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Hazard Mitigation Plan
Work Plan

Counties:

McDowell
Mercer
Monroe
Raleigh
Summers
Wyoming

Municipalities:

McDowell
Town of Anawalt, Acting Mayor Fred Rash
Town of Bradshaw, Mayor Lawrence Crigger
Town of Davy, Mayor Kenneth Gentry
City of Gary, Mayor Henry Paul
Town of Iaeger, Mayor Joe Ford
Town of Keystone, Mayor Dennis Robertson
Town of Kimball, Mayor Randolph DeLoatch
Town of Northfork, Mayor Nick Mason
City of War, Mayor Tom Hatcher
City of Welch, Mayor Martha Moore

Mercer
Town of Athens, Mayor Robert Richardson
City of Bluefield, Mayor Linda Whalen
Town of Bramwell, Mayor Louise Stoker
Town of Matoaka, Mayor Todd Colonna
Town of Oakvale, Mayor Mary Nelson
City of Princeton, Mayor Dewey W. Russell

Monroe
Town of Peterstown, Mayor Scott Boggess
Town of Union, Mayor Caroline Sparks

Raleigh
City of Beckley, Mayor Emmett Pugh, III
Town of Lester, Mayor Kenneth Allen
Town of Mabscott, Mayor Wayne Houck
Town of Rhodell, Mayor Teddy Blankenship
Town of Sophia, Mayor Danny Barr

Summers
City of Hinton, Mayor Joe Blankenship

Wyoming
City of Mullens, Mayor Jon McKinney
Town of Oceana, Mayor Nola Rose
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Describe your approach in developing the mitigation plan:

The regional counties will work with their respective municipalities to produce a regional Hazard Mitigation Plan that suits the specifications and guidelines as dictated by FEMA and the West Virginia Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management (WVDHSEM). Region I Planning and Development Council will assist these counties with this process by serving as the coordinating agency that will merge the information that the counties and their municipalities collect into a regional risk assessment, and later, into the draft and final regional HMP.

The county commissioners, the mayors (or appropriate proxy) for the municipalities, a representative from Region I PDC, the county Flood Managers, and possibly interested members of the counties and their communities will all sit on the planning team for the regional HMP. A smaller group of people, including a Region I PDC representative, may form into a Core Team for the HMP. These groups will meet throughout the HMP timeline.

Plan of Action and Timeline:

Region I PDC will provide its member counties and municipalities with the mapping that is available to assist them in their Risk Assessment inventory. Region I PDC will also guide the counties and municipalities through the risk assessment re-evaluation process, setting deadlines for the inventory information to be sent to Region I PDC, so that Region I PDC can incorporate the information into the regional HMP that is currently being revised.

Region I PDC will prepare a draft HMP that is due September 30, 2008, and the Final Report that is due upon approval by the WVDHSEM.

Public meetings will be held throughout the HMP process, and comments and suggestions made at these meetings will be incorporated into these reports.

Budget:

It is anticipated that the budget for this project will well exceed the minimum reimbursements offered by the State for the regional compilation of county HMPs. As per the agreement made between Region I and the State in October, 2007, any work not completed or approved by November 28, 2008 will be completed by the West Virginia Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management.

Funding:

At this time, there are no other known funding sources for assisting with the regionalization of the HMP plans for Region I.

Asset Inventory Overview

I. Methodology

A. Mapping

In order to acquire structural inventories for municipalities, datasets from the FEMA HAZUS program, FEMA circular 386-2, Region I Planning & Development Council, and local county and municipal knowledge were employed. Using the most current digital orthophoto base, maps were produced by Region I PDC and distributed to all municipalities within the region for use in the Asset Inventory process for the initial production of original HMPs in 2002. All data with available updates were acquired and used to reassess potential hazards and liabilities. In the event that no changes to the data were made the original datasets were used. The site-specific hazard information included on the original maps (where applicable and available) is as follows:

Flood Hazard Area: FEMA official (or tentative) flood hazard area boundary produced by Region I PDC and Marshall Miller & Associates through the R-1 Cooperating Technical Partnership or by contract through the Army Corps of Engineers. ESRI shapefile format.

Deficient Dams: Classified based upon information provided by the Dam Safety Section of the WV DEP. Digital data is ESRI shapefile format distributed by the WV DEP. The current listing was provided to Region I for inclusion into the regional HMP. All data from the original 2002 HMP is still applicable today, with neither additions to nor removal from the deficient classification.

Landslide: ESRI shapefile format downloaded from U.S.G.S. ftp website.

Note: all mapping produced by Region I is UTM 83, Zone 17

In addition to using the R-1 produced maps for Asset Inventory purposes, the counties and municipalities verified or updated the maps to reflect the current horizontal locations of pertinent structures and corporate limits. When possible, existing data and personal knowledge was integrated with the HAZUS files to produce the aforementioned digital shapefiles. Unfortunately, much of the information acquired from the HAZUS datasets was outdated and inaccurate.

Note: site-specific hazards and/or assets varied in the original HMPs from community to community. To observe the mapping requested and approved by each county, refer to the original Hazard Mitigation Plans (CD containing original plans included in Appendix). Since the Town of Kimball has erected a new town hall (which also serves as police and fire stations), an updated map for the Town is included as an attachment.

B. Asset Inventory

As mentioned earlier, orthophoto-based maps were distributed to all municipalities and counties. Data displayed on the maps, coupled with the familiarity of community officials, was used to determine the numbers and types of structures located in the hazard areas. For site-specific county hazard asset inventorying, community official knowledge and historical records were integrated with planimetric-based mapping to produce structure inventories. For countywide hazards, HAZUS building count figures for residential and commercial structures were used for the Asset Inventory process. When applicable, community officials altered these numbers to reflect a more accurate building inventory. Due to the concurrent synthesis of other structure inventories from federal agencies, private engineering firms, and Local Emergency Planning Committees, the structure inventories for the Hazard Mitigation Plan will be updated as new information is released.

C. Structural Value Calculations

To determine the replacement value of structures within the region, structure value averages calculated from data provided by either the State Tax Department or the respective County's Assessor's office were utilized. The data used for calculations is based upon the values provided when compiling the original HMPs for 2002. (In spite of numerous attempts, the appropriate current tax data could not be readily acquired from the State). The original values of structures were acquired by dividing the total value for all improved parcels in each county by the total number of improved parcels in the respective county. The values for commercial and residential structures (compiled separately) were used to calculate countywide property replacement values. The values used are as follows:

McDowell (Source: State Tax Department)
Estimated value of residential property: $ 13,602.34
Estimated value of commercial property: $ 57,513.94

Mercer (Source: State Tax Department)
Estimated value of residential property: $ 38,381.00
Estimated value of commercial property: $ 189,655.00

Monroe (Source: Monroe County Assessor's Office)
Estimated value of residential property: $ 37,193.00
Estimated value of commercial property: $ 504,916.00

Raleigh (Source: State Tax Department and Raleigh County Assessor's Office)
Estimated value of residential property: $ 65,000.00
Estimated value of commercial property: $ 150,000.00

Summers (Source: State Tax Department)
Estimated value of residential property: $ 29,843.40
Estimated value of commercial property: $ 122,029.41

Wyoming (Source: Wyoming County Assessor's Office)
Estimated value of residential property: $ 30,000.00
Estimated value of commercial property: $ 50,000.00

These assessments represent the following average values for Region I:

Residential: $35,669.96
Commercial: $179,019.06

II. Hazard Description History

All hazard descriptions returned to Region I were compiled into a master spreadsheet for the counties and municipalities. The original master file was updated using information provided by the communities (where applicable) to reflect additional hazard events. Since all communities within Region I participated in the original HMP, they chose to continue participation in the updated Regional plan. Please refer to the attached Event History spreadsheet.

Hazard Mitigation Plan

I. Background Information

A. Description of Planning Area

The regional Hazard Mitigation Plan will encompass all municipalities and unincorporated areas with the counties of McDowell, Mercer, Monroe, Raleigh, Summers, and Wyoming, West Virginia. These counties are located in the southern portion of the state and are primarily comprised of steep, rugged terrain. However, much of Monroe and portions of Raleigh and Mercer are gradually rolling pastureland. Please refer to the attached West Virginia Regional Planning Council Map for the Region I counties location.

B. Population

According to Census 2000 data, the population breakdown for Region I is as follows:

	Male	Female	Total
McDowell County	12,975	14,354	27,329
Anawalt	124	148	272
Bradshaw	131	158	289
Davy	177	196	373
Gary	425	492	917
Iaeger	158	200	358
Keystone	187	266	453
Kimball	173	238	411
Northfork	229	290	519
War	366	422	788
Welch	1,206	1,477	2,683
Mercer County	30,021	32,959	62,980
Athens	657	445	1,102
Bluefield	5,241	6,210	11,451
Bramwell	198	228	426
Matoaka	138	179	317
Oakvale	68	74	142
Princeton	2,844	3,503	6,347
Monroe County	6,470	8,113	14,583
Peterstown	229	270	499
Union	252	296	548
Raleigh County	38,975	40,245	79,220
Beckley	7,775	9,479	17,254
Lester	149	173	322

Mabscott	659	744	1,403
Rhodell	116	118	234
Sophia	589	712	1,301
Summers County	6,353	6,646	12,999
Hinton	1,303	1,577	2,880
Wyoming	12,649	13,059	25,708
Mullens	871	898	1,769
Oceana	719	831	1,550
Pineville	332	383	715

Please refer to the attached Census 2000 Profiles for detailed demographic information.

C. Natural Features

Some of the more prominent natural features of Region I include: Panther, Bluestone, Pipestem, Pinnacle Rock, Camp Creek, Twin Falls, Little Beaver, and Moncove State Parks; Bluestone Lake and Wildlife Management Area; Moncove Lake; Anawalt Lake Public Hunting and Fishing Area, Berwind Lake; and Flat Top Lake.

D. Local Economy

Certain areas of the region are more financially stable than others. While some communities such as Princeton and Beckley are enjoying increasing economic opportunities, findings in the Southern West Virginia Flood Recovery Plan (Disaster Recovery Board) indicate that the City of Welch (McDowell) and the City of Mullens (Wyoming) may be the only economically viable communities remaining in their respective counties. Leading natural resources of the region are coal, lumber and natural gas. Leading industries are metal fabrication and manufacturing, with technology fields increasing in popularity and viability.

E. Municipality Information

Please refer to the attached Census 2000 profiles for detailed municipal demographics.

F. Purpose of the Hazard Mitigation Plan

The purpose of the regional Hazard Mitigation Plan is to identify and assess those natural hazards relevant to the communities of Region I. By recognizing the threats posed to the County and its municipalities, elected officials and emergency responders will be better prepared to plan for safe and sustainable communities. The Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan will complement both existing and future emergency response plans and long-term disaster recovery projects. For detailed information regarding individual localized emergency response and disaster recovery plans, contact the community of interest.

Ultimately, this evolving document will be the basis for a safer and more economically viable society.

Since this plan is an updated, regionalized version of the existing individual county plans, it combines the detailed, community-specific hazards and mitigation goals into a comprehensive planning document. Similarly, community listings for assets, as well as the associated damages incurred from specific natural threats, have been combined to portray regionalized loss estimates. Community leaders evaluated the status of the original documents and provided updated information as to the success and status of mitigation measures. This updated information provides the basis for the outline of the regionalized plan.

II. Documentation of Adoption

A. Resolution(s) of Adoption

Included in Section7: Attachments.

B. Municipal Resolutions of Adoption

All municipalities within the Region participated in the original Hazard Mitigation Plans. All municipalities have agreed to be included in the revised Regional plan. Resolutions of adoption are included in Section 7: Attachments.

C. Jurisdictional Participation

All members of the core planning team consulted with community leaders and Region I to formulate goals and objectives for their respective county/municipalities. Additionally, core planning team provided Region I personnel with updated event history and goals/objectives information where applicable. Two of thirty-three entities provided Region I with detailed updates regarding their respective goals and objectives. As per the memorandum soliciting feedback (see Attachments), those communities not responding via written updates have verified that they have been unable to achieve previously listed goals for their community. All municipalities have at least one representative on the countywide Hazard Mitigation Planning Team.

All municipalities have agreed to participate in and be included in the Regional Mitigation Plan. Formal resolutions of adoption were passed by all entities upon completion of original county HMPs in 2003. Resolutions adopting the updated, regionalized HMP are included in Section 7: Attachments.

III. Documentation of Planning Process

A. Plan Preparation

The initial Hazard Mitigation Plans were prepared through constant cooperation with several levels of county and municipal governments. County Commissioners, County Flood Control, the Emergency Services Directors, the Executive Director of the Community Improvement Assessment District (for McDowell), and representatives from all municipalities participated in the original asset inventory and formulation of goals and objectives for the original Mitigation Plans. This multi-faceted coordination guaranteed the inclusion of site-specific hazards or concerns that may not otherwise be addressed. Information provided by these same agencies was carried over into the regionalized plan. Since the same natural hazards continue to pose a threat to the region, the earlier methodologies, goals, and objectives remain valid. Region I Planning & Development Council personnel wrote the initial county Hazard Mitigation Plans. Similarly, Region I staff completed the update and regionalization process for its six-county jurisdiction. Each community reviewed and approved their respective information prior to Plan adoption.

B. Planning Committee Members

These Planning Committee Members were in place for the integration and development of county HMPs into a regional plan (and may no longer be serving):

McDowell County:	Gordon Lambert, Commission President
	Judy Cortellesi, Commissioner
	Carl Urps, Commissioner
	Judy Heath, Community Improvement Assessment District
	Donna Short, McDowell County Redevelopment Authority
Anawalt:	Eva Sue Rash, Mayor
Bradshaw	Lawrence Crigger, Mayor
Davy:	Kenneth Gentry, Mayor
Gary:	Henry Paul, Mayor
Iaeger:	James Stafford, Mayor
Keystone:	Dennis Robertson, Mayor
Kimball:	Randolph DeLoatch, Mayor
Northfork:	Nick Mason, Mayor
War:	Tom Hatcher, Mayor
Welch:	Martha Moore, Mayor
	Robin Lee, City Manager
Mercer County:	Joe Coburn, Commission President
	Karen Disibbio, Commissioner
	Jay Mills, Commissioner
	Robert Hoge, Emergency Services
	Tim McPeak, Floodplain Coordinator
Athens:	Robert Richardson, Mayor

Bluefield:	Linda Whalen, Mayor
Bramwell:	Louise Stoker, Mayor
Matoaka:	Billy Stables, Mayor
Oakvale:	Mary Nelson, Mayor
Princeton:	Dewey W. Russell, Mayor
Monroe County:	Oliver Porterfield, Commission President
	Joyce Pritt, Commissioner
	Shane Ashley, Commissioner
Peterstown:	Scott Boggess, Mayor
Union:	Caroline Sparks, Mayor
Raleigh County:	Pat Reed, Commission President
	John Aliff, Commissioner
	John D. Humphrey, Commissioner
	Jack Bowden, Emergency Services
Beckley:	Emmett Pugh, III, Mayor
Lester:	Kenneth Allen, Mayor
Mabscott:	Wayne Houck, Mayor
Rhodell:	Teddy Blankenship, Mayor
Sophia:	Harry Taylor, Mayor
Summers County:	Lonnie Mullins, Commission President
	Jerry E. Berry, Commissioner
	Lloyd W. "Bill" Lightner, Commissioner
	Gary "Steve" Lipscomb, Emergency Services
Hinton:	Cleo Mathews, Mayor
Wyoming County:	Harold Hayden, Commission President
	Silas Mullins, Commissioner
	Dr. S. Muscari, Commissioner
	Dean Meadows, Emergency Services
Mullens:	Jon McKinney, Mayor
Oceana:	Nola Rose
Pineville:	Tim Ellison
WVDHSEM:	Roger Jefferson
Region I:	Jason Roberts

The following agencies participated in the initial mitigation planning procedures:

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Red Cross

Appalachian Regional Commission

WV DEP – Office of Water Resources

In addition to the above-mentioned committee members, GIS data provided by the following organizations were implemented into the Hazard Mitigation Plan: WV

Department of Environmental Protection – Dam Safety Section; Federal Emergency Management Agency – HAZUS SR-2; U.C. Census Bureau – TIGER 2000 files

C. Plan Timeframe

The locally-established designated timeframe for the regional Hazard Mitigation Plan is as follows:

Event	Deadline
Draft Plan	November, 2008
Final Plan	July, 2009
Plan Adoption	August, 2009

The Region I/Core Planning Team participated in a regional planning meeting that was coordinated by state officials on November 27, 2007.

In addition to the formally scheduled regional meeting, smaller municipal meetings and/or phone conference calls were orchestrated throughout various stages of the planning process. Specific details of the telephone calls are not included in the HMP, but a memorandum soliciting update information is included in the Attachments section. Information regarding community updates, goals, and event histories was relayed via these telephone calls, e-mails, and personal meetings.

D. Core Planning Team

Those persons chosen to be members of the original Core Planning Team were community officials who possess intimate knowledge of local hazards, community plans, and public needs through their excessive public service and daily dealings with the County and the municipalities. As per FEMA recommendations, the original Core Planning Team was composed of representatives from each municipality. While compiling individual county plans into a regional plan, the same core team members (or their replacements) were utilized to provide any additional information or component updates. By reviewing their respective portions of the original county HMPs, Core Team members were able to provide feedback as to the effectiveness of the original plans. Since the regionalization process is the same as that used for initial HMP creation, Team members were able to provide update information regarding the achievement of goals and objectives in the Mitigation Strategies section.

E. Public Involvement

The public participation portion of the original County Hazard Mitigation Plans was incorporated to educate the public regarding the HMP process and its future benefits. Public meetings presented the opportunity for citizens to voice any apprehensions they

might have regarding the plan or the planning process and to offer insight into community concerns regarding natural hazards.

During the original public meetings Region I personnel presented the audience with an overview of the Hazard Mitigation Planning process and its relationship to both current and future mitigation efforts. Inventory procedures, mapping techniques, and implementation methodologies were discussed to inform those in attendance about the formation and maintenance of the original Plans. All feedback from the original public meetings was positive and provided support of the individual counties with their mitigation and planning efforts.

As part of the update process each community there have been no public meetings to date. Upon state and federal agency approval of HMP, the newly revised plans will be adopted by both county and municipal entities at public meetings.

IV. Risk Assessment

A. Hazard Identification

Using guidelines included in the FEMA state and local mitigation planning how-to guide "Understanding Your Risks: Identifying Hazards and Estimating Losses" (FEMA 386-2), the following hazards have been identified as pertinent to this region:

Flood
Landslide
Dam Failure
Earthquake
Hailstorm
Tornado
Severe Winter Storm
Wildfire

Resources listed in the how-to guide, combined with historical information and local knowledge were used to determine which hazards warranted additional study and detailed analysis. Following is a summary of the data sources and rationale used to conclude which hazards justified specific attention.

Of the above listed hazards, those that pose the greatest threat to the community in the immediate future are floods and severe winter storms. Although the remaining six hazards do pose a threat to the region, the two aforementioned events have historically exhibited the most repetitiveness and resulted in the highest cumulative damages.

As well known between both federal and state officials, the counties of southern West Virginia were hammered by two 500-year flooding events in less than ten months in the years 2001 and 2002. Additionally, smaller site-specific flooding events have occurred throughout the years. Flooding has been the preeminent threat to the communities located within the region, and exhibits the tendency to be the most destructive to both physical structures and community morale. As a result, flood mitigation is a major focus of the regional Hazard Mitigation Plan.

Since the completion of the original countywide HMPs, several regional counties have had new or revised Flood Insurance Rate Maps produced. These new maps were utilized during the re-evaluation of applicable threats and loss estimates.

Community leaders and members of the Core Planning Team ranked the probability of future hazard events (High, Medium, or Low) for the initial Hazard Mitigation Plans based upon local knowledge and historical occurrences. These rankings from the original HMPs are still valid for the regionalized plan, as confirmed by community officials upon plan regionalization.

NFIP Participation

It should also be noted that all six regional counties and all municipalities with a defined flood hazard area participate in and are in good standing with the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). All communities have ordinances in place requiring certification of compliance with respect to flood hazard areas. For example, prior to beginning construction of new structures (or significant improvements to existing structures) homeowners must apply for floodplain determinations. The community's designated flood control officer determines whether or not the structure is located within a special flood hazard area (SFHA), and then issues permits accordingly or advises as to the resident's options if deemed to be in the SFHA. Official FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Maps and Flood Insurance Study documents are employed during the determination process. Furthermore, communities within the region are investigating the possibility of requiring acceptable floodplain/building compliance prior to the application for utility services.

Violations with said compliance are also addressed within each individual community. For information regarding community floodplain ordinances and violation penalties, contact the community of interest. Since the Town of Athens (Mercer County) has no designated special flood hazard areas, it obviously does not participate in the NFIP. However, the State Hazard Mitigation Officer has been in contact with Athens officials in an attempt to promote integration into the NFIP.

Information regarding statewide emergency management and the Community Rating System may be obtained from the West Virginia Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management (www.wvdhsem.org).

Hazard Identification

These hazards were found to be a threat to the region during assessments of the individual six county hazard mitigation plans. Since there have been no significant climatic changes in the last five years, these hazards were still applicable as of January, 2008. Detailed information outlining what steps to take before, during, and after these events can be found at www.fema.gov.

Refer to Section 6: Asset Inventory Worksheets for detailed loss estimates for each applicable hazard.

Avalanche

Due to the absence of alpine topography, this hazard is not applicable to the region.

Coastal Erosion

Due to the absence of a coastal environment, this hazard is not applicable to the region.

Coastal Storm

Due to the absence of a coastal environment, this hazard is not applicable to the region.

Dam Failure
*A dam is defined as a barrier constructed across watercourse for the purpose of storage, control, or diversion of water. A dam failure is the collapse, breach, or other failure resulting in downstream flooding.**

The decision to include this hazard in the countywide hazard identification is based upon information supplied by the Dam Safety Section of the West Virginia Department of Environmental Protection. The dams classified as deficient are indicated in the Hazard Inventory worksheet.

Drought
This hazard has not historically exhibited a recurrence or severity that would warrant inclusion in the regional Hazard Inventory. The last major severe drought occurred during the Dust Bowl era of the early twentieth century. Therefore, drought is not included in the Hazard Inventory for the region.

Earthquake
*An earthquake is a sudden, rapid shaking of the Earth caused by the breaking and shifting of rock beneath the Earth's surface. Earthquakes tend to occur at the boundaries where tectonic plates meet; however, some eqrt5hquakes occur in the middle of plates.**

According to the U.S.G.S. National Seismic Hazard Mapping Project (http://geohazards.cr.usgs.gov/eq/pubmaps/US.pga.050.map.gif), this region is located in an area of moderate/high seismic risk. As a result, earthquakes (along with other applicable hazards) will be addressed in the Hazard Inventory.

Expansive Soils
Historical research and local knowledge indicate that this hazard is not applicable to the region.

Extreme Heat
Historical research and local knowledge indicate that this hazard is not applicable to the region.

Flood
*Flooding is defined as the accumulation of water within a water body and the overflow of excess water onto adjacent floodplain lands. The floodplain is the land adjoining the channel of a river, stream, ocean, lake, or other watercourse or water body that is susceptible to flooding.**

Flooding can be separated into several types, but the ones applicable to the region are riverine flooding and flash flooding. These hazards pose the most recurring and severe threats to the region. Since both sub-types of flooding are pertinent to the area and pose equal risk, they will be classified together under general "Flood" hazards. Therefore, the Hazard Mitigation Plan will primarily be focused on this preeminent threat.

