

**SECTION 6
Plan Implementation**

Summary of Plan Updates

Section		Change
Sec 6	Incorporation Into Existing Planning Mechanisms	Added Specific Areas Where Mitigation Activities will be Incorporated into Existing Planning Mechanisms
Sec 6, II	Plan Monitoring	Added Improved Plan Monitoring Data

The Fayette County Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee process will be overseen by the Fayette County Emergency Management Agency. The Fayette County Board of Commissioners as well as the governing bodies of Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, and Woolsey will formally adopt the plan by resolution in accordance with the Federal Disaster Act of 2000. The plan will then be submitted to the Georgia Emergency Management Agency and the Federal Emergency Management Agency for approval.

Since the Disaster Mitigation Plan dated September 2010, there have been many positive mitigation accomplishments. This former plan established the benchmark for mitigation planning and goals in Fayette County. Adopted by resolution the plan has been an overwhelming success for reducing the effects of disasters in our community.

As a result of these successes, Fayette County government as well as Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks and Woolsey will continue the now tradition of governing jurisdictions adopting by resolution and complying with requirements and legal aspects of the plan update and work collectively toward successfully completing our mitigation goals and objectives. A copy of all resolutions and a letter of support from each municipality for the plan and process will be included in the appendix section of the plan.

I. Incorporation into Existing Planning Mechanisms

The 2010 Mitigation Plan utilized little of the existing planning mechanisms. The 2010 Planning Committee realized the importance of reviewing and incorporated existing plans into the new plan update. The Planning Committee selected, after carefully reviewing a variety of the planning mechanisms, those listed below because of the data that could be derived from them and incorporated in the plan update and the value of mitigation efforts in Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, and Woolsey. The value of incorporating includes mitigation reduction of future planning, zoning and development regulations, future dam construction and placement, flood plain management regulations and incorporation it has assisted in the Insurance Service Organizations (ISO) review of our Community Rating Score as well as the Building Department (ISO) review. All participants in the development of this plan, those that will be impacted, and those that could provide future information for the

update of the plan will be provided a copy. The Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee will encourage additional plan incorporation into existing planning mechanisms to ensure and to maximize mitigation efforts in all jurisdictions. These will include but are not limited to,

- * Planning and Zoning Department
(Development Regulations/Zoning Ordinances)
- * Federal Emergency Management Agency
- * Georgia Emergency Management Agency
- * Engineering Departments
(Flood Plain Ordinances/Storm Water Retention,
Dam Construction Ordinances)
- * Local Emergency Planning Committee Members
(Technological Events)
- * Major Employers
- * Fayette County Board of Education
- * Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks and Woolsey
(Land Use Plans)
- * Fayette County Development Authority
(Development Trends)
- * Fire/EMS Departments
(Emergency Services)
- * Law Enforcement
- * The Public (Public Library and by Request)
- * National Weather Service
- * Fayette County Tax Assessors Office
- * Local Chapter American Red Cross Local Storm Water and Environmental
Management offices

All organizations have used and incorporate the Hazard Mitigation Plan into the following existing plans and documents in an effort to mitigate the impact of future disasters.

Existing Programs/Policy/Technical/Documents	Jurisdiction	Inclusion in Plan
Comprehensive Plan	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	Yes
Growth Management Plan	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	Yes
Flood Plain Management	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	Yes
Flood Insurance Study or Engineering studies for streams	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	Yes
Hazard Vulnerability Analysis	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	Yes
Emergency Management Plan	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	Yes
Zoning Ordinance	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	Yes
Building Code	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	Yes
Drainage Ordinance	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	Yes
Critical Facility Maps	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	Yes
Existing Land Use Maps	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	Yes
Elevation Certificates	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	No
State Plan	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	Yes
Ga. GMIS	Unincorporated Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey	Yes

II. Plan Maintenance

The Federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 requires that the Hazard Mitigation Plan be maintained during five-year period. The Fayette County EMA Director will be responsible for ensuring that this requirement is met through conduction meetings with each member of the Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee that includes representatives from the jurisdictions of Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, and Woolsey. During these meetings the maintenance of each chapter will be discussed. The maintenance of the plan will include identifying old or outdated data, documentation of events or changes, maintaining a list of changes that should take place during the next update, providing Fayette County,

Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, and Woolsey encouragement and support to continue participation in the plan. Any maintenance of the plan will be incorporated into the update before the governing bodies of Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, and Woolsey government for formal approval and adoption by resolution. The following items will ensure that the plan maintained as required.

- * The public will be invited to participate in the update and maintenance process through advertisements on Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, and Woolsey’s websites, at government meetings, and via the legal section in the local paper through public hearings to solicit as much public input as possible.
- * A record of incident the will include time, date, location and type incident will be issued for inclusion of the updated plan by hazard.
- * The Disaster Mitigation Planning Committee will meet at least annually to consider information and to conduct maintenance as needed.
- * Municipal participation will be a requirement for maintenance meetings.
- * Additional mitigation partners will continue to be identified and included in the update and maintenance process.
- * Continue to incorporated annually into existing plans any identified mitigation strategy to reduce the effects the hazard in the future.
- * Update plan as required by resolution by all governing bodies with responsibilities in this plan as required.

It is the intention of all documented plan participants to formally adopt the Disaster Mitigation Plan after each maintenance revision. Once the changes are adopted by all participants, the revised plan will be submitted to the Georgia Emergency Management Agency (GEMA) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The plan will be revised and maintained as required under the guidance of the Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee and formally adopted by the Board of Commissioners after each revision.

III. Plan Monitoring

All members of the Fayette County Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee and the EMA Director will be responsible for ensuring that the Hazard Mitigation Plan is monitored on an ongoing basis over the life of the plan. The monitoring process will include analyzing current mitigation projects, goals, and actions, changes in Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee members, to ensure that focus and overarching objective of the plan are on task and are consistent with mitigation strategies.

The Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee has identified and included in the plan update a better defined strategy for monitoring the plan. The updated strategy includes a pre-established month (January) each year and is established that the Fayette County Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee will reconvene in January of each of the next 5 years to ensure that projects are on track and to reevaluate the mitigation goals, objectives, and action steps and update the plan as necessary. The mitigation plan shall be viewed as a “living document”.

IV. Plan Evaluating

The Fayette County Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee is tasked with evaluating the overall success of the plan on a continual basis. Reevaluation will consist of examining future mitigation needs and prioritization based upon changes in needs and/or capabilities of Fayette County, the impact of completed goals and actions that are identified in the plan, plan data accuracy, assessing effectiveness and documenting any short falls in the plan that should be submitted for the update.

V. Plan Update

The Federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 requires that the Hazard Mitigation Plan be updated at least once every five years. This plan is the update to the plan of 2010 and the Fayette County EMA Director will be responsible for ensuring that this requirement is met. The Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee will be involved in this process to ensure that Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, Woolsey, and the public provide input into the planning process. Any updates will be incorporated into the plan before the governing bodies of Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, and Woolsey government for formal approval and adoption by resolution. The Fayette County EMA Director will lead activities such as plan monitoring, documentation of activities and meetings, status of mitigation goals, objectives, and actions for mitigation planning countywide. Fayette County, Peachtree City, Fayetteville, Tyrone, Brooks, and Woolsey will participate in this process and their involvement will be documented through attendance sign in sheets and meeting minutes at each meeting to document involvement on the Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee.