widely for mitigation. | Opportunity to expand and integrate. |
| | (Sort of) Seldomly used or limited presence. | Limited use in mitigation planning. | Limited opportunity to expand and integrate. |
| | (No) Not present or available. | Not used in mitigation planning. | No opportunity to expand or integrate. |

| |] | HMP Integrat | ion | |
|--|--------|------------------------------|-----------------------|---|
| Resource | Status | Current Mitigation Use | Future Opportunity | Notes / Additional Detail |
| Education / Outreach Capabilit | ties | | | |
| Education/Outreach Resources | | | | |
| Website Dedicated to Hazard Topics | | | | |
| Dedicated Social Media | | | | |
| Hazard Info. Avail. at Library/ Planning Desk | | | | |
| Annual Public Safety Events | | | | The Ukiah Valley Fire Authority and Office of Emergency Managment host community awareness and safety programs. |
| Ability to Field Public Tech. Assistance Requests | | | | |
| Public Safety Newsletters or Printed Outreach | | | | |
| Fire Safe Councils | | | | The Mendocino County Fire Safe Council assists local Councils a variety of needs. These Councils include: the Caspar Community and Island Cove Estates (south of Point Arena) on the coast; Pine Mountain, Ridgewood Park, and Willowbrook/Sherwood Forest Hills (past Brooktrails) in the Willits area; and Deerwood, Oak Knoll Road, Upper Parducci Road, Black Bart Trail and Robinson Creek Road in the Ukiah area. |
| Resource Conservation Districts | | | | The Mendocino County Resource Conservation District has implemented a wide range of programs across the County. |
| Other | | | | |



1.5.2 Mitigation Actions

Mitigation actions were developed based upon the jurisdiction's priorities, risk assessment results, and mitigation alternatives. The mitigation action prioritization method used by all participating jurisdictions is described in Section 5.5.1 of Volume 1. Table 1-13 lists each priority mitigation action, responsible party, time frame, potential funding source, implementation steps, and resources need to implement based upon the Planning Committee consensus.

Each participating jurisdiction, including the City of Ukiah, considered ongoing relevancy of mitigation actions from the existing MJHMP and retained or removed such actions while adding new relevant actions as well. Mitigation actions were examined for relevancy and the potential for future implementation and then evaluated for potential follow-up. Some mitigation actions developed during the previous HMP effort were not included because they were an inherent part of the HMP update process or were not detailed enough for implementation at a local Jurisdiction level.

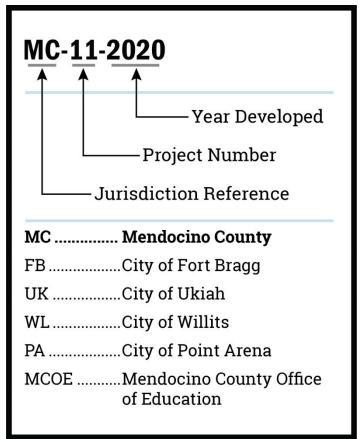


Figure 1-11: Mitigation Action Key

City of Ukiah has made significant changes to other mitigation actions because of the updated risk assessment and implementation strategy, to include more detail, or to update based on current mitigation practices. Volume 1, Section 5.5.2 provides a record of County-wide mitigation actions, the status, and additional notes for each action.

Table 1-13 lists each mitigation action for City of Ukiah. Each participating jurisdiction developed unique mitigation actions, targeted at their own unique priorities and vulnerabilities. Each mitigation action identifies the responsible party, time frame, potential funding source, implementation steps and resources needed to implement these priority mitigation actions. As a living document, hazard problem statements and mitigation activities will be updated through MAST. The detail in Table 1-13 meets the regulatory requirements of FEMA and DMA 2000.