Hailstorm

*Hailstorms are storms accompanied by hail. Hail is a showery precipitation in the form of irregular pellets or balls of ice more than 1/5 inch in diameter, falling from a cumulonimbus cloud.***

Several communities have indicated that hailstorms have caused localized damage in the past. As a result, hailstorms will be addressed with other countywide hazards in the Hazard Mitigation Plan since these events are not site-specific.

Hurricane

Due to the absence of a coastal environment, the only adverse impact of hurricanes on the region would be the flooding produced from periods of intense rain. Therefore, the threats created from this hazard are included in the general flooding category.

Land Subsidence

Historical research and local knowledge indicate that this hazard is not applicable to the region.

Landslide

*Landslide is the term used to describe the downward and outward movement of slope-forming materials reacting under the force of gravity. This term includes mudflows, mudslides, debris flows, rock falls, rock slides, debris avalanches, debris slides, and earth flows.**

According to the U.S.G.S. (http://landslides.usgs.gov/html_files/landslides.nationalmap/national.html) this hazard is relevant to the region. Therefore, this hazard is addressed in the asset inventory.

Severe Winter Storm

Severe winter storms consist of the following: snow, showers, squalls, blowing snow, blizzards, sleet and freezing rain.

Historical research and local knowledge indicate that this hazard is applicable to the region. As a result, severe winter storms will be addressed with other countywide hazards in the Hazard Mitigation Plan.

Tornado

*A tornado is a rapidly rotating vortex or funnel or air extending groundward from a cumulonimbus cloud. Path width is generally less than 1 km, length ranges from few hundred meters to dozens of kilometers. Typically moves between 30 and 125 mph. Usually lasts less than 30 minutes.**

Historical research, local knowledge, and FEMA (http://www.fema.gov/mit/bpat/bpn_tsfs.htm) indicate that this hazard is applicable to the region. As a result, tornados will be addressed with other hazards in the Hazard Mitigation Plan.

Tsunami
Due to the absence of a coastal environment, this hazard is not applicable to the region.

Volcano
Due to the absence of volcanoes in the area, this hazard is not applicable to the region.

Wildfire
*Highly destructive, uncontrolled fire or any instance of uncontrolled burning.**

Historical research and local knowledge indicate that this hazard is applicable to the region. As a result, wildfires will be addressed with other countywide hazards in the County Hazard Mitigation Plan. However, wildfires within the region can be classified as "nuisance" wildfires that are generally localized. There have been no large-scale wildfires that warrant national attention or federal declarations.

Windstorm
Historical research and local knowledge indicate that this hazard is not applicable to the region.

*Definition from WV State All-Hazards Mitigation Plan
**Definition from Dictionary.com

B. Hazard Event Profiles

Please refer to the Hazard Descriptions (Event History) worksheets for more information regarding natural disasters history. Information such as date of event, financial losses, deaths, and extent of event are covered in the spreadsheets. Additionally, data sources and event map availability are included for extra information.

C. Assessing Vulnerability

1. Identifying Assets

Please refer to the attached Asset Inventory/Estimated Damages spreadsheets.

2. Estimating Potential Losses

Please refer to the attached Asset Inventory/Estimated Damages spreadsheets.

Note: The structural point data produced as a component of the Statewide Addressing and Mapping Board (SAMB) project was evaluated for efficacy during re-evaluation of the potential losses estimate. Since the differentiation between commercial and residential structures is not readily apparent using this data, it was decided that local knowledge would instead be employed for this particular task.

The estimated Regional losses per hazard are identified as follows:

Estimated Flood Losses
Residential: $387,483,033.50
Commercial: $297,415,917.85

Estimated Countywide Hazard Loss
Residential: $4,479,452,015.24
Commercial: $2,206,069,691.00

Estimated Loss from Dam Failure
Residential: $8,702,354.60
Commercial: $1,850,034.81

Estimated Landslide Loss
Residential: $255,750,889.00
Commercial: $32,494,517.69

3. Development Trends/Special Considerations

All governmental entities within the Region participated in the original Hazard Mitigation Plans. Furthermore, all governmental entities continue to participate in the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan. Development trends and special considerations are as follows:

McDowell County

As a whole, McDowell County is economically depressed but continues to operate as efficiently as possible given recent statewide economic setbacks. Once a booming coal-producing county, McDowell is now in the throes of company cutbacks and mine closings. High unemployment rates continue to force the County into further economic decline.

County officials, along with FEMA/OES officials and municipal leaders, have taken a proactive approach to hazard mitigation. The county and all municipalities are in good standing with the National Flood Insurance Program and continue to explore effective mitigation measures.

Anawalt

Please refer to the attached Town of Anawalt Hazard Mitigation Plan

Bradshaw/Davy/Gary/Iaeger/Keystone/Kimball/Northfork

In spite of the gallant effort of mayors and other municipal officials, these communities remain financially deprived. All municipalities are on the brink of instability and are continuously in need of outside financial assistance. Unfortunately, the needed assistance is unavailable, forcing these communities into further economic despair.

Development in McDowell (and these areas in particular) is nonexistent. Small businesses come and go, with very few entities realizing any true success. No major development is taking place now, and all indicators suggest that no development will occur anytime soon.

Aside from the flood hazard areas, there only other site-specific hazards in these communities are the presence of railroads. Areas along the rail tracks are susceptible to chemical exposure in the event of derailment. However, adoption of State Emergency response plans and increased training of emergency responders will aid in preparedness of this hazard.

War

1. Business District. The entire business district is within the flood plain. In several past floods–1957 and 1977–water was in Rt. 16, the main street, and in the basements of most downtown buildings.

2. Houses on the Right Fork of Johns Branch Creek. This area flooded during 2000 and 2001. Work has been done on this creek to prevent future flooding.

3. Houses in Lower Excelsior Bottom. About 20 houses are in the flood plain. However, because of previous work on the Dry Fork River in that area, there was no flooding during 2001 and 2002.
4. War Elementary School and War Annex School. Both of these schools have been flooded in the past, but not during 2001 and 2002. The schools will be consolidated and replaced by 2005.

5. Houses in Warriormine Section of War. All homes in this area of town are identified as being in the flood plain. However, the area has not flooded since Berwind Lake Dam was built in 1958.

Welch

The entire boundaries of the City of Welch should be considered as potentially susceptible to certain hazards. These hazards include flooding, water runoff, severe winter storms and forest fires. The City of Welch works in cooperation with McDowell County and the Countywide Emergency Response Plan implemented through the Office of Emergency Services and 911. The Welch Police Department and The Welch Volunteer Fire Department along with the county and state emergency and safety personnel are always at the forefront of any emergency arising within our community.

Mercer County

As a whole, Mercer County is a viable region and continues to operate as efficiently as possible given recent statewide economic setbacks. County officials, along with

FEMA/OES officials and municipal leaders, have taken a proactive approach to hazard mitigation. The county and all municipalities are in good standing with the National Flood Insurance Program and continue to explore effective mitigation measures.

The most preeminent non-natural hazard to the County is the risk of hazardous material spill along Interstate I-77 and U.S. Route 460. However, appropriately trained emergency personnel and the adoption of the State Emergency Response plan facilitate appropriate response measures.

Athens

Although a viable community, development in Athens is virtually nonexistent. Athens prides itself in being a small, hospitable town and has no desire to pursue major development. This small college town has no special flood hazard areas and is completely contained within the wildfire and severe winter storm hazard areas. Therefore, there are no site specific hazards or special needs communities within the Town. However, Town officials appreciate the need for community education and are preparing to increase the availability of educational brochures and informative literature. Similarly, the Town has agreed to formally adopt both the finalized Mercer County Hazard Mitigation Plan and the Mercer County Emergency Response Plan.

Bluefield

Although the City of Bluefield is more urbanized than most other municipalities in Mercer County, development is still relatively minimal. General land use is comprised of residential and commercial properties, with a very limited amount developed for industrial use. The majority of industrial properties is owned and operated by a major railroad corporation, with a large portion of these sites comprising rail yards and lines that traverse the City.

Although there is a very limited amount of flood hazard areas in Bluefield (refer to map), the City remains in good standing with the NFIP and has adopted and enforces flood plain regulations. The majority of flooding difficulties arise from infrastructure that is inadequate to cope with surface runoff. Undersized culverts regularly become obstructed with debris, creating backflow in various sections of the City. As a result of this backup, the most accessible routes to the Midway neighborhood become inaccessible in the event of severe storming. This severely hinders emergency response capabilities and increases hazards to the citizens in the event of fire, medical trauma, or other catastrophes.

Despite financial limitations, City officials have been seeking solutions to the problem. Possible resolutions include alternate access routes to the neighborhood, upgraded culverts, and seeking assistance from the railroad corporations to make improvements to the privately owned culverts and access routes near the neighborhood.

Engaging into cooperative partnerships with local colleges will aid Bluefield in updating citywide engineering and planning and lead to increased community participation and education.

To ensure effective response measures to all natural hazards, the City follows statewide emergency response plans and will officially adopt and incorporate the Mercer County Emergency response plan upon completion by the Local Emergency Planning Committee.

The major "man-made" threat to Bluefield is the threat posed by the railroad located within the City limits. This poses additional hazards in the event of a chemical spill or train derailment. Should these events occur, emergency officials and railroad technicians are prepared to respond accordingly.

Bramwell

Once a booming coal-baron town, Bramwell is now a quaint historic and cultural community. Currently, Bramwell officials are seeking to increase development and enlarge tourism potential. Unfortunately, such expansion requires tremendous resources and is slow to come to fruition. However, Town leaders are in the process of working to ensure a safe community for both future and current residents and visitors.

The most notable threats to Bramwell are wildfires and flooding (both from the Bluestone River and deficient water impoundments located just outside the downtown area). Formally adopted floodplain regulations were the first step to reduce liability from riverine flooding. All future construction or improvements must comply with NFIP regulations to ensure appropriate safety measures. Additionally, the Town continues to seek funding (such as HMGP and other federal grant programs) to repair the deficient dams. Adoption of the completed Mercer County LEPC plans, in addition to the purchasing of firefighting and HAZMAT protective gear, will facilitate emergency preparedness and community organization.

Matoaka

Development trends for the Town of Matoaka are virtually nonexistent. This municipality has seen declining populations and will in all likelihood not increase in size in the foreseeable future. However, this lack of development helps to guarantee a more hazard resistant community. Future development can easily be monitored to ensure compliance with safe building and floodplain regulations.

Matoaka has no special-needs populations other than those citizens living in flood hazard areas. In addition to enforcing floodplain regulations and adopting the Mercer County LEPC plan, the Town of Matoaka has applied on multiple occasions for Hazard Mitigation Grant Program funding in order to acquire properties located in the floodplain.

Oakvale

The small community of Oakvale, located along the East River, has seen no recent development and will in all likelihood remain relatively small throughout the coming years. A declining and aging populace, in conjunction with resident relocation through federal mitigation programs, has reduced the population base for this quaint area. There are no special-needs populations within the Town except for those citizens located in or near site specific hazard areas.

Aside from the inherent dangers associated with the location of a major railway running through the Town of Oakvale, this small municipality suffers from repetitive flooding. Those homes located within the flood hazard area are the most susceptible to flooding. However, Oakvale should be considered a wonderful example for hazard mitigation procedures. In addition to receiving HMGP grants for structure elevation and demolition in the recent past, the Town received funding under the HMGP 1410 grant program. Additionally, Oakvale officials plan to implement stricter floodplain ordinances to further reduce exposure to flooding.

Public education, coupled with the formation of a community-wide early warning system, will increase emergency preparedness and reduce the risk to flooding, wildfire, and severe winter storms.

Princeton

Aside from Bluefield, Princeton is one of the two most developed communities in Mercer County and continues to increase in population. Increasing infrastructure has attracted many corporations to the area, enhancing property values and the population base. Continued development is almost certain, and community officials are already preparing to decrease vulnerability to natural hazards.

Aside from flooding in the designated flood hazard areas, flooding events due to inadequate infrastructure plagues some sections of the city. In an attempt to alleviate this problem, city officials have already contacted and acquired professional services to update city mapping and upgrade deficient infrastructure.

The most prominent fabricated hazard to Princeton is the existence of rail lines that run through the City. Exposures to chemical spills or train derailment are a valid concern. However, local emergency responders are adequately equipped with HAZMAT protective and containment gear to ensure efficient disaster response.

To decrease the risks from wildfire, the Princeton Fire Department is in the process of installing new hydrants throughout the City, as funds are available.

Areas that flood but are not identified in the Flood Plain are as follows:

Washington Avenue
Mercer Street – 400 block through 100 block
Lovell Avenue – near the Princeton Junior High School
North Walker Street – Lovell Avenue to Honaker Avenue
Honaker Avenue – North Walker Street to Mercer Street
Straley Avenue – 300 block to 400 block
Princeton Avenue – 300 block to 100 block
Bowling Addition

Monroe County

Monroe County is largely agricultural, and its industries are small-farm or forest-oriented. The nearest major commercial airports located in the state are outside the County in Bluefield and Beckley. If existing trends were to continue, then it is expected that the County population would show 'some increase' in the coming decade. All of this growth is expected to happen outside the 100-year floodplain, with traditional farm-based and timber industries acting as linchpin.

Scheduled development projects are continued expansion of the Goodrich plant and the extension of water service into the southeastern quadrant of the County. The completion of the countywide DFIRM assisted in the compilation of the original HMP and later facilitated in the analysis of most effective strategies for hazard mitigation within the County.

Major Mitigation and Development Programs: (refer to original HMP for description)
- Economic Development Administration (EDA) Flood Grant
- Flood Mitigation Assistance Program (FMAP)
- Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)
- Small Business Administration (SBA)
- Small Cities Block Grant (SCBG)

Other projects with the Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) and the US Department of Agriculture (USDA) have long assisted development in the County. All these grants and programs are being used by local and regional development agencies in creative ways to retain and attract population through various development initiatives.

[Volume of Timber Removals: Monroe County = 187,000 cubic meters; for all removals, total stock; 1996 (source: WVU GIS). For a regional picture, statewide economic development maps are available at http://wvgis.wvu.edu/stateactivities/econdev.html.]

Raleigh County

Raleigh County is part of the coal-producing belt of southern West Virginia, and shows presence of bituminous coal and natural gas wells. It is largely semi-urban, with I-77 and I-64 forming the growth-axes. Light Intensity Urban landuse is predominant around Beckley.

As indicated by local economic and demographic data, Raleigh County has shown relatively impressive growth in the last couple of years. It is strongly expected that the County population would continue to increase in the coming decade. All of this growth is expected to happened outside the special flood hazard area, with natural resources such as coal and timber acting as linchpin industries. Growth is also expected along the proposed Coalfields Expressway.

Scheduled Development Projects:

- Transportation corridors (Coalfields Expressway and Shawnee Highway)
- Airport Industrial Park expansion (approximately 1,400 jobs)
- New housing at Glade Springs (approximately 3,000 residential units)
- Water supply expansion near Clear Creek
- Sewer expansion in Glen White/Trap Hill
- New sewage treatment plant for Crab Orchard PSD

Major Mitigation and Development Programs:

- Economic Development Administration (EDA) Flood Grant
- Flood Mitigation Assistance Program (FMAP)
- Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)
- Small Business Administration (SBA)
- Small Cities Block Grant (SCBG)

Other projects with the Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC), US Department of Agriculture (USDA) and Rural Utilities Service (RUS) have long assisted development in the County and municipalities. All these grants and programs are being used by local and regional development agencies in creative ways to retain and attract population through various development initiatives.

[Volume of Timber Removals: Raleigh County = 281,000 cubic meters; for all removals, total stock; 1996 (source: WVU GIS). Also, refer to the original HMP for excerpt from the Flood Advisory Technical Taskforce Runoff Analysis.]

Summers County

As a whole, Summers County and the City of Hinton are both viable regions that continue to operate as efficiently as possible given recent statewide economic setbacks. County and City officials, along with FEMA/OES representatives, have taken a proactive approach to hazard mitigation. Both the County and the City are in good standing with the National Flood Insurance Program and continue to explore effective mitigation measures.

Special considerations for Summers County are as follows:

1. Summers County Continuous Care is located on John Cook Road, off Routes 3 and 12 in Hilldale. This is a nursing home serving ill/elderly persons.

2. Halstead Personal Care Home is located on Leatherwood Road and serves ill/elderly persons.

3. Sun Valley Lake is located off Rt. 20 in Pipestem. This is a private impoundment deeded to the owner of the surrounding properties. The regulatory status with WV Dam Safety officials is uncertain. The most recent DNR classification (October 2004) indicates that the dam is still categorized as inadequate. As a result, members of the Pipestem Volunteer Fire Department monitor the structure during heavy rainfall.

Hinton

Although historically a small business and railroad town, the City of Hinton benefits seasonally from the tourist flows coming to the Bluestone Lake and the downriver fishing and whitewater rafting ventures. Additionally, Hinton is planning to increase tourist potential by developing scenic river walks, mountain bike paths, and new lodging facilities.

Please refer to the Potential Development map for the City of Hinton (in original HMP).

Special considerations for the City of Hinton are as follows:

1. R.T. Rogers Oil is located on Grace Street. This facility stores bulk gasoline, diesel fuel, heating oil and propane along with a large quantity of 20-pound propane tanks. The location is beside CSX tracks, and near homes, stores and Hinton Area Elementary School.

2. Summers County High School is located near CSX tracks. City officials believe that the danger to the school from a derailment is low. The only access road to the school is via a ground level RR crossing. The potential for an accident on the crossing is much higher as all buses and private cars must use this access.

3. Summers County ARH Hospital is located on Terrace Street. During flooding of the Greenbrier River Greenbrier Drive may be closed. This closure isolates Hinton and most of the county from the only hospital in the county.

Note: Flooding occurred and blocked access to the Hospital for approximately twelve hours on February 23, 2003. Additionally, flooding occurred along the Avis section of the City for the first time. The cause of flooding is presently unknown. This note was added after submittal of the original Draft plan.

4. Hinton House Apartments located on Stokes Drive. This is an apartment complex serving senior, disabled, and low-income persons.

Wyoming County

Wyoming County is part of the coal-producing belt of southern West Virginia, and is largely rural. The nearest major commercial airports are located outside the County in Bluefield and Beckley. The construction of the Coalfields Expressway, Shawnee Highway and King Coal Highway is expected to give the biggest boost to growth in the County. However, as is indicated by historical demographic and economic information, the County has struggled with economic growth in the last decade, and if existing trends were to continue, then it is expected that the County population would show a slight decline during this time.

There are many 'Push' factors inhibiting growth in the region. The Wyoming County Economic Situation and Economic Development Assessment Reports listed the following as some of them: relatively low educational attainment of the population, limited road access and tough terrain, and very limited developable land. However, the low cost of living, abundant recreational opportunities, and good rail infrastructure were seen as the County's strengths or 'Pull' factors. Refer to the original Hazard Mitigation Plan for more details from:

· Flood Advisory Technical Taskforce Runoff Analyses of Seng, Scrabble, and Sycamore Creeks. 2002.

· Parsons Brinckerhoff Quade & Douglas. South West Virginia Flood Recovery Plan: McDowell and Wyoming Counties. 2002.

· Tischler & Associates, Inc. Wyoming County Economic Situation and Economic Development Assessment Reports. 2002.

Recent/Planned Development Projects:

· Transportation corridors: Coalfields Expressway, King Coal Highway and Shawnee Highway
· John D. Rockefeller IV Industrial Park
· Eastern Wyoming Water System (funding received)
· Digital Flood Insurance Rate Map (DFIRM) production *
· Senior Citizens Housing, Mullens (27 units)
· New School(s)

Major Mitigation and Development Programs: *

· Economic Development Administration (EDA) Flood Grant
· Flood Mitigation Assistance Program (FMAP)
· Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)
· Small Business Administration (SBA)
· Small Cities Block Grant (SCBG)

Other projects with the Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) and the US Department of Agriculture (USDA), have long assisted development in the County. All these grants and programs are being used by local and regional development agencies in creative ways to retain and attract population through various development initiatives.

D. Multi-Jurisdictional Risk Assessment

All counties and municipalities participated in their respective county Hazard Mitigation Plans. All counties and municipalities continue their participation in the updated Regional HMP. Therefore, the multi-jurisdictional risk assessment requirement has been met.

V. Mitigation Strategy

A. Local Mitigation Goals

The mitigation strategies provided by the communities can be categorized into one of six general mitigation strategies. These strategies provide the basis for future planning and mitigation efforts. A brief overview of each type follows:

1. Property Protection: examples of this mitigation type include "buyouts", elevation, and relocation. The type employed varies from community to community depending on the needs of the location and the feasibility of the project.

2. Structural: this category includes levees, dams, dikes, etc. This mitigation strategy can be quite large, and is usually utilized to protect multiple structures. However, this action requires detailed structural and hydraulic engineering.

3. Natural Resource: this process integrates natural resources into mitigation planning. The use of wetlands, riparian buffers, and habitat restoration to minimize hazard exposure is beneficial to the long-term health of both the community and the environment.

4. Emergency: personnel and equipment such as fire trucks, swift water rescue teams, NOAA radios, and early-warning systems mean that this strategy relies heavily on preparedness and funding. However, these resources may be re-allocated to facilitate recovery and mitigation in other communities, creating a regional strategy.

5. Education and Outreach: perhaps the easiest mitigation strategy to implement, this process relies on informational and literature distribution through avenues such as public meetings, publicly-available brochures, emergency management training, and public relation building. This process can often be "passive" (i.e.: making plans available for public review at community centers) and therefore can serve as a low-coast long-term approach.

6. Preventative Measures: this mitigation strategy relies heavily on regulatory compliance. Floodplain ordinances and building code enforcement serve to ensure that the community is protected through safe construction and no encroachment on the floodway or building in the flood zone. This strategy can be considered an "active" approach, and requires dedicated funding to maintain appropriate personnel time and capabilities to ensure compliance.

Following are the designated local mitigation goals outlined by the communities throughout the Region. Since participating communities outlined these goals for the original Hazard Mitigation Plans, they state that these objectives are still valid.

The CEO of each respective community was responsible for providing these goals to the Region for integration into the plan. Community officials listed these goals based upon the needs of the community and the hazards relevant to their pertinent area. The goals

are prioritized based upon the estimated effectiveness of the goal in relationship to the probability of completion. The goals and objectives for each community are listed in priority order.

In the event that goals have been met, then the applicable updates follow the outlined goals/objectives (as provided by the community). Goals that have not been accomplished are maintained from the original individual plans. Lack of funding accounts for the majority of instances where the goals/objectives have not been met. In those occasions, the communities continue to seek funding from various sources to facilitate the completion of desired mitigation measures. It is the responsibility of the CEO of each community to ensure that the community strives to meet these goals and objectives. If updates have not been provided, the goals and objectives have not been met due to lack of funding, staff time, etc. The communities continue to strive to meet the goals, and their methodologies are still ongoing.

Note: goals/objectives referencing preparation for or responding to "events" or "natural hazards" includes all possible threats relevant to that area (including flooding, severe winter storm, hailstorm, landslide, earthquake, tornado, wildfire, and dam failure).

McDowell County

Goal 1: Reduce the risk to the lives of citizens and emergency personnel during a hazard event.

Objective: Apply for possible sources of funds to make weather radios available to homes and businesses at risk.

Update: Although weather radios have not been made available to the general public, grant funds were successfully secured to provide weather radios to police departments and some fire departments in order to keep the first responders updated on weather related hazard events. Police, fire department, and the 911 Center towers and radio systems have all been upgraded. The Office of Emergency Services has also provided a mobile unit, stocked with equipment that can be used as a mobile communication center during a disaster.

Objective: Increase public awareness of the dangers associated with the event before and during a potential hazard event using local television and radio stations and measures they can take to protect themselves.

Update: Prior to, during, and after an event, information such as watches, warnings and other event specific health, safety, hazard and prevention information, road conditions, shelter location and availability, and situational updates are distributed through local radio, television stations, and the internet.

