

Athens-Clarke County Pre-Disaster Mitigation Planning

Minutes

Meeting: **Hazard Mitigation Plan**

Date: **Monday, January 23, 2012 @ 2:00p.m.**

Attending: **Gentry, Hansford, Fluck, Kubas, Griffith, White, Harris, Baird, George, Van De Weghe, Crighton**

Van De Weghe called to order at 2:15p.m. An updated list of critical facilities was provided by David Fluck. A discussion on whether to include day care facilities, private schools on the critical facilities list. Fluck discussed verifying streets and bridges with GIS.

Reviewing departments to review facilities list and consider classification type and what facilities should be removed from the list. Any changes in location(s) will also be noted. Also identify key facilities (i.e. bridges and federal buildings). Chief George will contact the School Board and Public Utilities. It is also noted that the Tax Assessors office may be able to assist on a list of the most valuable facilities (value of improvements rather than value of land).

Chief George distributed the Clarke County Dams Inventory list. Discussion on checking out the dams and how they should be categorized.

Discussion followed concerning the upcoming Public Hearing that will take place on Monday, February 27 at the Planning Auditorium from 5p.m. until 7p.m.

- Plan update process
- Critical facilities review
- Hazards
- Questionnaire

Chief George and Dave will meet with Jeff Montgomery and Sandy Turner to see about getting the questionnaire onto the Athens-Clarke County website for the public so feedback can be available for the Public Hearing on February 27.

Next meeting will be Monday, February 13 at 2p.m. at the Public Utilities Training Room, 124 East Hancock Avenue (the old Athens First Bank building). The training room is located on the ground floor.

- Finalize critical facilities list
- Discuss public hearing
- Review natural hazards.

There being no further business the meeting was adjourned at 3:15p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,
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