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Table 1-13. City of Ukiah Mitigation Actions

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|-------------------------------|------------------------------|--|-------------------|---------------------|------------------------------------|--|--|--|--|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|-------------------------|---|
| Mitigation No. ma-DR-UK-64 | Hazard Type All Hazard | Mitigation Type PRV - Prevention | Status Pending | Year 2014 | Primary Agency City of Ukiah | Title/Description Develop a climate action plan and/or drought contingency plan to provide an effective and systematic means of assessing drought conditions, develop mitigation actions and programs to reduce risks of climate change and drought, and develop response options that minimize hardships | Responsible Party City Public Works | Estimated Cost Medium - The project could be implemented with existing funding but would require a re- apportionment of the budget or a budget amendment, or the cost of the project would have to be spread over multiple years. | Estimated Benefit High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | Time Frame 1-3 Years | HMA Activity Type Planning | Potential Grant Source HMGP / BRIC | Priority High | Related Problem Statements ps-DR-UK-175, ps-CC-UK-171, ps-CC-UK-170 |
| ma-AH-UK-70 | All Hazard | PPRO - Property Protection | Pending | 2014 | City of Ukiah | Create a GIS-based pre-application review for new construction and major remodels of residential and/or non-residential structures in hazard areas, such high and/or very high wildfire areas. | Planning | Medium - The project could be implemented with existing funding but would require a re- apportionment of the budget or a budget amendment, or the cost of the project would have to be spread over multiple years. | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | Ongoing | 5% | HMGP / BRIC | Medium | ps-FL-UK-158, ps-WF-UK-152, ps-WF-UK-151, ps-WF-UK-155, ps-DF-UK-172, ps-EQ-UK-148 |
| ma-AH-UK-276 | All Hazard | ES - Emergency Services | Pending | 2020 | City of Ukiah | Construct backup generators at critical facilities (fire stations, Adventist Health Ukiah Valley) and pump stations to respond to hazard events in loss of power. | Fire, Public Works | High - Existing funding will not cover the cost of the project; implementation would require new revenue through an alternative source (for example, bonds, grants, and fee increases). | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | 1-3 Years | Project | HMGP / BRIC | Extreme | ps-AH-UK-147, ps-AH-UK-165, ps-AH-UK-166, ps-DF-UK-172, ps-DF-UK-174 |
| ma-CC-UK-297 | Climate Change | PRV - Prevention | Ongoing | 2020 | City of Ukiah | Continue the installation of purple pipes throughout the City to supply untreated irrigation water to City landscaping | Public Works | Medium - The project could be implemented with existing funding but would require a re- apportionment of the budget or a budget amendment, or the cost of the project would have to be spread over multiple years. | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | Funding Dependent | Project | HMGP / BRIC | Medium | ps-DR-UK-175, ps-CC-UK-170 |
| ma-DF-UK-73 | Dam Failure | PE&A - Public Education & Awareness | Pending | 2014 | City of Ukiah | Develop a public outreach program that informs property owners located in the dam or levee inundation areas about voluntary flood insurance. | Office of Emergency Management | Medium - The project could be implemented with existing funding but would require a re- apportionment of the budget or a budget amendment, or the cost of the project would have to be spread over multiple years. | Medium - Project will have a long-term impact on the reduction of risk exposure for life and property, or project will not provide an immediate reduction in the risk exposure for property. | 1-3 Years | 5% | HMGP / BRIC | Medium | ps-DF-UK-173 |
| ma-EQ-UK-77 | Earthquake | PPRO - Property Protection | Ongoing | 2014 | City of Ukiah | Seismically retrofit or replace public works and/or emergency response facilities that are necessary during and/or immediately after a disaster or emergency. | Public Works | High - Existing funding will not cover the cost of the project; implementation would require new revenue through an alternative source (for example, bonds, grants, and fee increases). | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | 3-5 Years | Project | HMGP / BRIC , CDBG DRI | Extreme | ps-EQ-UK-144, ps-EQ-UK-145, ps-EQ-UK-146 |