Objective: Encourage families to develop individual evacuation plans in the event of a flood, winter storm, or wildfire.

Update: Information on preparing an individual disaster plan is provided by the McDowell County CIAD on their web site (ciad.freeservers.com), through links to the Disaster Center web page (http://www.disastercenter.com/guide/family.htm) and FEMA's website (http://www.fema.gov/areyouready). Printed materials are not currently distributed through the McDowell County CIAD. However, information on how to obtain a copy of the printed materials can be provided on request. Note: The County's Emergency Response plan has also been reviewed and updated and will continue to be reviewed and revised as needed.

Goal 2: Decrease McDowell County's vulnerability to future hazard events, particularly from flooding, severe winter storms, and wildfires, while ensuring that future development contributes to the sustainability of the communities and municipalities located within the county.

Objective: Continued evaluation, adoption, and enforcement of stricter flood plain, building code, and fire protection ordinances proven to decrease vulnerability to hazard events while encouraging development outside hazard areas and discouraging development within those areas.

Update: In response to the destruction causes by the 2001/2002 flood events, the McDowell County Commission, in the regular County Commission meeting of October 12, 2005 formally adopted stricter flood-plain /building codes. In addition, a separate floodplain management ordinance, entitled Appendix G, was adopted on October 12, 2005, as a permanent part of the building code ordinance. Newly revised floodplain maps dated June 16, 2005 were also adopted on October 12, 2005 as part of the new floodplain ordinance.

Objective: Encourage local municipalities to take a more active role in minimizing the effects of hazard events on their communities by adopting and enforcing uniform flood plain, building code, and fire protection ordinances in co-operation with county officials.

Update: The McDowell County Commission has been successful in their efforts to have municipalities adopt uniform floodplain and building code ordinances. All municipalities, with the exception of Keystone and Kimball, have formally adopted the County's building code and floodplain ordinances. Although they have not adopted the County's building code ordinance, the Town of Keystone is using the County's floodplain ordinance in an effort to regulate floodplain use.

Objective: Encourage local municipalities to utilize the services of county and state agencies assigned with the task of enforcement of flood plain, building code and fire protection ordinances in order to simplify the permitting process and ensure uniform enforcement.

Update: The McDowell County Commission has successfully integrated municipalities into the County's plan of uniform enforcement of building code and floodplain ordinances. All municipalities, except for Kimball and Keystone, are under the building code enforcement of McDowell County Redevelopment Authority (MCRA). Both towns are currently in the process of negotiating an agreement with the MCRA to enforce their building code/flood plain ordinances. In order for the MCRA to act as their code enforcement agency, the towns will have to officially adopt the County's Building Code and the County's Floodplain ordinances.

Goal 3: Increase public awareness of the hazards to which the community is vulnerable and the measures that can be taken by the community and the individuals themselves to minimize or eliminate the impact of flooding, severe winter storms, tornados and wildfires.

Objective: Make literature specific to each hazard event available at public facilities, such as libraries, government offices, post offices, etc.

Update: Upon request, the Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) distributes event-specific materials through the 911 Center to churches, social organizations, etc. for distribution to the general public. NFIP and disaster education material is available at the office of the McDowell County Redevelopment. Flood-specific literature is also provided to the public through various other governmental and non-governmental agencies and organizations such as the McDowell County Community Improvement Assessment District (CIAD), local churches, and social organizations throughout the county.

Objective: Use of local newspapers, radio, television, internet, mass mailings, social events, public meetings, churches, social organizations, public school system, law enforcement, emergency personnel and local community leaders to distribute literature and educate citizens about the hazards associated with flooding, severe winter storms, and wildfires, the impact these hazard events have on the community, the programs that are available and steps that can be taken to protect their families and homes and eliminate or minimize the impact in the event of flood, severe winter storm, or wildfire.

Update: The MCRA assists the public in obtaining information concerning map assistance and coordinates all private development on or near flood-prone areas. MCRA counsels and inspects all developments for flood plain compliance. Example: Verifies elevation of property, maintains all floodplain permits and elevation certificates, etc. as required by FEMA.

The Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) provides "Shelter in Place" training to teach students, faculty, and staff how to shelter in place and where to obtain additional information and instructions in the event of a disaster, particularly a hazardous material spill. The LEPC also provides information through public speaking and distributes informational material at social events, public meetings, churches, and

social organizations. Event-specific materials can be obtained from the LEPC upon request.

Goal 4: Minimize the loss of life, future health and safety risks to occupants and emergency rescue personnel, property damage, the need for disaster assistance, infrastructure and utility repairs, financial hardship, emotional and physical pain and suffering, and the economic impact caused by flooding.

Objective: Continue to acquire substantially damaged homes located in the floodway/floodplain using funds available through the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.

Update: To date, the County Commission has acquired an estimated 110 properties located in the unincorporated areas of the county through the FEMA Hazard Mitigation Grant Program and/or Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program. The municipalities have also acquired approximately 74 properties. MCRA consistently updates waiting lists concerning existing applications to the WV Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management (WVDHSEM) for possible future funding through the various programs. The MCRA floodplain management reports on abandoned flooded structures as well as attends various meetings concerning ongoing hazard mitigation efforts and continuing flood disaster recovery. MCRA attends all required trainings to remain certified and updated on all available information. MCRA makes its agency available to coordinate flood acquisition projects for the WVDHSEM. MCRA coordinates all audits by the State and FEMA of all closed flood projects on behalf of the County and its Municipalities. The County Commission will continue to work with the Office of Emergency Services and FEMA to submit applications for funding of projects through both the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program and Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program.

In addition the MCRA is currently working with the state and federal authorities on developing flood greenspace into usable areas such as recreational parks, community gardens etc. This is a project picked up by the Blueprint Community Team.

Objective: Continue to seek funding for acquisition on un-funded FEMA DR-1378-WV and FEMA DR-1410-WV projects as well as any other un-funded FEMA Mitigation Projects.

Objective: Continue to acquire or flood proof homes and businesses in which the habitable portion was flooded in April 1977 using funds appropriated for the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers Section 202 Tug Fork Non-Structural Flood Control Project.

Update: As the local cost-share sponsor of the McDowell County Section 202 Non-structural Flood Control Project, the County Commission has continued to explore avenues of funding to meet the local cost-share match. In a pilot project, on February 1, 2008, WV Governor Joe Manchin awarded the McDowell County Commission a Small Cities Block Grant in the amount of $100,000.00 to assist the County in meeting the local cost share match for the McDowell County Section 202 Non-structural Flood Control Project. These funds will allow the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers to access

approximately $2 Million in federal funds to voluntarily acquire homes and businesses in which the habitable portion was, or would be flooded upon the recurrence of a flood at the April 1977 level. If the pilot project is successful, funds could continue to be made available on a yearly basis.

To date, through the McDowell County Section 202 Non-structural Flood Control Project the County Commission (in conjunction with the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers) has successfully acquired approximately 38 structures, elevated 1 structure, flood-proofed 4 via methods of replacement on site, and relocated two critical structures, including a town hall/fire station and a school. Several additional structures are currently in various stages of acquisition, flood proofing, or relocation, including two additional schools currently in the stages of planning, site preparation and construction.

Note: In addition to the mitigation strategies previously listed, the McDowell County Commission is currently in the planning phase of a voluntary demolition project. If successful, the project will result in the demolition of hundreds of abandoned structures throughout the county, including structures located in the municipalities. While the county is not specifically targeting structures in the floodplain, many of the abandoned structures are located in floodplain. Demolition of the structures in the floodplain (particularly those located in the floodway) will have a positive effect and substantially reduce the impact of future flood events. Landowners will retain title to the real property; however, any future development of the property must comply with the County and/or Municipal flood plain and building code ordinances.

Objective: Continue to work with Senator Byrd and Congress to expand the U. S. Army Corps of Engineers Section 202 Tug Fork Non-Structural Flood Control Project to include the July 2001 and May 2002 flood events.

Update: Although originally based strictly on the April 1977 flood, the County Commission, in response to the 2001 and 2002 floods, requested Senator Robert C. Byrd's assistance to expand the McDowell County Section 202 Non-structural Flood Control Project to include the events of July 2001 and May 2002. In 2007, Senator Byrd successfully pushed legislation through Congress to authorize expansion of the project to include structures in which the habitable portion was or would be flooded upon the recurrence of a flood at the April 1977, July 2001, May 2002, or 100 year flood elevations, whichever is greater. This legislation, when funded, will authorize the Corps of Engineers to prepare a study which will determine the eligible structures.

Objective: Encourage landowners to purchase sufficient flood insurance to cover their structures and contents in the event of a flood.

Update: NFIP Brochures, as well as other flood-related materials are made available through McDowell County Redevelopment Authority and the McDowell County Community Improvement Assessment District (CIAD).

Objective: Explore options and funds available for development of infrastructure and construction of new homes, built in compliance with building codes and floodplain management ordinances, thereby giving residents the opportunity to live in homes relatively safe from damage resulting from flooding and various other hazards such as earthquakes, forest fires, and severe winter storms, etc.

Anawalt

Goal 1: Protect the Town of Anawalt and the Surrounding Communities by Reducing the Impact of Future Flooding.

Objective: Acquire property, along the floodplain to ensure the restoration of natural areas to prevent damage due to floodwaters.

Update: Many of the homes along the floodplain, in Witten Bottom, was either destroyed or condemned and torn down, due to the July, 2001 flood. The majority of this property has been purchased by Anawalt through the Mitigation Buyout Program. No new construction will be allowed in the floodplain. Minimal damage to Anawalt and property downstream, during the May, 2002 flood proved this was a positive step.

Objective: Strictly enforce approved Building Codes and proper floodplain management.

Update: The Town of Anawalt was working with Robert Perry, a representative from the National Flood Insurance Program, in order to return Anawalt to the program, when the July 2001 flood occurred. We are now members of the NFIP and are following all rules and regulations to ensure flood protection in our town.

Objective: Re-channel the riverbed to where it originally flowed, in areas which was changed due to housing developments.

Update: These homes were destroyed due to the July, 2001 flood and will not be rebuilt. This property now belongs to the Town.

Objective: Continue to seek funding to purchase additional properties located in the floodplain in order to prevent future construction in those areas.

Objective: Develop a watershed for Little Creek and Tug Fork River. *Also discussed in Goal 3.*

Objective: Develop wetlands by planting natural grasses, shrubs and trees to slow down the flow and force of the river during flooding. *Also Discussed in Goal 3.*

Objective: Utilize property purchased through the mitigation buyout program, for a recreational area, such as a rustic camping ground in order to improve the economy in Anawalt. *Also Discussed in Goal 3.*

Objective: Study possibilities of a dry dam in areas purchased along the floodway.

Objective: Strictly enforce approved Building Codes and proper floodplain management.

Objective: Control storm water through better management of drains and ditch lines to contain runoff from our rugged terrain.

Objective: Identify funding for a Sewer System for Anawalt. Work with the County to install a system in the communities surrounding the Town of Anawalt.

Update: One of the concerns the Town had during the July, 2001 flood was the health risks of our citizens due to raw sewage running into their homes. Woolpert Engineering Inc. has completed a study for a Septic System for the Town of Anawalt. This study needs to be updated. The Mayor has also met with Henry Paul, the Mayor of Gary, to discuss connecting sewer lines from this area to his Septic System. It appears this would be the most cost effective way of developing a sewer system for the Town of Anawalt.

Objective: Seek funding to accomplish this Goal.

Goal 2: Establish an Emergency Plan for the Safety of Citizens and for Evacuation during Flooding, and Sever Storms.

Objective: Prepare a comprehensive, detailed written plan of action during all types of emergencies and disasters for Anawalt and surrounding communities. Keep the plan simple to remember and understand during the confusion of emergencies.

Update: Anawalt serves approximately 1500 people due to being the closest town to Jenkinjones, Conklin Town, O'tool, Leckie, Little Creek, and Pageton.

Objective: Incorporate McDowell County Emergency response and recovery plan with the Town's local plan of action, realizing that Anawalt will have to handle immediate emergencies itself.

Objective: Distribute the "Getting Ready" Family Emergency Guide to every family in Anawalt and surrounding communities.
Update: The Town has obtained pamphlets from the West Virginia Emergency Center and is in the process of distributing them. Local Emergency contacts and important numbers have been added and will be kept updated.

Objective: Establish and maintain a central Emergency Shelter in Anawalt.

Update: Residents used the Community Room for an Emergency Shelter during the July, 2001 flood and are in the process of adding to this facility.

Objective: Establish satellite shelters in areas which may be "cut off" from Anawalt and other parts of McDowell County, such as Jenkinjones, Blackwolf, and Pageton.

Update: The Town is in the process of working with local churches that are located out of the floodplain to provide shelter facilities. Two of the shelters now serve as food pantries. Generators will be placed in each shelter.

Objective: Mark evacuation routes for each community, street and road, making sure these areas are kept clear of obstructions at all times.

Objective: Mark "base flood levels" where they are immediately visible to keep citizens aware of how high water can become in these areas.

Objective: Develop a plan of action, to have on call, our local nurse, nurse practitioner, and EMT in case of an emergency.

Update: The citizens of Anawalt worked together to establish a community clinic which is owned by the Town and staffed by Tug River Health Association. The facility recently obtained a defibrillator for heart attack victims.

Objective: Develop a plan to account for all citizens.

Update: The Town now has in place an Elder Care Program in which senior citizens, persons living alone, or anyone handicapped, are called on a daily basis during severe storms or other emergency situations. Volunteers and town employees handle any needs they may have at that time.

Objective: Establish community educational programs for citizens, explaining emergency plans. Make citizens aware of programs such as: Storm Watch, The Storm Ready Program, CTP, Flood Recovery Assistance (DWR), and resources that may help keep emergencies from becoming disasters.

Objective: Implement a detailed "long term recovery and response plan for after the event" to help citizens gain control over their future.

Update: Many of Anawalt's residents were dislocated during the July, 2001 flood. Town officials maintain a list of these residents at Town Hall with numbers where they can be contacted. This important step kept them in touch with resources they needed. The Town continues to update this list.

Goal 3: Plan long term use of property along the floodplain to decrease the impact of future flooding, while increasing the economy in order to promote the Town of Anawalt's sustainability.

Objective: Future construction will not be allowed in areas purchased through the mitigation buyout program. Proper building codes will be strictly enforced on private property within the municipal limits.

Objective: Develop a watershed association for Little Creek and Tug Fork River.

Update: To ensure the association's success, we will ask flood survivors to help with the project. In this way, they will have "ownership" over their own "flood prevention plan". We have ordered and received resource materials to begin this process.

Objective: Develop a Sewer System. The sewage from our area could be "gravity fed" to the Gary system, or on to the Welch system. This would cost less than installing a Sewage Treatment Plant in the Anawalt area.

Objective: Utilize property which was purchased through the mitigation buyout program for a recreational area, such as a rustic camping ground in order to improve the economy in Anawalt.

Update: Local rivers are well known for trout fishing; however, due to the raw sewage running into the streams the fish cannot be eaten. Cleaning up local rivers and streams would contribute to the possibility of attracting tourism.

Objective: Establish Hunting Expeditions. *Due to our abundance of wildlife, this would promote an economic increase for the Town.*

Objective: Establish a Wildlife Habitat Development in areas purchased along the floodplain, returning this area to a more natural state in order to protect the environment.

Objective: Utilize the abandoned railroad for trails.

Update: Community officials have met with representatives from Rails to Trails to help implement this project. The Town could also develop trails for river walks after local rivers are free of sewage.

Objective: Study the possibilities of a dry dam in areas purchased along the floodplain in order to retain and control flood water.

Bradshaw

Goal 1: Reduce hazard risk to citizens' lives and property

Objective: Increase control over development in the flood plain to prevent increases in flood velocities and levels that endanger people and property

Objective: Ensure that emergency services are adequate to protect public health and safety

Goal 2: Avoid the risks of the flood plain

Objective: Establish stricter building codes to ensure that structures are being built in a way that minimizes damage from natural hazards

Objective: Require increased elevation of new or substantially improved residential construction within the flood plain

Davy

Goal 1: Decrease the community's vulnerability to future hazard events.

Objective: Ensure that emergency services are adequate to protect public health and safety

Objective: Informs citizens of possible hazards and possible solutions to prevent or reduce exposure to the threats

Goal 2: Reduce hazard risks to citizen's lives and property

Objective: Formally adopt and implement both state and county emergency response plans and update as necessary

Goal 3: Increase public awareness of natural hazards

Objective: Disseminate informational FEMA/OES brochures to citizens

Objective: Inform citizens of county and statewide emergency plans/procedures and maintain compliance with such documents

Gary

Goal 1: Flood prevention

Objective: Remove vegetation and debris from river to facilitate water flow

Objective: Prohibit building of structures in flood-prone areas

Goal 2: Increase severe winter storm preparedness

Objective: Maintain roadways and streets to facilitate safe travel

Iaeger

Goal 1: Decrease the community's vulnerability to flood hazard events.

Objective: Participate in FEMA/OES and Corps mitigation programs

Objective: Enforce floodplain ordinance

Goal 2: Increase public education regarding natural hazards.

Objective: Distribute educational brochures at public locations.

Objective: Conduct public meetings to discuss those hazards relevant to the municipality.

Keystone

Goal 1: Control water hazards posed by mountain runoff and creek flow

Objective: Install pipelines to divert runoff from higher elevations away from the community

Objective: Clear creek of debris that impedes the flow of water (ex: trash, vegetation, tree stumps)

Objective: Encourage individuals to elevate their homes above flood hazard levels

Goal 2: Decrease flood damage through education and public outreach

Objective: Utilize public awareness campaigns via local radio, television, newspapers, and personal contact to inform of potential health and flooding hazards

Objective: Inform citizens of future community plans

Kimball

Goal 1: Decrease the community's vulnerability to flood hazard events.

Objective: Encourage individuals to elevate their homes above flood hazard levels

Goal 2: Ensure that emergency response plans and equipment are sufficient to protect the citizens and their property

Objective: Formally adopt and implement both state and county emergency response plans and update as necessary

Northfork

Goal 1: Decrease flood damage through education and public outreach

Objective: Utilize public awareness campaigns via local radio, television, newspapers, and personal contact to inform of potential health and flooding hazards

Objective: Inform citizens of future community plans

Goal 2: Decrease the community's vulnerability to flood hazard events.

Objective: Participate in FEMA/OES and Corps mitigation programs

Objective: Enforce floodplain ordinance

War

Goal 1: Decrease the likelihood that a future flood becomes a natural disaster.

This goal is very important since most of the town is in the flood plain. We have gotten permission in the past to dredge the Dry Fork River and have done so. It is understood that the Corps of Engineers/FEMA will again dredge the River during 2003/2004. The City of War expects to do additional work in the River during 2003.

Objective: The City of War will apply, within the month of March, for dredging of the Dry Fork River within the boundary of the City of War, and, then, accomplish the dredging by the end of August.

During 2002, the City dredged the Dry Fork River within the bounds of the City. This helped in alleviating the flooding during May, 2002. The City also has three new bridges crossing the Dry Fork, which are higher, wider, and dredging was done under these bridges when construction was in progress.

Objective: The City of War will clear debris, during the summer of 2003, from the banks of the Dry Fork River within the boundary of the City of War, including protruding trees, debris in general, and other impediments to the natural flow of water.

This was accomplished in 2002, but will again be done to further improve the flow of water.

Goal 2: Ensure that future development contributes to the community's sustainability over time.

The City of War has a new sewer system, which began operating in 2000. This has improved the quality of life for citizens. Presently, we are in the process of acquiring the water system, and, if approved, intend to move to obtain grants for the replacement of the 80 year old system.

Objective: The City of War will purchase the War Water Works, Inc. during the Summer of 2003, and will immediately begin to improve water distribution to homes in the City.

Portions of the homes in the City have one inch water lines to their streets. These will be replaced with four inch lines as soon as the City acquires the water company.

Objective: The City of War will begin to work with Region I Planning and Development Council to apply for grants for a new water system. A feasibility study, completed by Draper Aden Associates in Blacksburg, has already been submitted to the WV Public Service Commission.

Goal 3: Increase public awareness of hazard mitigation activities and strategies – particularly in relation to floods and severe winter storms.

The City, along with the War Fire Department, McDowell Ambulance Authority, and Dry Fork Rescue Squad will develop and implement a public awareness campaign to assist in mitigating damage from floods, severe winter storms, and area wildfires that create health hazards for citizens with respiratory problems. Wildfires, in the past, have not created potential damage to homes and businesses from the standpoint of structure fires.

Objective: The City of War, along with the War Fire Department, the McDowell Ambulance Authority, the War Police, War Light, Power, and Water, and the Dry Fork Rescue Squad (War Emergency Task Force), will develop and implement a public awareness campaign to assist in mitigating damage from floods, severe winter storms, and area wildfires that create health hazards for citizens with respiratory problems. This campaign will include plans for an early warning system in relation to potential disasters.

This plan of action will be in place by the end of May, 2003, and will result in a flyer which will be distributed to all citizens by July 1, 2003. Bi-monthly meetings of the task force will be held.

Objective: Prohibit development in areas vulnerable to flooding.
The City of War will follow FEMA guidelines in relation to future non-development in flood plain zones, as well as guidelines and policies of the McDowell County Redevelopment Authority.

Objective: Participate in the Community Rating System to help monitor hazard mitigation efforts and to improve the affordability of flood insurance for citizens.

Objective: Establish stricter building codes to ensure that structures are being built in a way that minimizes damage from natural resources.
The City of War subscribes to the building codes of the McDowell County Redevelopment Authority, and all construction and improvements must adhere to these codes. The City of War works closely with the Redevelopment Authority to enforce these codes. This includes requiring increased elevation of new or substantially improved residential construction within the flood plain.

Objective: The City will continue to be involved with the McDowell County Redevelopment Authority and the WV Office of Emergency Services in the

implementation of FEMA-DR-1410-WV Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP), in order to mitigate structures that were recently damaged in flooding in the City.

Goal 4: Protect the quality of groundwater resources.

The War Water Company, Inc. is not owned by the City. The sources of groundwater are not, at present, protected.

Objective: The City of War will acquire the War Water Works, Inc. by the end of the Summer of 2003, and will immediately secure the groundwater sources for water supply for the City of War. The City will encourage War Water Works, Inc. to complete this before acquisition.

Objective: The City of begin to work with the Region I and Planning Development Council to develop grant documents for a new water system, as soon as acquisition of the War water system is accomplished.

Objective: The City of War will develop an Emergency Response Team for groundwater resources that will include residents, the City of War, and War Water Works, Inc. to ensure that potential groundwater contamination is prevented. This will be accomplished by June, 2003.

Welch

Goal 1: To locate any and all new development outside the flood plain and to encourage acquisition of flood plain occupied properties

Objective: To continue an active working relationship with the U.S. Corp of Engineers, FEMA, the McDowell County Redevelopment Office/Flood Plain Coordinator and the West Virginia Conservation Agency. We will actively enforce, and assist federal agencies with the acquisition and demolition of any structures in the flood plain in an effort to protect and maintain open space as a method of flood proofing, thus prohibiting any new development within the flood plain boundary.

Objective: We are presently pursuing infrastructure funding for sewer and water utilities to locations outside the flood plain; i.e. Toms Mountain Site and the Indian Ridge Industrial Park Site. Both of these properties are sizeable and have tremendous possibilities for growth and expansion of residential, commercial and industrial structures with the proper infrastructure in place. We are presently working with Senator Robert C. Byrd on funding for the Indian Ridge Industrial Park.

