

BLAINE COUNTY MHMP PLANNING TEAM MEETING #2
JANUARY 16, 2018
11:30 am – 1:00 pm

Attendance:

John	Skoyne	Rancher/Past Pipeline Operator
Haley	Velk	Blaine Co. DES
Tammy	Williams	Blaine Co. Clerk and Recorder
Dolores	Plummage	Blaine Co. Commissioner
Glenn	Huestis	Blaine Co. Sheriff
Charles	Kulbeck	Blaine County Commissioner
Dave	Boisvert	Blaine County IT
Laurie	Huestis	Blaine County DES/EMS
David	Jones	Turner Fire/Blaine County Fire Council
Daphne	Digrindakis	Tetra Tech

Agenda:

- Review Critical Facility Maps (see Project Website)
- Review Hazard Maps (See Project Website)

Presentation & Handouts:

- Blaine County Critical Facilities
- 2018 Blaine County Mitigation Strategy
- PowerPoint Presentation with Critical Facility and Hazard Maps

Notes: Highlighted items indicate Planning Team needs to provide info to Tetra Tech.

Critical Facility Review:

- Add Blaine County Fairgrounds (could be used as shelter).
- Add Cell Phone Towers. Haley has a GIS layer of this data.
- Remove place names for Leroy and Maddux.
- Several of the electrical substations are in the wrong location: Harlem City Substation should be on east side of Mission Road at Hwy 2. Locations of Zurich and Hays substations are also wrong. Haley will provide corrected locations.
- Add substation located between Hogeland and Turner.
- Remove Chinook dike from critical facility list.

Wildfire Hazard Map Review:

- Show WUI around Hartland Colony.
- Remove Chinook and Harlem city limits from WUI.
- Increase the WUI around Turner and Hogeland.

Flood Hazard Map Review:

- Map will be updated to display county infrastructure (roads) that have repeatedly flooded.
- Include flood hazard area from FBIC Plan as Blaine County often responds to tribal floods.

Dam Failure Hazard Map Review:

- Haley isn't aware that Cow Creek Reservoir is a high hazard dam.
- Bee Tree Ranch dam on Hwy 241 at Turner is an irrigation reservoir that should be designated as a high hazard dam and should be shown on the map.
- Extend inundation area from Fresno dam across west portion of Chinook on Figure 6A.

Hazardous Material Hazard Map Review:

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- CHS in Turner should be shown.
- Planning Team will identify locations of other haz-mat facilities for map including large propane dealerships, fuel distributors, schools with pools (chlorine), water treatment plants (chlorine), and others not having Tier 2 reporting requirements.

Notes:

- No shelters in Blaine County are currently designated by the American Red Cross. It's been about 3 years since there have been discussions.
- FBIC relies on Blaine County for structure fire response. The BIA/Forestry/Wildland tribal fire unit only responds to wildland fire. Impacts County's budget.
- There have been no Fresno Dam exercises with the Bureau of Rec. since about 2005. However, there is talk about one being held in 2018.
- St. Mary's Working Group has been coordinating with Bureau of Rec. because failure of the Fresno Dam would have a tremendous economic impact on hi-line communities.

Next Planning Team Meeting

- Tuesday, February 13, 2018. 10:30 am