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| Mitigation No. ma-EQ-UK-277 | Hazard Type Earthquake | Mitigation Type PE&A - Public Education & Awareness | Status Ongoing | Year 2020 | Primary Agency City of Ukiah | Title/Description Encourage privately owned critical facilities (e.g. churches, hotels, other gathering facilities) to evaluate the ability of the buildings to withstand earthquakes and to address any deficiencies identified. | Responsible Party Planning & Comm. Dev. | Estimated Cost Low - The project could be funded under the existing budget. The project is part of or can be part of an ongoing existing program. | Estimated Benefit High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | Time Frame Ongoing | HMA Activity Type Planning | Potential Grant Source HMGP / BRIC | Priority High | Related Problem Statements ps-EQ-UK-148, ps-EQ-UK-150 |
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| ma-EQ-UK-278 | Earthquake | SP - Structural Projects | Pending | 2020 | City of Ukiah | Install seismic gas shut-off valves on County buildings to prevent the flow of gas into buildings during a seismic event | Public Works | Medium - The project could be implemented with existing funding but would require a re- apportionment of the budget or a budget amendment, or the cost of the project would have to be spread over multiple years. | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | 1-3 Years | Project | HMGP / BRIC | Medium | ps-EQ-UK-144, ps-EQ-UK-146 |
| ma-EQ-UK-280 | Earthquake | PE&A - Public Education & Awareness | Ongoing | 2020 | City of Ukiah | Develop and outreach and education program for owners and tenants in downtown unreinforced masonry buildings to understand earthquake risks and precautions and, for owners, to understand retrofitting options and available funding mechanisms | Public Information | Medium - The project could be implemented with existing funding but would require a re- apportionment of the budget or a budget amendment, or the cost of the project would have to be spread over multiple years. | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | Ongoing | Planning | HMGP / BRIC , CDBG DRI | High | ps-EQ-UK-149, ps-EQ-UK-148 |
| ma-FL-UK-62 | Flood | PPRO - Property Protection | Pending | 2014 | City of Ukiah | Manage vegetation in areas within and adjacent to rights- of-way and in close proximity to critical facilities in order to reduce the risk of tree failure and property damage and avoid creation of wind acceleration corridors within vegetated areas. | City Fire | Medium - The project could be implemented with existing funding but would require a re- apportionment of the budget or a budget amendment, or the cost of the project would have to be spread over multiple years. | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | 1-5 years | N/A | Internal Funding | Medium | ps-FL-UK-158, ps-FL-UK-159, ps-FL-UK-160, ps-FL-UK-161, ps-FL-UK-162 |
| ma-FL-UK-75 | Flood | PPRO - Property Protection | Pending | 2014 | City of Ukiah | Retrofit wastewater and potable water facilities that subject to flooding. Retrofitting activities may include elevating vulnerable equipment, electrical controls, and other equipment, fastening and sealing manhole covers to prevent floodwater infiltration, and protecting wells and other potable water from infiltration and flood damage by raising controls and well pipes. | | High - Existing funding will not cover the cost of the project; implementation would require new revenue through an alternative source (for example, bonds, grants, and fee increases). | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | 3-5 Years | Project | HMGP / BRIC , CDBG DRI | Extreme | ps-FL-UK-157 |