Objective: The City of Welch has consistently worked toward flood plain enforcement since the adoption of a Flood Plain Management Ordinance on new construction and rehabilitation of existing structures in the established flood plain by the Council of the City of Welch, West Virginia, August 30, 1983 and amended in December 7, 1992. The City has operated under and enforced flood plain management since that time. Following the July 8, 2001 flood which devastated parts of southern West Virginia,

including McDowell County, the Council of the City of Welch voted to work with and support the McDowell County Redevelopment Authority in its efforts toward code enforcement through the Flood Plain Coordinator's Office. As a result of this action by the Council, all building permits previously handled by the City are now channeled through the McDowell County Redevelopment Authority-Flood Plain Coordinator's Office. The City is in the process of strengthening our existing Flood Plain Ordinance to absolutely prohibit the construction of any new building within the flood plain on properties that were lost by flooding or through demolition as a result of the July 8, 2001 and May 2, 2002 floods. Presently, the Corps of Engineers allow raised or elevated structures to be erected within the flood plain on properties where they have performed demolition of buildings for the purpose of flood proofing based on the 1977 flood. However, amendments to our Flood Plain Ordinance will prohibit any such construction pertaining to properties in the 2001 and 2002 floods.

Goal 2: To encourage any flood proofing, i.e., flood walls, vacuum sealed doorways, windows, etc. where warranted.

Objective: The existing Welch Municipal Building and McDowell Public Library are examples of these efforts on behalf of FEMA and the City of Welch to curtail any future flooding on the governmental complex. Both of these entities were devastated with severe flooding on May 2, 2002 and we are actively working with FEMA to flood proof these structures. The plans are for this work to be completed within the spring/summer of 2003. FEMA and I have met with an architect to begin this process.

Objective: For those individuals and businesses who are not in a position to relocate or be acquired by a government agency for flood related purposes, yet wish to improve the conditions of their building according to flood plain guidelines, emphasis will be placed on flood proofing. This can be accomplished by installing vacuum sealed doors and windows as well as elevation of critical space, land, materials and equipment in order to minimize future loss.

STATEMENT OF FACT: It should also be noted that the City of Welch initiated the construction of a flood wall at the McDowell Street/ Norfolk & Southern underpass. We worked with the West Virginia Department of Transportation/Division of Highways to see this project to completion in 1996. The city maintains the pumps at the wall and closes the gate when high water is inevitable. Our policy is to close the gate early. It was understood during the engineering phase of the project that this flood wall would not contain a flood equal to or greater than the 1977 flood. However, until the flooding of 2001 and 2002, this wall performed as it was designed and constructed to do, preventing any flooding in our community until these last two floods of record.

Goal 3: Storm water management.

Objective: Solicitation of additional Inflow and Infiltration Funding. The present wastewater system serving the City of Welch is a combined sewer/storm system. The City of Welch remains under a Federal Consent Decree to install a permitted wastewater

system. Our wastewater treatment plant went on line in December 1997 and we continue to move forward. We applied, through Region I Planning and Development Council, for funding of Small City Block Grant Funds and had been awarded SCBG funding to continue removal of storm water from our wastewater lines. The flood of May 2, 2002 caused postponement of the work due to the devastation of our collection lines in the river and the overall extensive flood damage of our town. Some of these dollars have been approved, through the Governor's Office, for use of some flood recovery efforts at our municipal parking building and our City Hall Complex.

Goal 4: Education

Objective: The objective of this goal is quite obvious. Educating our citizens about the pitfalls of living in the flood plain should be foremost. We will inform our people through the media, WELC Radio, The Welch News, etc., as well as utilizing any brochures and propaganda available. We will offer educational information pertaining to flood prevention and ways to avoid hardships, losses or tragedies associated with flooding.

Objective: Flood Prevention/Information will be placed on the Agenda of all regular Welch City Council Meetings in an effort to let the public know that we, as a governing body, are always available and willing to listen or help with their flood related concerns. I, as mayor, as well as city personnel will be available for any scheduled opportunity to inform/educate our citizens about the importance of flood prevention, the hazards and hardships associated with the potential to flood and the action to take in case the event of a flood should be forecast or should occur.

Mercer County

Goal 1: Decrease flood vulnerability through various structural projects

Objective: Remove partial stream blockages (debris, vegetation, etc.) that impede stream flow

Objective: Maintain and return streams to original contour through channelization procedures

Goal 2: Minimize community flood vulnerability through increased County regulation

Objective: Encourage growth in areas suitable for development while discouraging growth in flood prone regions

Objective: Increase enforcement of flood plain ordinance

Goal 3: Increase public education of flood hazards and County ordinances

Objective: Educate public on mitigation methods through the use of local newspapers, television, and FEMA/OES literature

Objective: Educate citizens of hazards posed when located in flood hazard areas

Athens

Goal 1: Decrease the community's vulnerability to future hazard events.

Objective: Ensure that emergency services are adequate to protect public health and safety

Objective: Informs citizens of possible hazards and possible solutions to prevent or reduce exposure to the threats

Goal 2: Reduce hazard risks to citizen's lives and property

Objective: Formally adopt and implement both state and county emergency response plans and update as necessary

Goal 3: Increase public awareness of natural hazards

Objective: Disseminate informational FEMA/OES brochures to citizens

Objective: Inform citizens of county and statewide emergency plans/procedures and maintain compliance with such documents

Bluefield

Goal 1: Provide emergency vehicles and other services to the Midway section of the City

Objective: Explore options to replace existing insufficient culvert

Objective: Consider other routes to the Midway area for alternate access

Goal 2: Eliminate storm water runoff accumulations in various sections of the City

Objective: Acquire updated hydrologic analysis for the entire City

Objective: Engage in cooperating partnerships with local colleges and universities to obtain assistance and software capabilities

Objective: Prioritize city projects to facilitate in the replacement/upgrade of culverts and drainage measures

Goal 3: Improve public education and awareness of relevant hazards

Objective: Distribute literature from FEMA and the WV Office of Emergency Services

Objective: Hold public meetings to increase public participation

Goal 3: Ensure excellent emergency services throughout the municipality

Objective: Adopt and follow the County Emergency Services Plan upon completion by the L.E.P.C.

Bramwell

Goal 1: To improve communications between local, county, and state emergency personnel and local law enforcement personnel.

Objective: Purchase four mobile 100 watt high band radios so the Police Dept. may have direct communications with Fire and EMS.

Objective: Purchase four portable high band hand held radios so the Police Dept. may have direct communication with Fire and EMS.

Goal 2: Reduce the risk to life and property in the event of dam failure.

Objective: Seek funding to improve and upgrade local reservoir spillways to comply with Federal safety standards.

Goal 3: Reduce the risks to life and property in the event of a flooding event.

Objective: Conduct feasibility studies to explore the possibilities of constructing a Flood Containment Wall to protect areas of the community that are in the floodplain.

Goal 4: Improve wildfire fighter effectiveness in extinguishing brushfires.

Objective: Purchase three leaf blowers to replace outdated and broken ones

Objective: Purchase ten fire rakes to replace lost or broken ones.

Objective: Purchase three 5-gallon backpack pumps to extinguish hot spots.

Goal 5: Enable first responders to enter a hazardous materials scene.

Objective: Purchase three self-contained breathing apparatuses to enable responders to render assistance in containing hazardous materials or assisting victims at a HAZMAT scene.

Objective: Purchase twenty-five Tyvek hooded jumpsuits to reduce responder exposure to hazardous materials.

Matoaka

Goal 1: Decrease the Town's vulnerability to future hazard events

Objective: Implement a public awareness campaign to educate our citizens of the possible hazards associated with locating in floodways and floodplains and measures that can be taken to lessen impacts of future floods

Objective: Ensure that emergency services are adequate to protect public health and safety

Goal 2: Reduce hazard risk to citizens' lives and properties

Objective: Participate in FEMA "buyout" program to remove people and property from harm's way

Objective: Increase control over development in the floodplain and floodway to prevent increases in flood velocities and levels that endanger both people and property

Objective: Participate in the Community Rating System to help monitor hazard mitigation efforts and to improve the affordability of flood insurance for our citizens

Oakvale

Goal 1: Prevention of flooding to homes in floodway

Objective: Revise local building and development ordinances to implement stricter building codes

Objective: Prohibit building and development in areas vulnerable to flooding

Objective: Implement stricter building codes that call for two feet of freeboard above base flood elevation on all new construction

Objective: Remove debris in order to reduce stream blockages

Objective: Restore stream to original, natural contour

Goal 2: Increase public awareness of wildfires and other natural hazards

Objective: Develop public information and awareness campaigns for community outreach and education

Objective: Coordinate early warning systems within the community to facilitate appropriate evacuation and/or preparedness measures

Objective: Enforce appropriate mitigation measures for wildfire and other natural hazards

Princeton

Goal 1: Minimize the impacts of flooding, which includes harm to citizens, and/or loss of life, damage to property, and disruption in commerce and governmental services

Objective: Develop plans to better manage storm water in the flood plain and areas susceptible to flooding

Objective: Identify possible funding sources and work with state and federal agencies to construct capital improvements (according to developed plans) that minimize the impacts of flooding

Goal 2: Increase public awareness of the Storm Water Management Act and the associated mitigation activities and strategies

Objective: Develop and identify the best methods and plans and work to implement the criteria and requirements of the Storm Water Management Act as required by federal law

Monroe County

Goal 1: To reduce loss of life and property from Flood in the County.

Objective: To minimize Flood damage in the 100 year floodplain, especially along the Rich and Brush Creeks.

Action: By working with current floodplain property owners to acquire the repetitive-loss structures. This Mitigation Action would include seeking funds from FEMA under the HMGP. Emphasis would be given to previously un-funded HMGP applications.

Action: By promoting awareness of FEMA regulations among the public and elected officials through local outreach programs.

Action: By informing the public of cave-related hazard sites and risks through better signage and outreach programs.

Action: By investigating 'waterway channelization' as a proactive flood control policy (Stream Maintenance). This Mitigation Action would include investigating feasibility of a River Management Commission (liability, political support, funding, etc.).

Action: By continuing to enforce current floodplain regulations.

Goal 2: To reduce loss of life and property from Severe Winter Storm or Hailstorm in the County.

Objective: To minimize direct and resulting damage from Storm, especially in Peterstown and Union.

Action: By securing effected roadsides and stream banks against resulting snowslips and landslides or land subsidence.

Action: By undertaking storm-drain repair and maintenance in the snow affected areas of the municipalities. Although existing floodplain regulations are being enforced for all new construction, neither the County nor any of its municipalities have building codes or zoning ordinances. Peterstown does have some restrictions on mobile homes. Thus, the only regulatory mechanism is the set of floodplain regulations. In view of the absence of significant development pressures, this regulatory environment (or lack of it) is unlikely to change in the near future. Creation of new codes and ordinances to regulate growth for the greater communal good was considered as a potential Mitigation Action; however it was felt that such an action would meet with strong local opposition and was hence abandoned.

Note that the Statewide Flood Protection Plan recommends that "any County with Karst topography develop specific ordinances to protect the Karst topography and groundwater supply from the effects of excessive stormwater" (WV Conservation Agency et al. Statewide Flood Protection Plan: storm water management. pp. 6-15. 2002).

Raleigh County

Goal: To reduce the loss of life and property from flood in the County.

Objective: To minimize flood damage in the special flood hazard area, especially along the Clear Fork, Marsh Fork, Tommy, and White Stick Creeks.

Action: By working with current floodplain property owners to acquire their structures. This mitigation action would include seeking funds from FEMA under the HMGP. Emphasis would be given to previously un-funded HMGP application.

Action: By securing effected stream banks and roadsides against resulting landslide.

Action: By monitoring hazardous abandoned mine sites for possible reclamation.

Action: By flood-protecting treatment plants located in the floodplain.

Action: By developing and distributing public awareness materials about flood risks and preparedness.

Summers County

The Summers County Commission, having reviewed the sample goals and objectives included in the Local Hazard Mitigation Planning Workbook, finds these mitigation measures common to the interest of Summers County and wishes to continue the implementation of these practices into standard operational procedures. Additionally, the Summers County Commission wishes to add the following goals and objectives to the Summers County Hazard Mitigation Plan.

Goal 1: Minimize the loss of life, damage to property, and disruption in commerce and governmental services posed by flooding.

Objective: Review existing floodplain management practices, and revise as necessary.

Objective: Seek an alternate access route to Summers County Appalachian Regional Hospital.

Update: A restricted use alternate access road has been completed.

Note: although the Bluestone Dam is structurally sound and in full regulatory compliance, it is currently being improved upon by the U.S. Corps of Engineers to provide additional flood protection and safety measures. The elevation and expansion of retention structures, as well as the installation of additional reinforcement anchoring systems, provide additional security measures to minimize overflow or structural failure events.

Goal 2: Increase the availability of emergency shelters

Objective: Seek funding for and stockpile shelter supplies

Update: Continuing cooperative efforts with the City of Hinton, American Red Cross and other NGOs has resulted in the following accomplishments:

ARC has stockpiled 50 cots.
County OEM has obtained approx. 2000 blankets.
City of Hinton is providing storage space for the aforementioned items.

Objective: Work with the American Red Cross and local volunteers to establish well-trained shelter management staffs.\

Update: The County is continuing cooperation with ARC to enlist & train volunteers.

Goal 3: Increase effectiveness of local emergency response agencies.

Objective: Assist local agencies in locating and obtaining additional training, equipment and funding.

Update: The County continues to advise local agencies of funding opportunities relevant to their respective missions. Additionally, the County continues to assist with grant preparation when requested.

Goal 4: Increase public awareness of natural hazards and the methods available to reduce the possible losses.

Objective: Increase public education efforts by such means as:

a. Establish a speaker's bureau available to any interested group
b. Seasonal Public Service Announcements

Goal 5: Take proactive measures to remove homes from hazard areas.

Objective: Participate in HMGP projects

Objective: Apply for grant funding to acquire, elevate, or relocate structures in hazard-prone areas.

Hinton

Goal 1: Minimizing disruption of emergency health care at Summers County Hospital

Objective: To ensure public health and safety are readily available and obtainable to citizens by finding an alternative access to the medical facility during flooding.

Goal 2: Decreasing the community's vulnerability to gasoline and/or propane hazards or disasters at R.T. Rogers Oil Company.

Objective: To provide training to local emergency service personnel when dealing with gasoline and/or propane hazards or disasters.

Objective: To provide a dry sprinkler system on property where gasoline and/or propane storage is located.

Objective: To improve the notification plan of possible hazards and/or disasters to citizens and nearby elementary school.

Goal 3: Avoiding the possibility of train/automobile collisions at the Summers County High School railroad crossing.

Objective: To build a safer access to Summers County High School that will eliminate the possibility of collisions and possible loss of life.

Goal 4: Take proactive measures to remove homes from hazard areas.

Objective: Participate in HMGP projects

Objective: Apply for grant funding to acquire, elevate, or relocate structures in hazard-prone areas.

Wyoming County

Goal 1: To reduce loss of life and property from Flood in the County.

Objective: To minimize Flood damage in the 100 year floodplain, especially from the Guyandotte River, Clear Creek and Laurel Creek.

Action: By working with current floodplain property owners to acquire their structures. This Mitigation Action would include seeking funds from FEMA under the HMGP. Emphasis would be given to previously un-funded HMGP applications.

Action: By securing effected stream banks and roadsides against resulting landslides.

Action: By reclaiming hazardous abandoned mine sites to check run-off.

Action: By flood protecting treatment plants located in the floodplain.

Action: By promoting awareness of FEMA regulations among the public through out-reach programs.

Action: By easing floodplain management through use of appropriate technology.

Action: By further linking the building permitting process with compliance of floodplain regulations.

Action: By investigating 'waterway channelization' as a proactive flood control policy ('Stream Maintenance'). This Mitigation Action would include investigating feasibility of a River Management Commission (liability, political support, funding, etc.).

Action: By continuing to enforce current floodplain regulations.

Goal 2: To reduce loss of life and property from Severe Winter Storm or Hailstorm in the County.

Objective: To minimize direct and resulting damage from Storm, especially in Mullens, Oceana and Pineville.

Action: By undertaking storm-drain repair and maintenance in the snow affected areas of the 3 municipalities.

Action: By securing effected roadsides against resulting snowslips and landslides.

Note that although currently none of the 3 municipalities or the County have building codes, floodplain ordinances are being enforced for all new construction. The strengthening of existing ordinances or creating new building codes, to regulate development in the floodplain was considered as a potential Mitigation Action. However, it was felt that such an action would meet with strong local opposition, and hence abandoned. Also, note that the risk from abandoned mine sites was addressed along with the risk from flood.

B. Mitigation Strategies

The aforementioned goals and objectives were deemed the most appropriate in achieving the desired mitigation results. Multiple options were discussed and proposed, but only those suitable for meeting the mitigation criteria were included in the Hazard Mitigation Plan. Although all goals listed may not come to fruition, they are all feasible and address the major concerns of the proposing communities.

C. Implementation of Mitigation Strategies/Funding (Methodology)

The mitigation strategies chosen for inclusion in the original Hazard Mitigation Plans are those options that will potentially yield the most favorable benefit-to-cost ratio. Strategies ranging from HMGP participation to public education have tremendous potential for reducing or eliminating the effects of natural hazards on the local communities. The strategies listed are those that have been equally identified as the highest priority and that will be the most aggressively pursued. Prioritizations for strategies were completed by county/municipal officials and are based on the goals and objectives of the county or respective town/city. The strategies listed are indicative of probable solutions to minimizing the threat(s) imposed on the communities and have therefore been assigned high priority and included for description in the Plan. These strategies have been analyzed by community officials and are still valid for the regional Hazard Mitigation Plan.

In order to achieve the desired mitigation goals and objectives, the following strategies have been/will be implemented:

McDowell County

1. Lobby for additional political support and funding to procure emergency response equipment.

2. Distribute informational literature and public locations (schools, town halls, courthouse facilities, libraries, etc.).

3. Continue participation in Corp and FEMA mitigation programs.

4. Participate in FEMA Pre-disaster mitigation programs once available.

5. Encourage stricter enforcement of floodplain and construction ordinances.

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the County, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD SCBG, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the County continues to actively participate in both the Corps 202 Program as well as the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program to acquire flood-prone properties.

Anawalt

Please refer to the attached Mitigation Plan for the Town of Anawalt.

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the municipality has submitted an application for HMGP 1410 funding.

Bradshaw

1. Increase enforcement and implementation of stricter floodplain and building ordinances.

2. Continue participation in HMGP programs (HMGP 1410 application unfunded due to inadequate funds).

3. Increase public education and participation in mitigation measures.

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the municipality has submitted an application for HMGP 1410 funding.

Davy

1. Distribute FEMA/OES literature at public locations such as schools, churches, libraries, town hall, etc.

2. Adopt and update the McDowell County Emergency Response plan as needed.

3. Increase floodplain ordinance regulation.

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the municipality has submitted an application for HMGP 1410 funding.

Gary

1. Establish work groups to remove debris from local streams/rivers.

2. Increase maintenance/reduce response time for highway maintenance during snowstorm events.

3. Increase floodplain regulation.

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the municipality has submitted an application for HMGP 1410 funding.

Iaeger

1. Continue participation in FEMA Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (1410 application submitted; not awarded due to lack of funding)

2. Distribute educational FEMA/OES brochures at town hall and other public facilities

3. Increase floodplain regulation enforcement

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the municipality has submitted an application for HMGP 1410 funding.

Keystone

1. Seek funding to acquire pipes to be used to alleviate runoff flooding

2. Form work groups to clear debris from streambeds and floodplains

3. Utilize local media sources to distribute information and advertise informational public meetings

4. Increase enforcement of floodplain regulations

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the municipality has submitted an application for HMGP 1410 funding.

Kimball

1. Increase enforcement of floodplain regulations

2. Follow county and state emergency response guidelines and suggestions

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the

internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the municipality has submitted an application for HMGP 1410 funding.

Northfork

1. Continue to participate in FEMA/OES mitigation programs. HMGP 1410 application submitted; not awarded due to insufficient funding.

2. Increase enforcement of floodplain ordinances

3. Distribute FEMA/OES literature and public locations to increase community awareness of local hazards.

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the municipality has submitted an application for HMGP 1410 funding.

War

1. The City of War subscribes to the planning/zoning requirements of the McDowell County Redevelopment Authority.

2. The City of War has a newly built Sanitation Sewage Treatment Plant, with new lines from homes and with separation of storm water management. The storm water management system appears to be adequate for emergencies.

3. The City of War has signed a contract with FEMA to meet flood plain regulations in relation to future flooding.

4. The City of War is working with the WV Office of Emergency Services to have FEMA acquire property damaged in the most recent flooding.

5. The McDowell County Redevelopment Authority does not allow construction in flood plain areas. The City subscribes to these policies.

6. The City will dredge the Dry Fork River to help prevent property damage to homes and businesses.

7. The City will develop and implement a public education and awareness program, which will be distributed to all citizens.

8. The City will distribute the program to all parents in Big Creek District through the McDowell County Schools.

9. The City will promote public awareness of the program through local media.

10. The City of War will work with all emergency service entities to ensure compliance with county and local policies and procedures.

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the municipality has submitted an application for HMGP 1410 funding.

Welch

1. Continue participation in FEMA/OES mitigation programs

2. Participate in Pre-disaster mitigation programs once implemented by WV Office of Emergency Services
3. Continue enforcement of floodplain regulation ordinance

4. Encourage additional flood-proofing measures to all homes/businesses located in flood hazard areas

4. Adopt stricter building codes to prohibit any development in flood hazard areas

5. Continue to seek funding to separate storm water removal from municipal wastewater lines

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the municipality has submitted an application for HMGP 1410 funding.

Mercer County

1. Increase floodplain regulation enforcement
   Seek additional funding for additional permit officers

2. Participate in Hazard Mitigation Grant Program(s)
   HMGP 1378 application submitted
   HMGF 1410 application submitted and under review

3. Participate in Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program once implemented by FEMA and WV Office of Emergency Services

4. Regular removal of stream debris blockages

5. Explore possibilities of cooperation with Turnpike Commission for installation of retention ponds along major transportation routes

6. Continue to seek additional funding for increased emergency response equipment

7. Facilitate public awareness through the distribution of educational literature at public locations (libraries, city halls, schools, courthouse offices, etc.)

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the County, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the County continues to actively participate in the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program to acquire flood-prone properties.

Athens

1. Facilitate public awareness through the distribution of educational literature at public locations (post office, city hall, local schools)

2. Continue to seek additional funding for increased emergency response equipment

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly.

Bluefield

1. Seek funding assistance to refurbish/upgrade inadequate drainage structures.

Update: The City has completed repair work on a box culvert on Union Street and has replaced drainage pipe in areas of Larch Street, Alder Street, and Giles Street.

2. Utilize citywide topographic data (5-foot contours) to acquire comprehensive hydrologic and hydraulic mapping.

Update: The City has acquired and is evaluating contour mapping.

3. Facilitate public awareness through the distribution of educational literature at public locations (post office, city hall, local schools).

Update: The city continues to increase public awareness. Additionally, the City continues to refine ordinances relevant to the protection of both flooding and storm-water management.

4. Removal of culvert debris to decrease drainage blockages

Update: The City has increased street sweeping, periodically cleans catch basins, and is in the process of acquiring a vacuum truck to improve debris removal from streets.

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly.

Bramwell

1. Participate in Hazard Mitigation Grant Program(s)
   HMGP 1378 application submitted

2. Participate in Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program once implemented by FEMA and WV Office of Emergency Services

3. Seek additional funding to acquire needed emergency response equipment

4. Seek additional funding sources to upgrade reservoir spillways to comply with federal safety regulations

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the

internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly.

Matoaka

1. Participate in Hazard Mitigation Grant Program(s)
   HMGP 1410 application submitted and under review

2. Participate in Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program once implemented by FEMA and WV Office of Emergency Services

3. Increase flood plain regulation enforcement

4. Facilitate public awareness through the distribution of educational literature at public locations (post office, city hall, local schools)

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the municipality has submitted an application for HMGP 1410 funding.

Oakvale

1. Participate in Hazard Mitigation Grant Program(s)
   Previous HMGP applications for demolition/elevation funded and under construction
   HMGF 1410 application submitted and under review

2. Participate in Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program once implemented by FEMA and WV Office of Emergency Services

3. Continue utilization of CASE workers to remove debris from steam bed and banks in order to reduce debris blockages

4. Facilitate public awareness through the distribution of educational literature at public locations (post office, city hall, local schools

5. Seek assistance from local machinery/mining corporations for donation of equipment and/or labor for channelization

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, the municipality has submitted an application for HMGP 1410 funding.

Princeton

1. The City of Princeton has obtained the services of Stafford Consultants to perform pre-engineering and cost-estimation on proposed recommendations to improve the storm water systems on Stafford Drive and Rogers Street.

2. The City also contracted with Region I to develop accurate and detailed mapping of the storm water system. This action will provide a tool to better control the storm water system.
3. Approximately five years ago, the City worked with the Southern Soil Conservation District and Mercer County to have Brush Creek, Glady Fork, and Daves Fork dredged to their original elevation (City's cost $60,000). The City also contributes $4,000 per year to a fund for annual maintenance that is conducted by the SCS.

4. The City also participated financially (approximately $10,000) in a Corp of Engineers study for flood protection in Mercer County. The study recommended a floodwall in Princeton as well as a high water warning system. This project is still in the development stage.

5. Working through Mike Saffel, the director of the Princeton Sanitary Board, the City worked with a number of West Virginia municipalities to develop legal criteria for implementation of the Storm Water Management Act. Implementation is in the beginning stages.

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly. Additionally, several Princeton residents were included as applicants in the HMGP-1410 Mercer County application.

Monroe County

1. Undertake Stream Maintenance near the intersection of Rich Creek and Brush Creek.

2. Undertake Stream Maintenance along 2nd and Rock Camp Creeks. Also, near Green Valley Road, and along Indian Creek near Red Sulphur Springs.

3. Promote awareness of FEMA regulations among the public and elected officials through media campaigns focused on consequences of living in a floodplain.

4. Inform the public of cave-related hazard sites and risks.

5. Secure roadsides against snowslides and landslides or land subsidence using Gabion baskets or other materials as appropriate, especially along Rt. 219.

Peterstown

1. Undertake Stream Maintenance along Rich Creek and Brush Creek for the part in town.

2. Secure roadsides against snowslides and landslides or land subsidence, especially along Rt. 219 for the part in town.

Union

1. Improve ground slope around the Town Hall where rainwater frequently floods the basement.

2. Secure roadsides against snowslides and landslides or land subsidence, especially along Rt. 219 for the part in town.

In addition to these, mitigation would involve the continued enforcement of floodplain regulations for all jurisdictions.

Raleigh County

1. Undertake "Stream Maintenance" along Clear Fork, Marsh Fork, and Tommy Creeks, as well as near Fairdale.

2. Continue enforcement of current building codes in Ghent, Flat Top, and Shady Spring where hailstorm-caused roof damage is frequent.

3. Secure roadsides against snowslips and landslides along Rock and Slab Fork Creeks. Also, secure parts of State Route 99 and State Route 3. As was found during Profiling Hazard Events, one of the most troublesome parts has been Berry Branch

near Helen. Here, heavy flooding has often resulted in landslides caused by an abandoned mine slate dump.

4. Monitor hazardous abandoned mine sites for possible reclamation, especially the site concentration near Beckley and Mabscott (refer to the map included in Section 3.3.1). Note that the County only recently reclaimed the abandoned mine site near Jonben.

Beckley

1. Repair and maintain storm-water drain (and/or replace culvert as appropriate) along Market Street. Note that this part stretches outside the city limits and hence, coordination with the County would be necessary.

2. Purchase smaller snow plows for the City's 30-, 40-, and 50-foot right of ways.

Lester

1. Repair and maintain storm-water drain along Central and Virginia Streets.

Mabscott

1. Undertake "Stream Maintenance" along White Stick Creek.

2. Purchase emergency snow removal equipment.

Rhodell

1. Protect the water treatment plant against flood. Note that the Town has a related SCBG application pending with the WVDO. If approved, the Town would use unused funds toward this task.

2. Seek funding for acquisition of approximately 20 repetitive-loss properties along Tommy Creek Road near the Town Hall, and 10 repetitive-loss properties along Coal City road and Luke Lane. These properties are located in the 100-year floodplain.

3. Purchase an emergency generator for the water treatment plant for quick restoration of power during a disaster event.

Sophia

1. Seek funding for acquisition of the residential properties along Riffe and Main Streets. These properties are located in the 100-year floodplain.

2. Repair and maintain storm-water drain (and/or replace culvert as appropriate) along Valley Road beyond Virginia Street.

3. Purchase emergency snow removal equipment.

Summers County

1. Increase enforcement of floodplain ordinances; implement stricter regulations for floodplain development

2. Seek funding to provide alternate access routes to Summers County Hospital

Update: Completed

3. Seek engineering assistance to alleviate flooding of access point to Summers County Hospital

Update: Alternate access route completed.

4. Establish emergency shelters throughout the County

Update: Continuing cooperation with ARC to provide ARC-operated shelters.
5. Increase emergency responder/shelter operator training

Update: Continuing cooperation with ARC to enlist & train volunteers.

6. Seek grant funding to increase emergency response equipment and training

Updates: Advising local agencies of funding opportunities, assisting in grant preparation when requested, upgraded County EOC with $30,000 grant.

7. Conduct public meetings to educate the public regarding natural hazards

8. Distribute natural hazard literature at public locations such as schools, churches, post offices, etc.

9. Increase participation in Hazard Mitigation Grant Programs.

10. Capitalize on funding sources to acquire, elevate, or relocate properties in hazard areas.

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the County, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly.

Additionally, the County continues to actively participate in the Hazard Mitigation Grant Program to acquire flood-prone properties when applicable.

Hinton

1. Seek funding to provide alternate access routes to Summers County Hospital

2. Seek engineering assistance to alleviate flooding of access point to Summers County Hospital

3. Increase hazardous materials training of local emergency responders.

4. Seek funding to acquire fire prevention systems.

5. Distribute FEMA/Office of Emergency Services literatures at public locations to improve community awareness.

6. Seek alternate access points to Summers County High School.

7. Participate in Hazard Mitigation Grant Program.
8. Capitalize on funding sources to acquire, elevate, or relocate properties in hazard areas.

Funding: Although no funding has yet been procured to accomplish all the goals of the municipality, it will become an expected regularity to search for funding sources via the internet, Federal Register, and state or private sources. Possible funding sources include, but are not limited to: HUD Small Cities Block Grant, FEMA Pre-disaster Mitigation, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Appalachian Regional Commission, WV Development Office, and WV Infrastructure and Jobs Development Council. At least once every six months funding searches will be conducted and progress will be monitored accordingly.

Wyoming County

1. Seek funding for the County's 3 previously un-funded HMGP applications from Disaster #1410: 'Multiple Creek Project' (approx. $434,400 for 5 residential properties in Pineville, McGraws, Bud and Maben), 'Guyandotte or Grey River Project' (approx. $917,500 for 12 residential properties in Corinne, Brenton and Marianna), and 'Laurel Creek Project' (approx. $1,093,480 for 10 residential properties in Matheny, Glen Rogers, Glen Fork, Ravencliff and Jesse).

2. Secure following roadsides against snowslips and landslides using Gabion baskets or other materials as appropriate: Rt. 10 near Jesse Mountain, Rt. 54 outside Mullens, and Rt. 97 near Saulsville.

3. Protect the Glen Rogers PSD sewage treatment plant against Flood.

4. Promote awareness of FEMA regulations among the public through media campaigns focused on consequences of living in a floodplain.

5. Ease floodplain management through use of mapping technology. Note that the County is already a beneficiary of a related ESRI-NACO Software Grant.

6. Link the building permitting process with compliance of floodplain regulations by requiring a Certificate of Occupancy.

7. Undertake 'Stream Maintenance' along Laurel Creek near Matheny.

Mullens

1. Seek approx. $500,000 in funding for the acquisition of 10 repetitive-loss residential properties along the Guyandotte and Woodland Avenues in south Mullens. The city would also seek funding for acquisition of 1 property that was part of a previously un-funded HMGP application from Disaster #1378 on Lusk Avenue. Note that acquisition projects funded in the recent past addressed properties mainly along Broadway Street and Guyandotte Avenue.

2. Repair and maintain the storm-water drain along Broadway Street. Note that the City has received FEMA Disaster Relief Fund from Disaster #1455 for partial improvement of this drain. The City now plans to request for more funds to completely cure the drainage problem.

3. Repair and maintain the storm-water drain along Moran Avenue where Flood and Storm frequently flood the basements.

4. Secure following roadsides against snowslips and landslides using Gabion baskets or other materials as appropriate: Flood Road and Lusk Avenue.

5. Reclaim the 3 hazardous abandoned mine sites up on Parsons Road to check run-off to the low-lying neighborhood along Broadway Street.

6. Purchase a stand-by generator for the city hall for quick-restoration of power during a disaster event.

7. Write and formalize the city's Emergency Recall Plan.

Oceana

Note that the Town of Oceana had been removed from the NFIP and was on probation in 2001. Since then, it has improved its floodplain management and is in full federal regulatory compliance.

1. Seek approx. $500,000 in funding for the acquisition of 8 repetitive-loss residential properties along Cherry Street. Note that acquisition projects funded in the recent past addressed 3 properties on Mason Street, 2 properties on McDowell Street, and 1 property each on Rhonda, Aliff, Cherry, Webster, Marion and Denny Streets.

2. Repair and maintain the storm-water drain along Chestnut Street.

Pineville

1. No new flood mitigation measures or projects were proposed.

2. Repair and maintain the storm-water drain along Sycamore Avenue, and at the intersection of Cedar and Oakwood Avenues.

In addition to these, mitigation would involve the continued enforcement of current ordinances and floodplain regulations for all jurisdictions.

D. Multi-jurisdictional Mitigation Strategies

All counties and municipalities have agreed to participate in the Hazard Mitigation Plan; therefore, the multi-jurisdictional mitigation strategies requirement has been met.

1. Repetitive Loss Structures

State officials maintain a master listing of repetitive loss structures within the Region. However, individual county officials will provide update information to the State as repetitive loss structures are mitigated.

Individual county listings for repetitive loss structures are as follows:

County	# of Repetitive Loss Structures
McDowell	77
Mercer	55
Monroe	0
Raleigh	37
Summers	15
Wyoming	79
Total	**263**

Mitigation Strategies for Repetitive Loss Structures

Communities will give the highest priority to repetitive loss structures when considering mitigation activities. Upon mitigation of a repetitively-damaged structure, the community will then update priority listings for future mitigation endeavors. Personal information will not be released regarding damaged structures or mitigation rankings.

However, the listing will be available to authorized personnel for mitigation planning and strategies.

In addition to maintaining a listing of repetitive loss structures, the communities will also employ mitigation strategies through continued compliance with NFIP standards. All protocols necessary for full compliance will be adhered to, with additional steps to exceed minimum standards practiced when feasible and with available funding.

VI. Plan Maintenance Procedures

A. Monitoring, Evaluating, and Updating of Plan

In compliance with FEMA requirements, the regional Hazard Mitigation Plan will be officially updated, adopted by each jurisdiction, and approved by state and federal officials at least every five years before the anniversary date of the Plan. However, if the State or FEMA wishes to update the plan every three years and is able to provide adequate funding to do so, this may be done to retain the integrity of the data contained within the plan. Additionally, maintenance of the Asset Inventory will be updated by the communities yearly as warranted due to increasing development and evolving hazard threats. When updating the regional plan, county commission and municipal officials will coordinate to ascertain any needed changes to the HMP. This assessment will detail mitigation measures/activities undertaken during the course of the effective plan timeframe as well as any mitigation strategies that have been completed. Any mitigation success stories will be highlighted in the report. The report will also address the following points:

1. Evaluate the goals and objectives to ensure they address current and expected conditions.

2. Determine if the nature or magnitude of risk has changed.

3. Evaluate whether the current resources are adequate for implementing the plan.

4. Document any implementation problems such as technical, political, legal or coordination issues with other agencies.

5. Discuss whether the outcomes have occurred as expected.

6. Documents agency and other partner participation.

This methodology was utilized in evaluating the original Hazard Mitigation Plans. This process successfully evaluated effectiveness of the original six countywide Hazard Mitigation Plans. As a result, this process will be employed during the evaluation of the Regional HMP as well.

Copies of the regional HMP will be made available to each of the implementing agencies, local governments, citizens, West Virginia Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, and FEMA Region III upon request.

The tentative plan maintenance timeline is as follows:

Adoption of Plan:	August 2009
Public Availability:	September 2009
Review/revision of plan:	Ongoing

Submission of first
revised plan to FEMA: August 2014

Commissioners and mayors will personally evaluate plan effectiveness at the above-mentioned intervals. The elected officials or their designated appointees will make any required revisions to the Hazard Mitigation Plan.

B. Implementation Through Existing Programs

In order to maximize effectiveness of the Hazard Mitigation Plan, the Plan will be incorporated with other emergency response and development plans to complement community planning procedures. County Commissioners and mayors will be individually responsible for administering the implementation of the completed Hazard Mitigation Plan into standard operational procedures. These elected officials have the option of personally integrating the HMPs or appointing a county/municipal employee to manage Plan integration. For a full listing of the original HMP integration into existing programs, contact officials for the community of interest. Over the next five years, the Regional 322 plan will attempt to coordinate with new and existing plans for municipalities and unincorporated communities.

C. Continued Public Involvement

Continued public involvement is imperative to the success of the regional Hazard Mitigation Plan. Copies of the original countywide Hazard Mitigation Plans were kept on file at each municipality and with each county commission. These plans were available for public review upon request at any time. Additionally, copies of these plans were available at the Region I PDC office. Since this arrangement was favorably received by local officials, it will be utilized with the regional plan as well. Additionally, over the next five years, local jurisdictions will attempt to include the public in the updating process through techniques such as (but not limited to) holding meetings, receiving suggestions, taking telephone surveys, etc.

Section 4. Event History

Event Description	Source of Information	Map Type Available	Date of Event	Number of Fatalities	Monetary Damage	Location and Brief Description of Event
Anawalt Flash flooding. Water levels in excess of 500 year flood zone boundary.	Welch Daily News, Bluefield News, Charleston Gazette	FIRM Panels	2-May-02	0		Town of Anawalt
Flash flooding. Water levels in excess of 500 year flood zone boundary.	Welch Daily News, Bluefield News, Charleston Gazette	FIRM Panels	8-Jul-01	0		Town of Anawalt
Blizzard: 2ft of snow causing electrical outage and making roads impassable (1 week)	Welch Daily News, Bluefield News		Jan-97	0		Town of Anawalt
Blizzard: 4ft of snow causing electrical outage and making roads impassable (2 weeks)	Welch Daily News, Bluefield News		Mar-93	0		Town of Anawalt
Flash flooding. Water crested at 27.37	Flood Insurance Study, 1984. FEMA Community No. 540115		Apr-77	Unknown		Town of Anawalt
Flash flooding	Flood Insurance Study, 1984. FEMA Community No. 540115		1963	Unknown		Town of Anawalt

Flash flooding	Flood Insurance Study, 1984. FEMA Community No. 540115		1957	Unknown		Town of Anawalt
Flash flooding	Flood Insurance Study, 1984. FEMA Community No. 540115		1955	Unknown		Town of Anawalt
Bradshaw Flash flooding with water levels in excess of 100 year flood zone boundary	Welch News, WVVA television (Channel 6)		2-May-02	0	$500,000	Southern McDowell County
Gary Flash flooding: water levels in excess of 100 year flood zone boundary	Welch Daily News, Bluefield Daily Telegraph		2-May-02	0	$59,000	McDowell Co.
Flash flooding: water levels in excess of 100 year flood zone boundary	Welch Daily News, Bluefield Daily Telegraph		8-Jul-01	0	$38,000	McDowell Co.
Flash flood	Welch Daily News		1977	0		McDowell Co.
Keystone Flood water along Elkhorn Creek: 2 to 3 Ft.			2-May-02	2: mountain slide into highway	?	Town of Keystone, McDowell Co.
War Flood			2-May-02	0	Est. $200,000	City of War and McDowell Co.
Flood			8-Jul-01	0	Est. $75,000 (in War)	War and McDowell Co.
Severe Winter Storm			Spring, 1998	0		War and McDowell Co.

Blizzard			End of February, 1993	0		War and McDowell Co.
Flood			Spring, 1977	0	Major damage to homes and schools	McDowell Co.
Flood			Late 1960's	1		McDowell Co.
Flood	.		Spring 1957			
Welch **Severe Flooding**	Welch Daily News, Bluefield Telegraph		2-May-02			City of Welch, Southern counties of WV
Forest Fire	Internet Web Site NCDC		1-Nov-01			Countywide McDowell Co.
Severe Flooding	Welch Daily News, Bluefield Telegraph		8-Jul-01			Some areas of the City of Welch
Thunderstorms, Wind	Internet Web Site NCDC		10-Jul-00			Countywide Some areas of City of Welch
Forest Fire	Internet Web Site NCDC		9-Nov-99			Countywide Some areas of City of Welch
Flash Flood	Internet Web Site NCDC		20-Mar-98			Countywide Some areas of City of Welch
Hail	Internet Web Site NCDC		7-May-98			City of Welch
Flash Flood	Internet Web Site NCDC		15-May-96			Countywide Some areas of City of Welch
Flash Flood	Internet Web Site NCDC		20-Mar-98			Countywide Some areas of City of Welch
Flash Flood	Internet Web Site NCDC		15-May-96			Countywide Some areas of City of Welch
Hail	Internet Web Site NCDC		18-May-95			City of Welch
River Flood/Flash Flood	Internet Web Site NCDC		11-Feb-94			Some areas of the City of Welch

Thunderstorms, Wind	Internet Web Site NCDC		18-May-95			Countywide Some areas of City of Welch
Thunderstorms, Wind	Internet Web Site NCDC		27-Apr-89			Some areas of the City of Welch
Thunderstorms, Wind	Internet Web Site NCDC		22-Aug-83			Some areas of the City of Welch
Thunderstorms, Wind, Hail	Internet Web Site NCDC		11-Aug-83			Some areas of the City of Welch
Thunderstorms, Wind	Internet Web Site NCDC		30-Jun-81			Some areas of the City of Welch
Thunderstorms, Wind	Internet Web Site NCDC		12-Jul-80			Some areas of the City of Welch
Hail	Internet Web Site NCDC		9-Jul-80			Some areas of the City of Welch
Thunderstorms, Wind	Internet Web Site NCDC		24-Aug-77			Some areas of the City of Welch
Hail	Internet Web Site NCDC		6-Jun-77			Some areas of the City of Welch
Severe Flooding	Local Newspapers		Apr-77			City of Welch
Thunderstorms, Wind	Internet Web Site NCDC		18-Mar-77			Some areas of the City of Welch
Thunderstorms, Wind	Internet Web Site NCDC		5-Jun-75			Some areas of the City of Welch
Unincorporated **Hail**	NCDC Website	No	24-Aug-07	0	0	Berwind, McDowell County
Excessive heat	NCDC Website	No	16-Aug-07	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	19-Jun-07	0	$5 Thousand	Bartley, McDowell County
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	14-Jun-07	0	$1 Thousand	Northfork, McDowell County, WV

Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	05-Jun-07	0	$5 Thousand	Berwind, McDowell County
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	05-Jun-07	0	$5 Thousand	Vallscreek, McDowell County
Hail	NCDC Website	No	29-Jun-06	0	0	Welch, McDowell County
Hail	NCDC Website	No	04-Jun-06	0	0	Premier, McDowell County
Hail	NCDC Website	No	04-Jun-06	0	0	Welch, McDowell County
Hail	NCDC Website	No	31-May-06	0	0	Anawalt, McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	07-Apr-06	0	$30 Thousand	Roderfield, McDowell County
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	03-Apr-06	0	0	Iaeger, McDowell County WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	12-Feb-06	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	03-Jul-05	0	0	Iaeger, McDowell County WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	01-Mar-05	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	27-Feb-05	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Estreme Cold/Wind Chill	NCDC Website	No	23-Jan-05	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	01-Jun-04	0	0	Welch, McDowell County
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	Yes	01-Jun-04	0	0	Hensley, McDowell County
Frost/Freeze	NCDC Website	No	04-May-04	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	13-Apr-04	0	0	Welch, McDowell County
Winter Storm	NCDC Website	No	25-Jan-04	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	19-Nov-03	2	$12.1 Million	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	12-Nov-03	0	$3 Thousand	Bradshaw, McDowell County, WV

Frost/Freeze	NCDC Website	No	03-Oct-03	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	09-Jul-03	0	$10 Thousand	Welch, McDowell County
Hail	NCDC Website	No	28-Jun-03	0	0	Iaeger, McDowell County WV
Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	22-Feb-03	0	$325 Thousand	McDowell County, WV
Winter Storm	NCDC Website	??	16-Feb-03	0	1.9Million	McDowell County, WV
Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	15-Feb-03	2	8.6 Million	McDowell County, WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	16-Jan-03	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Prolonged Cold	NCDC Website	No	14-Jan-03	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Monthly Precipitation	NCDC Website	No	01-Oct-02	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Drought	NCDC Website	No	01-Sep-02	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Monthly Precipitation	NCDC Website	No	01-Aug-02	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	03-Jul-02	0	0	Welch, McDowell County
Flash Flood	NCDC Website; Welch News	Yes: FIRM Panels	01-Jun-02	0	$ 5 Thousand	Roderfield, McDowell County
Flash Flood	NCDC Website; Welch News	Yes: FIRM Panels	08-May-02	2 Direct 5 Indirect	$85 Million (Property Damage Figures Only)	Countywide
Flash Flood	NCDC Website; Welch News	Yes: FIRM Panels	29-Jul-01	1 Direct	$150 Thousand	Countywide
Flash Flood	NCDC Website; Welch News	Yes: FIRM Panels	08-Jul-01	0	$50 Million	Eastern portion of McDowell County, WV
Flash Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	22-May-01	0	$5 Thousand	Iaeger, McDowell County WV
Flash Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	27-Aug.-00	0	$25 Thousand	Gary, McDowell County, WV

Flash Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	01-Aug-00	0	$20 Thousand	Northfork, McDowell County, WV
Flash Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	20-Mar-98	0	$15 Thousand	Countywide
Flash Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	01-Jun-97	0	$10 Thousand	War, McDowell County, WV
Flash Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	15-May-96	0	$ 400 Thousand	Countywide
Flash Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	27-May-95	0	$15 Thousand	Cucumber/War, McDowell County, WV
Flood/Flash Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	11-Feb-94	0	$ 505 Thousand	Countywide
Flash Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	09-May-93	0	$ 500 Thousand	Northfork, McDowell County, WV
Flash Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	23-Mar-93	0	0	Anawalt, McDowell County, WV
Flood	NCDC Website	Yes: FIRM Panels	21-Feb-93	0	0	Davy, McDowell County, WV
Flood	Army Corps of Engineers	Yes: FIRM Panels	01-May-84	0	140 Million (1995 Price Levels)	Countywide
Flood	Army Corps of Engineers, Welch Daily News	Yes: FIRM Panels	04-Apr-77	0	$36.1 Millon (Oct. 1995 Price Level)	Countywide
Flood	Welch News	Yes: FIRM Panels	30-Jan-57	1	10 Million (1957 Prices)	Countywide
Flood	Welch News	Yes: FIRM Panels	25-Mar-35	1	$100 Thousand (1935 Price Levels)	Countywide
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	18-Mar-77	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	06-Jun-77	0	0	McDowell County, WV

Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	24-Aug-77	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	09-Jul-80	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	12-Jul-80	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	30-Jun-51	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	11-Aug-83	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	11-Aug-83	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	22-Aug-83	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	27-Apr-89	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	09-Sep-90	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	21-Feb-93	0	0	Davy, McDowell County, WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	04-Jan-94	3	$50 Million	McDowell County, WV
Extreme Cold	NCDC Website	No	15-Jan-94	0	$ 5 Thousand	McDowell County, WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	17-Jan-94	0	$500 Thousand	McDowell County, WV
Ice Storm	NCDC Website	No	10-Feb-94	0	$5 Thousand	McDowell County, WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	08-Mar-94	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Brush Fires	NCDC Website	No	01-Apr-95	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	18-May-95	0	$5 Thousand	Countywide
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	18-May-95	0	$10 Thousand	Yukon, McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	18-May-95	0	0	Welch, McDowell County
Heavy Rain	NCDC Website	No	05-Oct-95	0	0	McDowell County, WV
High Winds	NCDC Website	No	11-Nov-95	0	$ 40 Thousand	McDowell County, WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	06-Dec-95	0	0	McDowell County, WV

Snow	NCDC Website	No	31-Dec-95	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	06-Jan-96	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	11-Jan-96	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	02-Feb-96	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Extreme Cold	NCDC Website	No	02/041/96	0	$ 100 Thousand	McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	05-May-96	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	05-May-96	0	$ 3 Thousand	Newhall, McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	24-Jun-96	0	0	Paynesville, McDowell County, WV
Ice Storm	NCDC Website	No	08-Jan-97	0	$20 Thousand	McDowell County, WV
Cold	NCDC Website	No	16-Jan-97	0	$25 Thousand	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	02-Jul-97	0	$75 Thousand	Coalwood, McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	02-Jul-97	0	$ 1 Thousand	Iaeger, McDowell County WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	29-Dec-97	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	27-Jan-98	2	$12.5 Million	McDowell County, WV
Winter Storm	NCDC Website	No	03-Feb-98	0	$5.6 Million	McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	07-May-98	0	0	Welch, McDowell County
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	20-May-98	0	$ 3 Thousand	Raysal, McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	23-May-98	0	$ 2 Thousand	Bradshaw, McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	24-May-98	0	0	Paynesville, McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	15-Jun-98	0	$2 Thousand	Caretta, McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	16-Jun-98	0	Coalwood	Coalwood, McDowell County, WV
Ice Storm	NCDC Website	No	23-Dec-98	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Winter Storm	NCDC Website	No	02-Jan-99	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	03-Mar-99	0	0	McDowell County, WV

Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	15-Mar-99	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Wind	NCDC Website	No	16-Apr-99	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Hail	NCDC Website	No	23-Apr-99	0	0	Davy, McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	13-Aug-99	0	$ 2 Thousand	Gary, McDowell County, WV
Forrest Fire/ Wild Fire	NCDC Website	No	09-Nov-99	0	0	Countywide
Heavy Snow	NCDC Website	No	19-Jan-00	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	10-Jul-00	0	$3 Thousand	Countywide
Thunderstorms/Wind	NCDC Website	No	28-Jul-00	0	$ 2 Thousand	Davy, McDowell County, WV
Forrest Fire/ Wild Fire	NCDC Website	No	02-Nov-00	0	0	Countywide
Heavy Rain	NCDC Website	No	18-Jan-01	0	0	Countywide
Tornado (F1)	NCDC Website	No	04-Apr-74	0	$ 2.4 Million	McDowell County, WV
Tornado (F1)	NCDC Website	No	12-May-75	0	$ 25 Thousand	McDowell County, WV
Earthquake (Located on VA/WV Border)(Possible Tremors Felt)	NEIC/USGS Website	No	23-Apr-59	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Earthquake (Possible Tremors Felt)	NEIC/USGS Website	No	19-Nov-69	0	0	McDowell County, WV
Earthquake (Possible Tremors Felt)	NEIC/USGS Website	No	11-Aug-70	0	0	

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Bramwell						
Minor flooding of basements along Bluestone River	Town of Bramwell	FIRM Panel 540125001B	Jul-01	0	Estimated $100,000 to $200,000	Along bank of Bluestone River in Town of Bramwell
Minor flooding of basements along Bluestone River	Town of Bramwell	FIRM Panel 540125001B	May-02	0	Estimated $100,000 to $200,000	Along bank of Bluestone River in Town of Bramwell
Bluefield						
Flooding - storm system overflow after extended heavy rains	Independent Reports (Fire Dept.)	?	May 2002, July 2001	0	<$50,000	Bluefield Ave. at Tulip and Larch St. in Bluefield, WV
Flooding - hillside runoff & Grassy Branch Creek overflow	Independent Reports (Fire Dept.)	?	May-02	0	<$10,000	Grassy Branch Rd., Bluefield, WV
Flooding - storm system overflow after extended heavy rains	Independent Reports (Fire Dept.)	?	May 2002, July 2001 (other events over past 10 yrs)	0	Negligible (blocked streets)	Union St. & Vineyard Sts at Bland St. in Bluefield
Flooding - storm system overflow	Independent Reports	?	May-02	0	Unknown (blocked access to 75 homes)	Hale's Culvert, Railyard underpass at Old Bramwell Rd off Blfd. Ave.
Flooding - overflow at Beaver Pond Creek	Independent Reports	?	May 2002, July 2001	0	<$10,000	Bluefield WV City Park off Stadium Dr.
Flooding - storm system overflow	Independent Reports (Fire Dept.)	?	1996	0	$50,000 est. (temp. closed the facility)	Maples Nursing Home Bland & South St.
Flooding - storm system and small creek overflow	Independent Reports (Fire Dept.)	?	Various events 1970's, 80's, and 90's	0	Unknown (flooded basements)	College Ave. in Bluefield WV (1500 - 2000 block)
Motoaka Flash flood/Landslide	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	FIRM Panel	2-May-02	0	$ 1 million	Northeast corner of Mercer near bordering McDowell & Wyoming

Flash flood	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	FIRM Panel	8-Jul-01	0	$900,000	Northeast corner of Mercer near bordering McDowell & Wyoming Counties
Flash flood	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	FIRM Panel	Jun-99	0	$300,000	Mercer near bordering McDowell & Wyoming Counties
Flash flood	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	FIRM Panel	23-Jun-95	0	$100,000	Northeast corner of Mercer near bordering
Flash flood	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	FIRM Panel	16-May-96	0	$90,000	Mercer near bordering McDowell & Wyoming Counties
Flash flood	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	FIRM Panel	Jul-92	0	$80,000	Northeast corner of Mercer near bordering McDowell & Wyoming Counties
Flash flood	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	FIRM Panel	Jun-85	0	$70,000	Northeast corner of Mercer near bordering McDowell & Wyoming Counties
Flash flood	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	FIRM Panel	May-77	0	$60,000	Northeast corner of Mercer near bordering McDowell & Wyoming Counties
Flash flood	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	FIRM Panel	Jun-67	0	$65,000	Northeast corner of Mercer near bordering McDowell & Wyoming Counties
Flash flood	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	FIRM Panel	Mar-55	0	$700,000	Northeast corner of Mercer near bordering McDowell & Wyoming Counties

Winter Storm	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	No	Jan-96	0	$150,000	Northeast corner of Mercer near bordering McDowell & Wyoming Counties
Winter Storm	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	No	1994	0	$175,000	Northeast corner of Mercer near bordering McDowell & Wyoming Counties
Winter Storm	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	No	Jun-36	0	$200,000	Northeast corner of Mercer near bordering McDowell & Wyoming Counties
Oakvale **Flood**	Paper, TV and Radio		May-02		N/A	Mercer Co.
Flood	Paper and TV		Jul-01		N/A	Mercer Co.
Snow Storm	Paper and TV		Jan-98	2		Mercer Co.
Flood	Paper, TV and Radio		May-96		N/A	Mercer Co.
Flood	Paper, TV and Radio		Jun-95		N/A	Mercer Co.
Blizzard	Paper, TV and Radio		1993		Lights out for a week	Mercer Co.

Hugo	Paper, TV and Radio		Sep-89		High winds, high water, trees down	Mercer Co.
Ice breakup on East River	N/A		Dec-89		Flooded homes on RR Ave.	Oakvale, Mercer Co.
Train Wreck	Paper, TV and Radio		1969		Train Eng and Road	Oakvake WV, Rt. 112
Multiple slides on Cumberland Rd.			N/A		Road	Oakvale
Road fell in			N/A		Road was blocked for 2 days	Cumberland Rd. in Oakvale
Princeton **Flooding**	Bluefield Daily Telegraph		8-Jul-01	0		Stafford Drive area
Flooding	Princeton Times		Jan-96			Stafford Drive
Flooding	Princeton Times		May-96			Drive, Airport Rd., Mercer St., Thorn St.
Flooding	Princeton Times		27-Jun-95			Stafford Dr., Wickham Ave., Lowell Ave.
Heavy Snow Storm	Bluefield Daily Telegraph		29-Jan-98			Princeton
Heavy Snow Storm	Bluefield Daily Telegraph		6-Jan-96			Princeton
Blizzard	Bluefield Daily Telegraph		14-Mar-93			Princeton
Flash Flooding	Bluefield Daily Telegraph		10-May-01			Stafford Dr. to North Walker St.
Unincorporated **Localized flooding of Bluestone River**	Bluefield Daily Telegraph	FIRM Panels	5-Mar-08	0	Unknown	Flooding in Spanishburg, along U.S. 19, Route 15, and County Route 7/10 near Gardner

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Monroe Earthquake	Monroe Watchman	No	28-Jan-08	0	Unknown	Micro-earthquake, magnitude 2.3. Three miles east of Union at depth of 1.7 miles.
Microburst	Monroe County 911 Center	No	7-Apr-06	0	Unknown	Various locations
Flood (remanants of Huricane Hugo)	Common knowledge	No	1989	0	$500,000	County-wide flooding and wind-damage
	Common knowledge	No	1996	0	$200,000	County-wide flooding following winter-storm
	Common knowledge	No	1999	0	$25,000.00	Petertown area
Severe Winter Storm or Hailstorm	Common knowledge	No	1993	0	unknown	County-wide
	Common knowledge	No	1998	0	$30,000	County-wide
Dam Failure, Earthquake, Landslide or Land Subsidence, Wildfire	-	-	-	-	-	-
Tornado	Common knowledge	No	1970	0	0	South-Western Monroe - near Bozoo
	Common knowledge	No	1978	0	$5,000	Central Monroe, near Union
	Common knowledge	No	1995	0	$3,000	North-Central Monroe, near Hillsdale-Dorr

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Raleigh **Flood**	pp. 18.,Hazard Vulnerability Analysis - 2000		1916			
			5-Feb-39			Lowland section hit-Whitesville isolated, and virtually every home in Eunice abandoned
			Mar-55		$10,000	
			Mar-62			Presidential Disaster Declaration
			Mar-63			Marooned flood victims and typhoid break-out result in Disaster Declaration by the Governor
			Apr-77		$182,000	Reported as the County's worst flood
			1997			11 flooding incidents
			1998			13 flooding incidents
			1999			4 flooding incidents
Severe Winter Storm or Hailstorm	pp. 13., Hazard Vulnerability Analysis - 2000		1-Apr-07			
			1913			
			1914			
			1925			
			1933	some deaths		Ellison Ridge in Flat Top (isolation)
			1936	some deaths		Ellison Ridge in Flat Top (isolation)

			1940			(blocked highways)
			1961		$50,000 - $100,000	
			1962			Flat Top (reportedly declared the coldest spot in the county)
			1968	Total Recorded 11 Deaths Since 1907		
			Jan-84			Deep Creek Section of Coal River (ice jams)
			Mar-84			West Raleigh (ice jams)
			Feb-85			Piney Creek, Beaver (ice jams)
			Apr-87			
			14-Jun-92			Gusts up to 50mph in Beckley
			4-Apr-92			4-7" of snowfall
			14-Mar-93			Blizzard, State of Emergency Declared
			17-Nov-93			Strong thunderstorm leveled trees from Bradley to Prosperity
			18-Mar-94			40-60mph gusts swept across the county
			8-Mar-95			8" of snowfall
			8-Jun-95			Thunderstorm damaged mobile homes from Arnett to Glen Daniels
			11-Jan-96			4-8" of snowfall
			2-Feb-96			8" of snowfall
			29-Dec-97			12" of snowfall

			27-Jan-98	4 deaths		31" of snowfall
			6-Feb-98			6" of snowfall destroyed some structures on Harper Road
			2-Jun-98		$100,000	Hail up to 1.75" from Bragg to Abraham
			16-Jun-98			Hail up to 1.75"
			23-Dec-98			Ice storm up to 1/3"
			1-Feb-98			Ice storm up to 3/4"
			15-Mar-99			8" of snowfall in Lester
			13-Aug-99			Hail up to 1" near Lester
Landslide or Land Subsidence	pp. 56., Hazard Vulnerability Analysis - 2000		1907			Landslide in Piney Breanch, Beaver
			2-Apr-08			Landslide in Piney Breanch, Beaver
			2-May-13	4		
			28-Jul-36	2	8-10 homes washed away, among other	Landslide effects Lillybrook and Stonecoal
			5-Apr-39			Flood results in landslide in Marsh Section (Whitesville, Pettus)
			12-Mar-63			Landslide effect the entire county
			16-Mar-72			Landslides in Jonben
			1993-1999			60 landslide incidents
Wildfire	pp. 48, 52., Hazard Vulnerability Analysis - 2000		Apr-12			Fired destroyed the entire CBD, Beckley
			May-12	3		Fire destroyed 5 homes in Stotesbury

			Aug-12		$50,000	Power house and shops in West Raleigh burnt
			Jan-21		$50,000	Almost the entire town of Eccles destroyed
			Dec-30	3		Homes in Whitesville burnt
			Dec-31	2		House fire in Beckley
			December, 1931			Fire hit CBD, Beckley
			Jul-65		$90,000	Fire in Crab Orchard
			Jun-66		$75,000	Fire in Bradley
			Jun-66		$70,000	Fire in Glen Morgan
			Sep-70		$150,000	Fire in Beckley
			Apr-76			Fire in Beckley
			Apr-76			Fire in Cabell Heights
			Oct-84			Fire in Crab Orchard
			Feb-85			Fire in Eccles
			Mar-85		$90,000	Fire in Beckley
			Jul-85			Fire in Clear Creek
			Oct-87	3		Fire in house in Amigo
			Mar-88			Fire in Mabscott
			1993-1999			304 brush fire incidents
Dam-Failures	pp. 59, 67., Hazard Vulnerability Analysis - 2000		17-Jul-80	0		Levee/dam-failure in Beckley
			1993-1999			0 levee/dam-failure incidents
Tornado	pp. 30., Haxard Vulnerability Analysis - 2000		4-Apr-74		$638.00	2 tornadoes touched down, according to the Nation Weather Service, Beckley
			17-Apr-74			

			9-Jul-80			Tornado with 60mph winds
			18-Mar-77	1		Tornado with 70mph winds, swept through Dorothy
			4-Jul-82		Some mobile home damage	Tornado with 100mph winds, swept through Shady Spring
			6-Jun-98			
			22-May-99			North East of Beckley
Earthquake			1950-1999			0 earthquake incidents

Event Description	Source of Information	Map Type Available	Date of Event	Number of Fatalities	Monetary Damage	Location and Brief Description of Event
Hinton Flood	FEMA declaration No. 1410 Project No. H-3	No	2-May-02	None	$38,657.48	City of Hinton, WV
Flood	FEMA declaration No. 1410 Project No. H-3	No	2-May-02	None	$6,424.34 $13,692.02 $1,675.60	City of Hinton, WV
Severe Weather/Snow	FEMA declaration No. 3109 EM	No	Mar-93	None	$6,772.95	City of Hinton, WV
Severe Weather/Snow	FEMA declaration No. 1084	No	6-Jan-96	None	$7,037.00	City of Hinton, WV
Flood	FEMA declaration No. 1096	No	21-Jan-96	None	$20,563.00	City of Hinton, WV
Flood		No	1985	None		City of Hinton, WV
Flood		No	1974?	None		City of Hinton, WV

Event Description	Source of Information	Map Type Available	Date of Event	Number of Fatalities	Monetary Damage
Wyoming **Flood**	Register Herald	Same Panels as July 2001 floods	May or June, 1963	unknown	unkown
	Register Herald, Independent Herald	Same Panels as July 2001 floods	April, May, or June, 1977	0	$5,000,000
	Register Herald, Independent Herald	FIRM Panels	May , 1985	0	$3,000,000
	Register Herald, Independent Herald	FIRM Panels	May, 1996	0	$2,500,000
	Register Herald, Independent Herald	FIRM Panels	May, 1997	0	$1,000,000
	Register Herald, Independent Herald	FIRM Panels	14th May 2001	0	$5,000,000
	Register Herald, Independent Herald	FIRM Panels	8th July 2001	1	$35,000,000
	Register Herald, Independent Herald	FIRM Panels	2nd May 2002	0	$250,000
Earthquake, Landslide or Land Subsidence, Sever Winter Storm or Hailstorm, Tornado, Wildfire	-	-	-	-	-

Location and Brief Description of Event
County-wide flash floods
County-wide flash floods
Flash floods in the western part (including the Town of Oceana)
Flash floods in the western part
Flash floods in Glen Rogers, Ravencliff, Sabine
Flash floods in all but the western part (including Mullens and southern Oceana)
Flash floods in all but the western part (including Mullens and southern Oceana)
Flash floods in south-eastern portion
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Section 5. Hazard Probability Ranking

Probability of Future Hazard Events

McDowell County

Natural Hazard	Probable Future Risk to County: H (High), M (Medium), L (Low)
Flood	High
Landslide	Medium
Dam-Failure	Low
Earthquake	Low
Tornado	Low
Severe Winter Storm	Medium
Wildfire	Medium

Natural Hazard	Probable Future Risk to Municipality: H (High), M (Medium), L (Low)									
	Anawalt	**Bradshaw**	**Davy**	**Gary**	**Iaeger**	**Keystone**	**Kimball**	**Northfork**	**War**	**Welch**
Flood	Med./High	High	High	High	High	High	High	High	High	High
Landslide	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.
Dam-Failure	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Med.	Low
Earthquake	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low
Tornado	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low
Severe Winter Storm	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.
Wildfire	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.	Med.

Completed by Ms. Judy Heath, McDowell County C.I.A.D. Verified by municipalities, Redevelopment Authority, and McDowell Emergency Services.

Comments:

Senior citizens, children, and the mentally and physically challenged are especially vulnerable to natural hazards, as their physical or mental limitations may slow response time.

Most, or all areas of the County are also at risk for the possibility of toxic chemicals being released in the event of a train derailment, or tanker truck wreck.

Mercer County

Natural Hazard	Probable Future Risk to County: H (High), M (Medium), L (Low)
Flood	High
Landslide	Medium
Dam-Failure	Low
Earthquake	Low
Tornado	Low
Severe Winter Storm	High
Wildfire	High

Natural Hazard	Probable Future Risk to Municipality: H (High), M (Medium), L (Low)					
	Athens	**Bluefield**	**Bramwell**	**Matoaka**	**Oakvale**	**Princeton**
Flood	Low	Low	Low	High	High	Medium
Landslide	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Low
Dam-Failure	Low	Low	Medium	Low	Medium	Low
Earthquake	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low
Tornado	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low
Severe Winter Storm	High	High	High	High	High	High
Wildfire	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Medium	Low

Comments:

Risk of hazardous material spill due to volume being transported on I-77 & U.S. Route 460 (Medium Risk).

Several private nursing homes in County that could be affected by severe winter storm.

Completed by Mr. Nelson Short, Mercer Co. Flood Control and Fire Board. Verified by municipalities and County Commission.

Monroe County

Natural Hazard	Probable Future Risk to County: H (High), M (Medium), L (Low)
Flood	High
Landslide	Medium
Dam-Failure (Moncove Lake Dam)	Medium
Earthquake	Medium
Tornado	Low
Severe Winter Storm	High
Wildfire	High

Natural Hazard	Probable Future Risk to Municipality: H (High), M (Medium), L (Low)	
	Peterstown	**Union**
Flood	High	Low
Landslide	Low	Low
Dam-Failure (Moncove Lake Dam)	Na	Na
Earthquake	Medium	Medium
Tornado	Medium	Medium
Severe Winter Storm	High	High
Wildfire	Medium	Medium

Raleigh County

Natural Hazard	Probable Future Risk to County: H (High), M (Medium), L (Low)
Flood	**High**
Landslide	**Medium**
Dam-Failure (Flat Top Lake Dam)	**Low**
Earthquake	**Low**
Tornado	**Low**
Severe Winter Storm	**Medium**
Wildfire	**Medium**

Natural Hazard	Probable Future Risk to Municipality: H (High), M (Medium), L (Low)				
	Beckley	**Lester**	**Mabscott**	**Rhodell**	**Sophia**
Flood	Low	Low	Medium	Medium	Medium
Landslide	Low	-	Low	-	-
Dam-Failure (Flat Top Lake Dam)	Na	Na	Na	Na	Na
Earthquake	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low
Tornado	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low
Severe Winter Storm	Medium	Low	Low	Low	Low
Wildfire	Low	Low	Low	Low	Low

Comments:

As noted earlier under Profiling Hazard Events, Flood and Severe Winter Storm or Hailstorm (and resulting landslides) emerged as Special-focus Hazards with a high probability for occurrence in the County. This probability was based on event history and local knowledge.

Summers County

Natural Hazard	Probable Future Risk to County: H (High), M (Medium), L (Low)
Flood	High
Landslide	Low
Dam-Failure	Low
Earthquake	Low
Tornado	Low
Severe Winter Storm	High
Wildfire	Medium

Natural Hazard	Probable Future Risk to Municipality: H (High), M (Medium), L (Low)
	Hinton
Flood	Medium
Landslide	Low
Dam-Failure	Low
Earthquake	Low
Tornado	Low
Severe Winter Storm	Medium
Wildfire	Medium

Comments:

See attached

Wyoming County

Natural Hazard·	Probable Future Risk to County: H (High), M (Medium), L (Low)
Flood	High
Landslide	High
Earthquake	Low
Tornado	Low
Severe Winter Storm	High
Wildfire	High

Natural Hazard	Probable Future Risk to Municipality: H (High), M (Medium), L (Low)		
	Athens	**Bluefield**	**Bramwell**
Flood	High	High	High
Landslide	Medium	Medium	Medium
Earthquake	Low	Low	Low
Tornado	Low	Low	Low
Severe Winter Storm	High	High	High
Wildfire	High	High	High

Comments:

As noted earlier under Profiling Hazard Events, Flood and Severe Winter Storm or Hailstorm (and resulting landslides) emerged as Special-focus Hazards with a high probability for occurrence in the County. This probability was based on event history and local knowledge.