| Mitigation No. ma-FL-UK-76 | Hazard Type Flood | Mitigation Type PPRO - Property Protection | Status Pending | Year 2014 | Primary Agency City of Ukiah | Title/Description Acquire, relocate, or elevate residential structures, in particular those that have been identified as Repetitive Loss (RL) properties that are located within the 100-year floodplain. | Responsible Party Public Works | Estimated Cost High - Existing funding will not cover the cost of the project; implementation would require new revenue through an alternative source (for example, bonds, grants, and fee increases). | Estimated Benefit High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | Time Frame 5-10 Years | HMA Activity Type Project | Potential Grant Source HMGP / BRIC , FMA , CDBG DRI | <u>Priority</u> High | Related Problem Statements ps-FL-UK-159 |
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| ma-FL-UK-78 | Flood | PPRO - Property Protection | Pending | 2014 | City of Ukiah | Reinforce County and local ramps, bridges, and roads from flooding through protection activities, including elevating the road and installing culverts beneath the road or building a higher bridge across the area that experiences regular flooding. | Public Works | High - Existing funding will not cover the cost of the project; implementation would require new revenue through an alternative source (for example, bonds, grants, and fee increases). | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | 3-5 Years | Project | HMGP / BRIC , CDBG DRI | High | ps-FL-UK-158 |
| ma-PN-UK-281 | Pandemic | SP - Structural Projects | Pending | 2020 | City of Ukiah | Assess and institute necessary upgrades to critical facilities to allow for usage during pandemic, including adequate ventilation and physical barriers | Public Works | Medium - The project could be implemented with existing funding but would require a re- apportionment of the budget or a budget amendment, or the cost of the project would have to be spread over multiple years. | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | 1-3 Years | Project | HMGP / BRIC | High | ps-PN-UK-168 |
| ma-PN-UK-282 | Pandemic | SP - Structural Projects | Pending | 2020 | City of Ukiah | Institute necessary structural improvements to evacuation centers/sheltering locations to allow for proper ventilation, space for staff, and structural barriers to be used during pandemic and hazard event. | Fire/ Office of Emergency Management | High - Existing funding will not cover the cost of the project; implementation would require new revenue through an alternative source (for example, bonds, grants, and fee increases). | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | 1-3 Years | Project | HMGP / BRIC , CDBG DRI | High | ps-PN-UK-169, ps-PN-UK-167 |
| ma-PN-UK-283 | Pandemic | ES - Emergency Services | Pending | 2020 | City of Ukiah | Develop alternative sheltering/ evacuation locations for social distancing required during pandemic and other hazard event | Office of Emergency Management | Medium - The project could be implemented with existing funding but would require a re- apportionment of the budget or a budget amendment, or the cost of the project would have to be spread over multiple years. | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | 1-3 Years | Project | HMGP / BRIC , CDBG DRI | High | ps-PN-UK-167 |
| ma-WF-UK-60 | Wildfire | PPRO - Property Protection | Pending | 2014 | City of Ukiah | Implement a fuel modification program and code requirements. | City Fire | High - Existing funding will not cover the cost of the project; implementation would require new revenue through an alternative source (for example, bonds, grants, and fee increases). | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | 1-5 years | Planning | HMGP / BRIC , AFG , FP&S | High | ps-WF-UK-155, ps-WF-UK-152 |





| Mitigation No. ma-WF-UK-74 | Hazard Type Wildfire | Mitigation Type PPRO - Property Protection | Status Pending | Year 2014 | Primary Agency City of Ukiah | Title/Description Create a vegetation management program that provides vegetation management services to elderly, disabled, or low-income property owners who lack the resources to remove flammable vegetation from around their homes. | Responsible Party Planning and Community Development and Fire | Estimated Cost Medium - The project could be implemented with existing funding but would require a re- apportionment of the budget or a budget amendment, or the cost of the project would have to be spread over multiple years. | Estimated Benefit High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | Time Frame 1-3 Years | HMA Activity Type 5% | Potential Grant Source HMGP / BRIC | Priority Medium | Related Problem Statements ps-WF-UK-155, ps-WF-UK-153, ps-WF-UK-152 |
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| ma-WF-UK-285 | Wildfire | PE&A - Public Education & Awareness | Ongoing | 2020 | City of Ukiah | Coordinate with County on designated shelters outside of City limits in event of wildfire; integrate shelter location information into community outreach | Office of Emergency Management | Low - The project could be funded under the existing budget. The project is part of or can be part of an ongoing existing program. | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | 1-3 Years | N/A | Internal Funding | Extreme | ps-WF-UK-154 |
| ma-WF-UK-289 | Wildfire | PPRO - Property Protection | Ongoing | 2020 | City of Ukiah | Implement CWPP projects in partnership with County, Fire Safe Council, and CAL FIRE | City Fire | High - Existing funding will not cover the cost of the project; implementation would require new revenue through an alternative source (for example, bonds, grants, and fee increases). | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | Ongoing | Project | HMGP / BRIC , AFG , FP&S | Medium | ps-WF-UK-151, ps-WF-UK-152, ps-WF-UK-155 |
| ma-WF-UK-296 | Wildfire | PE&A - Public Education & Awareness | Pending | 2020 | City of Ukiah | Develop a cost share program for residential mitigation and retrofits to be more fireproof | Community Development | High - Existing funding will not cover the cost of the project; implementation would require new revenue through an alternative source (for example, bonds, grants, and fee increases). | High - Project will provide an immediate reduction of risk exposure for life and property. | 3-5 Years | Project | HMGP / BRIC , CDBG DRI | High | ps-WF-UK-153, ps-WF-UK-152 |