Section 6. Asset Inventory Worksheets

Flood	In Hazard Area	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Agricultural	Religious	Gov/Non-profit	Educational	Utilities	Hospitals	Police	Dams	Fire	Airports
McDowell	Structures	3500	20	0	0	31	0	8	2	0	0	0	5	0
	People	10500												
Anawalt	Structures	105	4	0	0	2	3	1	1	0	1	0	1	0
	People	133												
Bradshaw	Structures	51	20	0	0	1	2	0	3	0	1	0	2	0
	People	51												
Davy	Structures	53	10	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0
	People	133												
Gary	Structures	93	4	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
	People	400												
Iaeger	Structures	120	17	0	0	1	2	2	1	0	0	0	1	0
	People	298												
Keystone	Structures	20	6	0	0	5	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0
	People	90												
Kimball	Structures	150	8	1	0	5	2	1	1	0	1	0	1	0
	People	372												
Northfork	Structures	100	23	1	0	8	1	1	1	0	1	0	1	0
	People	224												
War	Structures	250	41	0	0	11	1	3	2	0	0	1	1	0
	People	350												
Welch	Structures	293	96	0	0	9	4	1	2	1	1	0	1	0
	People	621												
Total	**Structures**	**4735**	**249**	**2**	**0**	**78**	**16**	**17**	**16**	**1**	**6**	**1**	**15**	**0**
	People	**13172**												

	Tax Values		**Estimated losses**
McDowell	Residential	$13,602.34	**$64,407,079.90**
	Commercial	$57,513.94	**$14,320,971.06**

Flood	In Hazard Area	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Agricultural	Religious	Gov/Non-. profit	Educational	Utilities	Hospitals	Police	Dams	Fire	Airports
Mercer	Structures	1244	270	10	15	12	0	13	0	0	0	0	0	0
	People	5000												
Athens	Structures	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	People	0												
Bluefield	Structures	150	50	10	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	People	335												

Bramwell	Structures	8	1	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
	People	20												
Matoaka	Structures	66	16	0	0	7	5	0	3	1	1	0	1	0
	People	132												
Oakvale	Structures	10	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	People	44												
Princeton	Structures	79	96	3	0	3	3	3	2	0	1	0	1	0
	People	237												
Total	**Structures**	**1557**	**436**	**23**	**15**	**39**	**9**	**16**	**7**	**1**	**2**	**0**	**2**	**0**
	People	**5768**												

	Tax Values		**Estimated Losses**
Mercer	Residential	$38,381.00	**$59,759,217.00**
	Commercial	$189,655.00	**$82,689,580.00**

Flood	**In Hazard Area**	**Residential**	**Commercial**	**Industrial**	**Agricultural**	**Religious**	**Gov/Non-profit**	**Educational**	**Utilities**	**Hospitals**	**Police**	**Dams**	**Fire**	**Airports**
Monroe	Structures	300	38	1	300	4	2	0	3	0	1	1	2	0
	People	1200												

**Monroe County data from 2002 HMP includes both incorporated and unincorporated data; no separate Peterstown or Union data.*

	Tax Values		**Estimated Losses**
Monroe	Residential	$37,193.00	**$11,157,900.00**
	Commercial	$504,916.00	**$19,186,808.00**

Flood	**In Hazard Area**	**Residential**	**Commercial**	**Industrial**	**Agricultural**	**Religious**	**Gov/Non-profit**	**Educational**	**Utilities**	**Hospitals**	**Police**	**Dams**	**Fire**	**Airports**
Raleigh	Structures	2546	1099	0	0	7	2	4	0	0	1	0	5	0
	People	6060												

**Raleigh County data from 2002 HMP includes both incorporated and unincorporated data*

	Tax Values		**Estimated Losses**
Raleigh	Residential	$65,000.00	**$165,490,000.00**
	Commercial	$150,000.00	**$164,850,000.00**

Flood	**In Hazard Area**	**Residential**	**Commercial**	**Industrial**	**Agricultural**	**Religious**	**Gov/Non-profit**	**Educational**	**Utilities**	**Hospitals**	**Police**	**Dams**	**Fire**	**Airports**

Summers	Structures	121	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	People	150												
Hinton	Structures	78	13	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0
	People	164												
Total	**Structures**	**199**	**19**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**2**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
	People	**314**												

	Tax Values		**Estimated Losses**
Summers	Residential	$29,843.40	**$5,938,836.60**
	Commercial	$122,029.41	**$2,318,558.79**

Flood	**In Hazard Area**	**Residential**	**Commercial**	**Industrial**	**Agricultural**	**Religious**	**Gov/Non-profit**	**Educational**	**Utilities**	**Hospitals**	**Police**	**Dams**	**Fire**	**Airports**
Wyoming	Structures	2691	281	0	0	48	2	0	7	0	1	0	3	0
	People	7166												

*Wyoming County data from 2002 HMP includes both incorporated and unincorporated data

	Tax Values		**Estimated Losses**
Wyoming	Residential	$30,000.00	**$80,730,000.00**
	Commercial	$50,000.00	**$14,050,000.00**

Total Region I Flood Losses

Residential	**$387,483,033.50**
Commercial	**$297,415,917.85**

McDowell County is countywide

Landslide	In Hazard Area	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Agricultural	Religious	Gov/Non-profit	Educational	Utilities	Hospitals	Police	Dams	Fire	Airports
Mercer	Structures	4621	75	10	0	25	0	5	5	0	0	2	4	0
	People	10767												
Athens	Structures	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	People	0												
Bluefield	Structures	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	People	0												
Bramwell	Structures	180	16	0	0	9	2	1	3	0	1	2	1	0
	People	426												
Matoaka	Structures	68	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0
	People	136												
Oakvale	Structures	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	People	0												
Princeton	Structures	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	People	0												
Total	**Structures**	**4869**	**91**	**10**	**0**	**35**	**2**	**6**	**9**	**0**	**1**	**4**	**5**	**0**
	People	**11329**												

	Tax Values		Estimated Losses
Mercer	Residential	$38,381.00	**$186,877,089.00**
	Commercial	$189,655.00	**$17,258,605.00**

Landslide

Monroe	In Hazard Area	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Agricultural	Religious	Gov/Non-profit	Educational	Utilities	Hospitals	Police	Dams	Fire	Airports
	Structures	1250	28	1	1500	23	0	2	4	0	0	1	3	0
	People	3013												

**Monroe County data from 2002 HMP includes both incorporated and unincorporated data; no separate Peterstown or Union data.*

	Tax Values		Estimated Losses
Monroe	Residential	$37,193.00	**$46,491,250.00**
	Commercial	$504,916.00	**$14,137,648.00**

Raleigh County is countywide

Landslide

	In Hazard Area	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Agricultural	Religious	Gov/Non-profit	Educational	Utilities	Hospitals	Police	Dams	Fire	Airports
Summers	Structures	750	9	1	15	10	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	0
	People	1740												

	Tax Values		Estimated Losses
Summers	Residential	$29,843.40	**$22,382,550.00**
	Commercial	$122,029.41	**$1,098,264.69**

Wyoming County is countywide

Total Regional Site-specific Landslide Losses

Residential	**$255,750,889.00**
Commercial	**$32,494,517.69**

Dam Failure	In Hazard Area	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Agricultural	Religious	Gov/Non-profit	Educational	Utilities	Hospitals	Police	Dams	Fire	Airports
McDowell	Structures	50	3	0	0	3	1	1	2	0	0	0	0	0
	People	175												
War	Structures	160	1	0	0	6	2	2	1	0	0	1	1	0
	People	300												
Total	**Structures**	**210**	**4**	**0**	**0**	**9**	**3**	**3**	**3**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**1**	**0**
	People	**175**												

	Tax Values		Estimated losses
McDowell	Residential	$13,602.34	**$2,856,491.40**
	Commercial	$57,513.94	**$230,055.76**

Dam Failure	In Hazard Area	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Agricultural	Religious	Gov/Non-profit	Educational	Utilities	Hospitals	Police	Dams	Fire	Airports
Bramwell	Structures	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0
	People	17												

	Tax Values		Estimated losses
Mercer	Residential	$38,381.00	**$307,048.00**
	Commercial	$189,655.00	**$0.00**

Dam Failure	In Hazard Area	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Agricultural	Religious	Gov/Non-profit	Educational	Utilities	Hospitals	Police	Dams	Fire	Airports
Monroe	Structures	20	2	0	8	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0
	People	50												

**Monroe County data from 2002 HMP includes both incorporated and unincorporated data; no separate Peterstown or Union data.*

	Tax Values		Estimated losses
Monroe	Residential	$37,193.00	**$743,860.00**
	Commercial	$504,916.00	**$1,009,832.00**

Dam Failure	In Hazard Area	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Agricultural	Religious	Gov/Non-profit	Educational	Utilities	Hospitals	Police	Dams	Fire	Airports
Raleigh	Structures	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
	People	35												

	Tax Values		Estimated losses
Raleigh	Residential	$65,000.00	**$975,000.00**
	Commercial	$150,000.00	**$0.00**

Dam Failure	In Hazard Area	Residential	Commercial	Industrial	Agricultural	Religious	Gov/Non-profit	Educational	Utilities	Hospitals	Police	Dams	Fire	Airports
Summers/Pipestem	Structures	88	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	People	170												
Summers/Sun Valley	Structures	40	3	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
	People	93												
Total	**Structures**	**128**	**5**	**0**	**0**	**1**	**0**	**2**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**	**0**
	People	**263**												

	Tax Values		Estimated Losses
Summers	Residential	$29,843.40	**$3,819,955.20**
	Commercial	$122,029.41	**$610,147.05**

No deficient listings for Wyoming

Total Regional losses from dams

Residential	**$8,702,354.60**
Commercial	**$1,850,034.81**

Countywide Hazards	In Hazard Area	# Residential Units	# Commercial Units	Residential Value	Commercial Value	Residental Loss	Commercial Loss	Toal loss/County	Countywide Hazard Type(s)
McDowell	Structures	14256	1000	$13,602.34	$57,513.94	$193,914,959.04	$57,513,940.00	$251,428,899.04	*Landslide, Ec*
	People	27329							
Mercer	Structures	25077	366	$38,381.00	$189,655.00	$962,480,337.00	$69,413,730.00	$1,031,894,067.00	*Earthquake,*
	People	62980							
Monroe	Structures	5737	130	$37,193.00	$504,916.00	$213,376,241.00	$65,639,080.00	$279,015,321.00	*Earthquake,*
	People	14583							
Raleigh	Structures	39459	13227	$65,000.00	$150,000.00	$2,564,835,000.00	$1,984,050,000.00	$4,548,885,000.00	*Landslide, Ec*
	People	79220							
Summers	Structures	6223	100	$29,843.40	$122,029.41	$185,715,478.20	$12,202,941.00	$197,918,419.20	*Earthquake,*
	People	12999							
Wyoming	Structures	11971	345	$30,000.00	$50,000.00	$359,130,000.00	$17,250,000.00	$376,380,000.00	*Landslide, Ec*
	People	25708							
Total	**Structures**	102723	15168			$4,479,452,015.24	$2,206,069,691.00	**$6,685,521,706.24**	
	People	**222819**							

ırthquake, Severe Winter Storm, Tornado, Wildfire

Severe Winter Storm, Wildfire, Tornado

Severe Winter Storm, Wildfire, Tornado

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Severe Winter Storm, Wildfire, Tornado

ırthquake, Severe Winter Storm, Tornado, Wildfire

Section 7. Attachments

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: McDowell County, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	27,329	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	12,975	47.5
Female	14,354	52.5
Under 5 years	1,406	5.1
5 to 9 years	1,692	6.2
10 to 14 years	1,981	7.2
15 to 19 years	1,954	7.1
20 to 24 years	1,460	5.3
25 to 34 years	3,115	11.4
35 to 44 years	4,197	15.4
45 to 54 years	4,314	15.8
55 to 59 years	1,512	5.5
60 to 64 years	1,296	4.7
65 to 74 years	2,315	8.5
75 to 84 years	1,591	5.8
85 years and over	496	1.8
Median age (years)	40.5	(X)
18 years and over	20,995	76.8
Male	9,721	35.6
Female	11,274	41.3
21 years and over	20,003	73.2
62 years and over	5,187	19.0
65 years and over	4,402	16.1
Male	1,659	6.1
Female	2,743	10.0
RACE		
One race	27,126	99.3
White	23,792	87.1
Black or African American	3,250	11.9
American Indian and Alaska Native	46	0.2
Asian	16	0.1
Asian Indian	1	-
Chinese	2	-
Filipino	6	-
Japanese	1	-
Korean	2	-
Vietnamese	2	-
Other Asian [1]	2	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	2	-
Native Hawaiian	2	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	20	0.1
Two or more races	203	0.7
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	23,968	87.7
Black or African American	3,330	12.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	158	0.6
Asian	33	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	4	-
Some other race	46	0.2

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	27,329	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	132	0.5
Mexican	52	0.2
Puerto Rican	12	-
Cuban	3	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	65	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	27,197	99.5
White alone	23,695	86.7
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	27,329	100.0
In households	27,026	98.9
Householder	11,169	40.9
Spouse	5,710	20.9
Child	7,736	28.3
Own child under 18 years	5,412	19.8
Other relatives	1,582	5.8
Under 18 years	775	2.8
Nonrelatives	829	3.0
Unmarried partner	451	1.7
In group quarters	303	1.1
Institutionalized population	259	0.9
Noninstitutionalized population	44	0.2
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	11,169	100.0
Family households (families)	7,841	70.2
With own children under 18 years	3,256	29.2
Married-couple family	5,710	51.1
With own children under 18 years	2,240	20.1
Female householder, no husband present	1,667	14.9
With own children under 18 years	805	7.2
Nonfamily households	3,328	29.8
Householder living alone	3,048	27.3
Householder 65 years and over	1,462	13.1
Households with individuals under 18 years	3,760	33.7
Households with individuals 65 years and over	3,378	30.2
Average household size	2.42	(X)
Average family size	2.92	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	13,582	100.0
Occupied housing units	11,169	82.2
Vacant housing units	2,413	17.8
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	130	1.0
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	4.6	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	13.1	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	11,169	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	8,942	80.1
Renter-occupied housing units	2,227	19.9
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.43	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.37	(X)

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[1] Other Asian alone, or two or more Asian categories.

[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Anawalt town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	272	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	124	45.6
Female	148	54.4
Under 5 years	12	4.4
5 to 9 years	21	7.7
10 to 14 years	16	5.9
15 to 19 years	10	3.7
20 to 24 years	18	6.6
25 to 34 years	32	11.8
35 to 44 years	46	16.9
45 to 54 years	48	17.6
55 to 59 years	18	6.6
60 to 64 years	7	2.6
65 to 74 years	22	8.1
75 to 84 years	16	5.9
85 years and over	6	2.2
Median age (years)	42.0	(X)
18 years and over	215	79.0
Male	98	36.0
Female	117	43.0
21 years and over	210	77.2
62 years and over	49	18.0
65 years and over	44	16.2
Male	13	4.8
Female	31	11.4
RACE		
One race	271	99.6
White	246	90.4
Black or African American	25	9.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	1	0.4
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	247	90.8
Black or African American	26	9.6
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	272	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	-	-
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	-	-
Not Hispanic or Latino	272	100.0
White alone	246	90.4
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	272	100.0
In households	272	100.0
Householder	114	41.9
Spouse	57	21.0
Child	68	25.0
Own child under 18 years	44	16.2
Other relatives	24	8.8
Under 18 years	13	4.8
Nonrelatives	9	3.3
Unmarried partner	6	2.2
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	114	100.0
Family households (families)	78	68.4
With own children under 18 years	29	25.4
Married-couple family	57	50.0
With own children under 18 years	21	18.4
Female householder, no husband present	14	12.3
With own children under 18 years	3	2.6
Nonfamily households	36	31.6
Householder living alone	33	28.9
Householder 65 years and over	21	18.4
Households with individuals under 18 years	36	31.6
Households with individuals 65 years and over	37	32.5
Average household size	2.39	(X)
Average family size	2.91	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	148	100.0
Occupied housing units	114	77.0
Vacant housing units	34	23.0
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	2	1.4
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	14.2	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	14.8	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	114	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	91	79.8
Renter-occupied housing units	23	20.2
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.45	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.13	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Bradshaw town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	289	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	131	45.3
Female	158	54.7
Under 5 years	14	4.8
5 to 9 years	18	6.2
10 to 14 years	20	6.9
15 to 19 years	14	4.8
20 to 24 years	18	6.2
25 to 34 years	33	11.4
35 to 44 years	47	16.3
45 to 54 years	49	17.0
55 to 59 years	18	6.2
60 to 64 years	15	5.2
65 to 74 years	23	8.0
75 to 84 years	14	4.8
85 years and over	6	2.1
Median age (years)	41.1	(X)
18 years and over	229	79.2
Male	102	35.3
Female	127	43.9
21 years and over	219	75.8
62 years and over	54	18.7
65 years and over	43	14.9
Male	15	5.2
Female	28	9.7
RACE		
One race	288	99.7
White	288	99.7
Black or African American	-	-
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	1	0.3
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	289	100.0
Black or African American	-	-
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	1	0.3

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	289	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	-	-
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	-	-
Not Hispanic or Latino	289	100.0
White alone	288	99.7
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	289	100.0
In households	289	100.0
Householder	135	46.7
Spouse	61	21.1
Child	72	24.9
Own child under 18 years	53	18.3
Other relatives	14	4.8
Under 18 years	4	1.4
Nonrelatives	7	2.4
Unmarried partner	4	1.4
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	135	100.0
Family households (families)	83	61.5
With own children under 18 years	30	22.2
Married-couple family	61	45.2
With own children under 18 years	20	14.8
Female householder, no husband present	18	13.3
With own children under 18 years	10	7.4
Nonfamily households	52	38.5
Householder living alone	49	36.3
Householder 65 years and over	19	14.1
Households with individuals under 18 years	36	26.7
Households with individuals 65 years and over	37	27.4
Average household size	2.14	(X)
Average family size	2.77	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	174	100.0
Occupied housing units	135	77.6
Vacant housing units	39	22.4
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	1	0.6
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	6.7	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	13.6	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	135	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	97	71.9
Renter-occupied housing units	38	28.1
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.11	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.21	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Davy town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	373	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	177	47.5
Female	196	52.5
Under 5 years	21	5.6
5 to 9 years	24	6.4
10 to 14 years	28	7.5
15 to 19 years	29	7.8
20 to 24 years	20	5.4
25 to 34 years	56	15.0
35 to 44 years	51	13.7
45 to 54 years	64	17.2
55 to 59 years	20	5.4
60 to 64 years	16	4.3
65 to 74 years	25	6.7
75 to 84 years	10	2.7
85 years and over	9	2.4
Median age (years)	37.3	(X)
18 years and over	284	76.1
Male	131	35.1
Female	153	41.0
21 years and over	269	72.1
62 years and over	51	13.7
65 years and over	44	11.8
Male	17	4.6
Female	27	7.2
RACE		
One race	373	100.0
White	372	99.7
Black or African American	-	-
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	0.3
Native Hawaiian	1	0.3
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	-	-
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	372	99.7
Black or African American	-	-
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	0.3
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	373	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	-	-
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	-	-
Not Hispanic or Latino	373	100.0
White alone	372	99.7
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	373	100.0
In households	373	100.0
Householder	137	36.7
Spouse	81	21.7
Child	117	31.4
Own child under 18 years	72	19.3
Other relatives	28	7.5
Under 18 years	14	3.8
Nonrelatives	10	2.7
Unmarried partner	5	1.3
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	137	100.0
Family households (families)	106	77.4
With own children under 18 years	41	29.9
Married-couple family	81	59.1
With own children under 18 years	34	24.8
Female householder, no husband present	18	13.1
With own children under 18 years	6	4.4
Nonfamily households	31	22.6
Householder living alone	29	21.2
Householder 65 years and over	14	10.2
Households with individuals under 18 years	48	35.0
Households with individuals 65 years and over	36	26.3
Average household size	2.72	(X)
Average family size	3.13	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	170	100.0
Occupied housing units	137	80.6
Vacant housing units	33	19.4
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	2	1.2
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	3.4	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	26.5	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	137	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	112	81.8
Renter-occupied housing units	25	18.2
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.74	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.64	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Gary city, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	917	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	425	46.3
Female	492	53.7
Under 5 years	36	3.9
5 to 9 years	34	3.7
10 to 14 years	62	6.8
15 to 19 years	61	6.7
20 to 24 years	33	3.6
25 to 34 years	62	6.8
35 to 44 years	107	11.7
45 to 54 years	124	13.5
55 to 59 years	44	4.8
60 to 64 years	61	6.7
65 to 74 years	145	15.8
75 to 84 years	128	14.0
85 years and over	20	2.2
Median age (years)	49.5	(X)
18 years and over	743	81.0
Male	327	35.7
Female	416	45.4
21 years and over	717	78.2
62 years and over	338	36.9
65 years and over	293	32.0
Male	121	13.2
Female	172	18.8
RACE		
One race	890	97.1
White	563	61.4
Black or African American	326	35.6
American Indian and Alaska Native	1	0.1
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	27	2.9
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	583	63.6
Black or African American	346	37.7
American Indian and Alaska Native	17	1.9
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	917	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	5	0.5
Mexican	2	0.2
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	3	0.3
Not Hispanic or Latino	912	99.5
White alone	560	61.1
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	917	100.0
In households	915	99.8
Householder	420	45.8
Spouse	184	20.1
Child	216	23.6
Own child under 18 years	129	14.1
Other relatives	62	6.8
Under 18 years	34	3.7
Nonrelatives	33	3.6
Unmarried partner	12	1.3
In group quarters	2	0.2
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	2	0.2
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	420	100.0
Family households (families)	261	62.1
With own children under 18 years	72	17.1
Married-couple family	184	43.8
With own children under 18 years	36	8.6
Female householder, no husband present	62	14.8
With own children under 18 years	31	7.4
Nonfamily households	159	37.9
Householder living alone	151	36.0
Householder 65 years and over	98	23.3
Households with individuals under 18 years	93	22.1
Households with individuals 65 years and over	223	53.1
Average household size	2.18	(X)
Average family size	2.77	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	542	100.0
Occupied housing units	420	77.5
Vacant housing units	122	22.5
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	5	0.9
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	9.2	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	2.3	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	420	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	377	89.8
Renter-occupied housing units	43	10.2
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.14	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.56	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: laeger town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	358	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	158	44.1
Female	200	55.9
Under 5 years	11	3.1
5 to 9 years	17	4.7
10 to 14 years	23	6.4
15 to 19 years	24	6.7
20 to 24 years	11	3.1
25 to 34 years	41	11.5
35 to 44 years	59	16.5
45 to 54 years	55	15.4
55 to 59 years	25	7.0
60 to 64 years	26	7.3
65 to 74 years	30	8.4
75 to 84 years	25	7.0
85 years and over	11	3.1
Median age (years)	43.9	(X)
18 years and over	294	82.1
Male	134	37.4
Female	160	44.7
21 years and over	280	78.2
62 years and over	85	23.7
65 years and over	66	18.4
Male	19	5.3
Female	47	13.1
RACE		
One race	354	98.9
White	345	96.4
Black or African American	9	2.5
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	4	1.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	349	97.5
Black or African American	9	2.5
American Indian and Alaska Native	4	1.1
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	358	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2	0.6
Mexican	1	0.3
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	1	0.3
Not Hispanic or Latino	356	99.4
White alone	343	95.8
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	358	100.0
In households	358	100.0
Householder	167	46.6
Spouse	86	24.0
Child	88	24.6
Own child under 18 years	58	16.2
Other relatives	12	3.4
Under 18 years	6	1.7
Nonrelatives	5	1.4
Unmarried partner	5	1.4
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	167	100.0
Family households (families)	106	63.5
With own children under 18 years	36	21.6
Married-couple family	86	51.5
With own children under 18 years	28	16.8
Female householder, no husband present	18	10.8
With own children under 18 years	7	4.2
Nonfamily households	61	36.5
Householder living alone	58	34.7
Householder 65 years and over	32	19.2
Households with individuals under 18 years	41	24.6
Households with individuals 65 years and over	56	33.5
Average household size	2.14	(X)
Average family size	2.75	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	216	100.0
Occupied housing units	167	77.3
Vacant housing units	49	22.7
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	1	0.5
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	11.6	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	11.6	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	167	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	129	77.2
Renter-occupied housing units	38	22.8
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.09	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.32	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Keystone city, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	453	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	187	41.3
Female	266	58.7
Under 5 years	32	7.1
5 to 9 years	41	9.1
10 to 14 years	35	7.7
15 to 19 years	26	5.7
20 to 24 years	24	5.3
25 to 34 years	42	9.3
35 to 44 years	55	12.1
45 to 54 years	64	14.1
55 to 59 years	15	3.3
60 to 64 years	19	4.2
65 to 74 years	38	8.4
75 to 84 years	47	10.4
85 years and over	15	3.3
Median age (years)	39.9	(X)
18 years and over	330	72.8
Male	134	29.6
Female	196	43.3
21 years and over	316	69.8
62 years and over	109	24.1
65 years and over	100	22.1
Male	36	7.9
Female	64	14.1
RACE		
One race	444	98.0
White	111	24.5
Black or African American	330	72.8
American Indian and Alaska Native	2	0.4
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	1	0.2
Two or more races	9	2.0
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	120	26.5
Black or African American	334	73.7
American Indian and Alaska Native	4	0.9
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	5	1.1

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	453	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	1	0.2
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	1	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	452	99.8
White alone	111	24.5
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	453	100.0
In households	453	100.0
Householder	203	44.8
Spouse	52	11.5
Child	143	31.6
Own child under 18 years	97	21.4
Other relatives	38	8.4
Under 18 years	24	5.3
Nonrelatives	17	3.8
Unmarried partner	10	2.2
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	203	100.0
Family households (families)	121	59.6
With own children under 18 years	55	27.1
Married-couple family	52	25.6
With own children under 18 years	11	5.4
Female householder, no husband present	60	29.6
With own children under 18 years	38	18.7
Nonfamily households	82	40.4
Householder living alone	79	38.9
Householder 65 years and over	40	19.7
Households with individuals under 18 years	65	32.0
Households with individuals 65 years and over	79	38.9
Average household size	2.23	(X)
Average family size	2.93	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	236	100.0
Occupied housing units	203	86.0
Vacant housing units	33	14.0
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	3	1.3
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	5.8	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	-	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	203	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	114	56.2
Renter-occupied housing units	89	43.8
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.17	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.31	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Kimball town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	411	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	173	42.1
Female	238	57.9
Under 5 years	17	4.1
5 to 9 years	32	7.8
10 to 14 years	30	7.3
15 to 19 years	37	9.0
20 to 24 years	27	6.6
25 to 34 years	27	6.6
35 to 44 years	48	11.7
45 to 54 years	53	12.9
55 to 59 years	19	4.6
60 to 64 years	24	5.8
65 to 74 years	37	9.0
75 to 84 years	37	9.0
85 years and over	23	5.6
Median age (years)	42.3	(X)
18 years and over	312	75.9
Male	120	29.2
Female	192	46.7
21 years and over	289	70.3
62 years and over	113	27.5
65 years and over	97	23.6
Male	37	9.0
Female	60	14.6
RACE		
One race	401	97.6
White	140	34.1
Black or African American	260	63.3
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	0.2
Native Hawaiian	1	0.2
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	10	2.4
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	143	34.8
Black or African American	269	65.5
American Indian and Alaska Native	7	1.7
Asian	2	0.5
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	0.2
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	411	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	-	-
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	-	-
Not Hispanic or Latino	411	100.0
White alone	140	34.1
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	411	100.0
In households	411	100.0
Householder	166	40.4
Spouse	55	13.4
Child	127	30.9
Own child under 18 years	73	17.8
Other relatives	45	10.9
Under 18 years	26	6.3
Nonrelatives	18	4.4
Unmarried partner	7	1.7
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	166	100.0
Family households (families)	107	64.5
With own children under 18 years	37	22.3
Married-couple family	55	33.1
With own children under 18 years	16	9.6
Female householder, no husband present	45	27.1
With own children under 18 years	19	11.4
Nonfamily households	59	35.5
Householder living alone	56	33.7
Householder 65 years and over	34	20.5
Households with individuals under 18 years	52	31.3
Households with individuals 65 years and over	76	45.8
Average household size	2.48	(X)
Average family size	3.12	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	233	100.0
Occupied housing units	166	71.2
Vacant housing units	67	28.8
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	4	1.7
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	12.4	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	6.1	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	166	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	120	72.3
Renter-occupied housing units	46	27.7
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.52	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.37	(X)

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[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Northfork town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	**519**	**100.0**
SEX AND AGE		
Male	229	44.1
Female	290	55.9
Under 5 years	17	3.3
5 to 9 years	34	6.6
10 to 14 years	36	6.9
15 to 19 years	45	8.7
20 to 24 years	27	5.2
25 to 34 years	40	7.7
35 to 44 years	74	14.3
45 to 54 years	78	15.0
55 to 59 years	25	4.8
60 to 64 years	18	3.5
65 to 74 years	54	10.4
75 to 84 years	51	9.8
85 years and over	20	3.9
Median age (years)	43.4	(X)
18 years and over	402	77.5
Male	165	31.8
Female	237	45.7
21 years and over	383	73.8
62 years and over	135	26.0
65 years and over	125	24.1
Male	40	7.7
Female	85	16.4
RACE		
One race	510	98.3
White	228	44.1
Black or African American	280	53.9
American Indian and Alaska Native	1	0.2
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	9	1.7
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	235	45.3
Black or African American	288	55.5
American Indian and Alaska Native	4	0.8
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	1	0.2

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	**519**	**100.0**
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2	0.4
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	2	0.4
Not Hispanic or Latino	517	99.6
White alone	229	44.1
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	**519**	**100.0**
In households	514	99.0
Householder	229	44.1
Spouse	67	12.9
Child	146	28.1
Own child under 18 years	90	17.3
Other relatives	53	10.2
Under 18 years	21	4.0
Nonrelatives	19	3.7
Unmarried partner	10	1.9
In group quarters	5	1.0
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	5	1.0
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	**229**	**100.0**
Family households (families)	131	57.2
With own children under 18 years	50	21.8
Married-couple family	67	29.3
With own children under 18 years	23	10.0
Female householder, no husband present	57	24.9
With own children under 18 years	26	11.4
Nonfamily households	98	42.8
Householder living alone	89	38.9
Householder 65 years and over	46	20.1
Households with individuals under 18 years	65	28.4
Households with individuals 65 years and over	96	41.9
Average household size	2.24	(X)
Average family size	3.03	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	**298**	**100.0**
Occupied housing units	229	76.8
Vacant housing units	69	23.2
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	1	0.3
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	10.3	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	4.2	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	**229**	**100.0**
Owner-occupied housing units	183	79.9
Renter-occupied housing units	46	20.1
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.21	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.37	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: War city, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	788	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	366	46.4
Female	422	53.6
Under 5 years	41	5.2
5 to 9 years	53	6.7
10 to 14 years	66	8.4
15 to 19 years	51	6.5
20 to 24 years	25	3.2
25 to 34 years	81	10.3
35 to 44 years	125	15.9
45 to 54 years	124	15.7
55 to 59 years	45	5.7
60 to 64 years	49	6.2
65 to 74 years	65	8.2
75 to 84 years	49	6.2
85 years and over	14	1.8
Median age (years)	41.4	(X)
18 years and over	595	75.5
Male	270	34.3
Female	325	41.2
21 years and over	567	72.0
62 years and over	160	20.3
65 years and over	128	16.2
Male	45	5.7
Female	83	10.5
RACE		
One race	787	99.9
White	746	94.7
Black or African American	36	4.6
American Indian and Alaska Native	2	0.3
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	3	0.4
Two or more races	1	0.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	747	94.8
Black or African American	36	4.6
American Indian and Alaska Native	3	0.4
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	3	0.4

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	788	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	5	0.6
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	5	0.6
Not Hispanic or Latino	783	99.4
White alone	741	94.0
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	788	100.0
In households	788	100.0
Householder	331	42.0
Spouse	167	21.2
Child	238	30.2
Own child under 18 years	177	22.5
Other relatives	29	3.7
Under 18 years	11	1.4
Nonrelatives	23	2.9
Unmarried partner	8	1.0
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	331	100.0
Family households (families)	225	68.0
With own children under 18 years	95	28.7
Married-couple family	167	50.5
With own children under 18 years	69	20.8
Female householder, no husband present	49	14.8
With own children under 18 years	22	6.6
Nonfamily households	106	32.0
Householder living alone	97	29.3
Householder 65 years and over	43	13.0
Households with individuals under 18 years	103	31.1
Households with individuals 65 years and over	99	29.9
Average household size	2.38	(X)
Average family size	2.93	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	388	100.0
Occupied housing units	331	85.3
Vacant housing units	57	14.7
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	4	1.0
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	4.6	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	12.1	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	331	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	229	69.2
Renter-occupied housing units	102	30.8
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.38	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.37	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Welch city, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	2,683	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	1,206	44.9
Female	1,477	55.1
Under 5 years	108	4.0
5 to 9 years	134	5.0
10 to 14 years	165	6.1
15 to 19 years	177	6.6
20 to 24 years	113	4.2
25 to 34 years	277	10.3
35 to 44 years	387	14.4
45 to 54 years	425	15.8
55 to 59 years	153	5.7
60 to 64 years	139	5.2
65 to 74 years	301	11.2
75 to 84 years	233	8.7
85 years and over	71	2.6
Median age (years)	44.6	(X)
18 years and over	2,164	80.7
Male	962	35.9
Female	1,202	44.8
21 years and over	2,078	77.5
62 years and over	688	25.6
65 years and over	605	22.5
Male	223	8.3
Female	382	14.2
RACE		
One race	2,666	99.4
White	2,125	79.2
Black or African American	517	19.3
American Indian and Alaska Native	7	0.3
Asian	8	0.3
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	2	0.1
Filipino	3	0.1
Japanese	-	-
Korean	2	0.1
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	1	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	9	0.3
Two or more races	17	0.6
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	2,138	79.7
Black or African American	525	19.6
American Indian and Alaska Native	17	0.6
Asian	11	0.4
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	10	0.4

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	2,683	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	28	1.0
Mexican	10	0.4
Puerto Rican	6	0.2
Cuban	3	0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	9	0.3
Not Hispanic or Latino	2,655	99.0
White alone	2,105	78.5
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	2,683	100.0
In households	2,536	94.5
Householder	1,195	44.5
Spouse	469	17.5
Child	636	23.7
Own child under 18 years	439	16.4
Other relatives	150	5.6
Under 18 years	67	2.5
Nonrelatives	86	3.2
Unmarried partner	44	1.6
In group quarters	147	5.5
Institutionalized population	147	5.5
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	1,195	100.0
Family households (families)	715	59.8
With own children under 18 years	271	22.7
Married-couple family	469	39.2
With own children under 18 years	144	12.1
Female householder, no husband present	205	17.2
With own children under 18 years	107	9.0
Nonfamily households	480	40.2
Householder living alone	449	37.6
Householder 65 years and over	210	17.6
Households with individuals under 18 years	314	26.3
Households with individuals 65 years and over	444	37.2
Average household size	2.12	(X)
Average family size	2.76	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	1,453	100.0
Occupied housing units	1,195	82.2
Vacant housing units	258	17.8
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	13	0.9
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	5.4	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	17.6	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	1,195	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	746	62.4
Renter-occupied housing units	449	37.6
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.23	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	1.94	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Mercer County, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	62,980	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	30,021	47.7
Female	32,959	52.3
Under 5 years	3,638	5.8
5 to 9 years	3,644	5.8
10 to 14 years	3,606	5.7
15 to 19 years	4,206	6.7
20 to 24 years	4,345	6.9
25 to 34 years	7,850	12.5
35 to 44 years	8,651	13.7
45 to 54 years	9,468	15.0
55 to 59 years	3,509	5.6
60 to 64 years	3,094	4.9
65 to 74 years	5,688	9.0
75 to 84 years	3,995	6.3
85 years and over	1,286	2.0
Median age (years)	40.2	(X)
18 years and over	49,710	78.9
Male	23,228	36.9
Female	26,482	42.0
21 years and over	46,943	74.5
62 years and over	12,785	20.3
65 years and over	10,969	17.4
Male	4,257	6.8
Female	6,712	10.7
RACE		
One race	62,447	99.2
White	58,295	92.6
Black or African American	3,668	5.8
American Indian and Alaska Native	122	0.2
Asian	288	0.5
Asian Indian	101	0.2
Chinese	12	-
Filipino	70	0.1
Japanese	14	-
Korean	13	-
Vietnamese	16	-
Other Asian [1]	62	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	8	-
Native Hawaiian	1	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	1	-
Samoan	3	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	3	-
Some other race	66	0.1
Two or more races	533	0.8
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	58,797	93.4
Black or African American	3,810	6.0
American Indian and Alaska Native	377	0.6
Asian	370	0.6
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	18	-
Some other race	158	0.3

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	62,980	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	285	0.5
Mexican	91	0.1
Puerto Rican	35	0.1
Cuban	19	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	140	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	62,695	99.5
White alone	58,073	92.2
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	62,980	100.0
In households	61,719	98.0
Householder	26,509	42.1
Spouse	14,051	22.3
Child	16,340	25.9
Own child under 18 years	11,761	18.7
Other relatives	2,793	4.4
Under 18 years	1,217	1.9
Nonrelatives	2,026	3.2
Unmarried partner	1,009	1.6
In group quarters	1,261	2.0
Institutionalized population	473	0.8
Noninstitutionalized population	788	1.3
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	26,509	100.0
Family households (families)	17,943	67.7
With own children under 18 years	7,080	26.7
Married-couple family	14,051	53.0
With own children under 18 years	5,152	19.4
Female householder, no husband present	2,976	11.2
With own children under 18 years	1,516	5.7
Nonfamily households	8,566	32.3
Householder living alone	7,604	28.7
Householder 65 years and over	3,598	13.6
Households with individuals under 18 years	7,933	29.9
Households with individuals 65 years and over	8,041	30.3
Average household size	2.33	(X)
Average family size	2.85	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	30,143	100.0
Occupied housing units	26,509	87.9
Vacant housing units	3,634	12.1
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	465	1.5
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	2.5	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	10.6	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	26,509	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	20,362	76.8
Renter-occupied housing units	6,147	23.2
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.38	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.15	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Athens town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,102	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	657	59.6
Female	445	40.4
Under 5 years	40	3.6
5 to 9 years	32	2.9
10 to 14 years	38	3.4
15 to 19 years	169	15.3
20 to 24 years	303	27.5
25 to 34 years	105	9.5
35 to 44 years	87	7.9
45 to 54 years	117	10.6
55 to 59 years	36	3.3
60 to 64 years	39	3.5
65 to 74 years	53	4.8
75 to 84 years	62	5.6
85 years and over	21	1.9
Median age (years)	23.8	(X)
18 years and over	962	87.3
Male	587	53.3
Female	375	34.0
21 years and over	722	65.5
62 years and over	153	13.9
65 years and over	136	12.3
Male	49	4.4
Female	87	7.9
RACE		
One race	1,090	98.9
White	1,017	92.3
Black or African American	53	4.8
American Indian and Alaska Native	2	0.2
Asian	17	1.5
Asian Indian	8	0.7
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	5	0.5
Korean	1	0.1
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	3	0.3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	0.1
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	1	0.1
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	12	1.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	1,025	93.0
Black or African American	56	5.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	5	0.5
Asian	20	1.8
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	4	0.4
Some other race	4	0.4

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	1,102	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	10	0.9
Mexican	7	0.6
Puerto Rican	1	0.1
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	2	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,092	99.1
White alone	1,010	91.7
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	1,102	100.0
In households	769	69.8
Householder	359	32.6
Spouse	157	14.2
Child	173	15.7
Own child under 18 years	127	11.5
Other relatives	17	1.5
Under 18 years	7	0.6
Nonrelatives	63	5.7
Unmarried partner	12	1.1
In group quarters	333	30.2
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	333	30.2
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	359	100.0
Family households (families)	200	55.7
With own children under 18 years	73	20.3
Married-couple family	157	43.7
With own children under 18 years	52	14.5
Female householder, no husband present	36	10.0
With own children under 18 years	21	5.8
Nonfamily households	159	44.3
Householder living alone	118	32.9
Householder 65 years and over	53	14.8
Households with individuals under 18 years	80	22.3
Households with individuals 65 years and over	104	29.0
Average household size	2.14	(X)
Average family size	2.74	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	414	100.0
Occupied housing units	359	86.7
Vacant housing units	55	13.3
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	12	2.9
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	3.2	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	10.1	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	359	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	243	67.7
Renter-occupied housing units	116	32.3
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.14	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.14	(X)

- Represents zero or rounds to zero. (X) Not applicable.

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Bluefield city, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	11,451	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	5,241	45.8
Female	6,210	54.2
Under 5 years	660	5.8
5 to 9 years	673	5.9
10 to 14 years	672	5.9
15 to 19 years	748	6.5
20 to 24 years	741	6.5
25 to 34 years	1,200	10.5
35 to 44 years	1,487	13.0
45 to 54 years	1,676	14.6
55 to 59 years	581	5.1
60 to 64 years	550	4.8
65 to 74 years	1,173	10.2
75 to 84 years	983	8.6
85 years and over	307	2.7
Median age (years)	42.2	(X)
18 years and over	8,993	78.5
Male	3,984	34.8
Female	5,009	43.7
21 years and over	8,540	74.6
62 years and over	2,797	24.4
65 years and over	2,463	21.5
Male	903	7.9
Female	1,560	13.6
RACE		
One race	11,322	98.9
White	8,684	75.8
Black or African American	2,535	22.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	14	0.1
Asian	64	0.6
Asian Indian	30	0.3
Chinese	5	-
Filipino	4	-
Japanese	3	-
Korean	2	-
Vietnamese	11	0.1
Other Asian [1]	9	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	1	-
Some other race	24	0.2
Two or more races	129	1.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	8,800	76.8
Black or African American	2,594	22.7
American Indian and Alaska Native	63	0.6
Asian	88	0.8
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	-
Some other race	41	0.4

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	11,451	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	60	0.5
Mexican	22	0.2
Puerto Rican	10	0.1
Cuban	10	0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	18	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	11,391	99.5
White alone	8,645	75.5
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	11,451	100.0
In households	11,253	98.3
Householder	5,038	44.0
Spouse	2,194	19.2
Child	2,951	25.8
Own child under 18 years	2,127	18.6
Other relatives	600	5.2
Under 18 years	254	2.2
Nonrelatives	470	4.1
Unmarried partner	179	1.6
In group quarters	198	1.7
Institutionalized population	167	1.5
Noninstitutionalized population	31	0.3
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	5,038	100.0
Family households (families)	3,080	61.1
With own children under 18 years	1,245	24.7
Married-couple family	2,194	43.5
With own children under 18 years	778	15.4
Female householder, no husband present	702	13.9
With own children under 18 years	391	7.8
Nonfamily households	1,958	38.9
Householder living alone	1,759	34.9
Householder 65 years and over	881	17.5
Households with individuals under 18 years	1,407	27.9
Households with individuals 65 years and over	1,780	35.3
Average household size	2.23	(X)
Average family size	2.87	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	5,966	100.0
Occupied housing units	5,038	84.4
Vacant housing units	928	15.6
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	66	1.1
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	4.6	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	12.3	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	5,038	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	3,339	66.3
Renter-occupied housing units	1,699	33.7
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.27	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.17	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Bramwell town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	426	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	198	46.5
Female	228	53.5
Under 5 years	24	5.6
5 to 9 years	23	5.4
10 to 14 years	16	3.8
15 to 19 years	18	4.2
20 to 24 years	28	6.6
25 to 34 years	47	11.0
35 to 44 years	45	10.6
45 to 54 years	61	14.3
55 to 59 years	35	8.2
60 to 64 years	28	6.6
65 to 74 years	49	11.5
75 to 84 years	34	8.0
85 years and over	18	4.2
Median age (years)	46.9	(X)
18 years and over	353	82.9
Male	159	37.3
Female	194	45.5
21 years and over	338	79.3
62 years and over	118	27.7
65 years and over	101	23.7
Male	37	8.7
Female	64	15.0
RACE		
One race	424	99.5
White	382	89.7
Black or African American	42	9.9
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	2	0.5
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	384	90.1
Black or African American	43	10.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	1	0.2
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	426	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	2	0.5
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	2	0.5
Not Hispanic or Latino	424	99.5
White alone	380	89.2
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	426	100.0
In households	426	100.0
Householder	189	44.4
Spouse	84	19.7
Child	109	25.6
Own child under 18 years	54	12.7
Other relatives	34	8.0
Under 18 years	17	4.0
Nonrelatives	10	2.3
Unmarried partner	7	1.6
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	189	100.0
Family households (families)	121	64.0
With own children under 18 years	31	16.4
Married-couple family	84	44.4
With own children under 18 years	21	11.1
Female householder, no husband present	28	14.8
With own children under 18 years	10	5.3
Nonfamily households	68	36.0
Householder living alone	64	33.9
Householder 65 years and over	37	19.6
Households with individuals under 18 years	45	23.8
Households with individuals 65 years and over	78	41.3
Average household size	2.25	(X)
Average family size	2.88	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	237	100.0
Occupied housing units	189	79.7
Vacant housing units	48	20.3
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	5	2.1
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	4.7	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	22.2	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	189	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	161	85.2
Renter-occupied housing units	28	14.8
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.25	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.25	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Matoaka town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	317	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	138	43.5
Female	179	56.5
Under 5 years	27	8.5
5 to 9 years	24	7.6
10 to 14 years	23	7.3
15 to 19 years	15	4.7
20 to 24 years	13	4.1
25 to 34 years	53	16.7
35 to 44 years	30	9.5
45 to 54 years	36	11.4
55 to 59 years	16	5.0
60 to 64 years	17	5.4
65 to 74 years	32	10.1
75 to 84 years	27	8.5
85 years and over	4	1.3
Median age (years)	35.7	(X)
18 years and over	232	73.2
Male	105	33.1
Female	127	40.1
21 years and over	224	70.7
62 years and over	73	23.0
65 years and over	63	19.9
Male	26	8.2
Female	37	11.7
RACE		
One race	314	99.1
White	313	98.7
Black or African American	-	-
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	1	0.3
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	1	0.3
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	3	0.9
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	316	99.7
Black or African American	-	-
American Indian and Alaska Native	1	0.3
Asian	3	0.9
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	317	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	-	-
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	-	-
Not Hispanic or Latino	317	100.0
White alone	313	98.7
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	317	100.0
In households	311	98.1
Householder	125	39.4
Spouse	60	18.9
Child	95	30.0
Own child under 18 years	72	22.7
Other relatives	21	6.6
Under 18 years	11	3.5
Nonrelatives	10	3.2
Unmarried partner	5	1.6
In group quarters	6	1.9
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	6	1.9
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	125	100.0
Family households (families)	93	74.4
With own children under 18 years	38	30.4
Married-couple family	60	48.0
With own children under 18 years	19	15.2
Female householder, no husband present	25	20.0
With own children under 18 years	14	11.2
Nonfamily households	32	25.6
Householder living alone	29	23.2
Householder 65 years and over	21	16.8
Households with individuals under 18 years	45	36.0
Households with individuals 65 years and over	46	36.8
Average household size	2.49	(X)
Average family size	2.89	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	155	100.0
Occupied housing units	125	80.6
Vacant housing units	30	19.4
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	-	-
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	3.4	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	18.0	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	125	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	84	67.2
Renter-occupied housing units	41	32.8
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.54	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.39	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Oakvale town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	142	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	68	47.9
Female	74	52.1
Under 5 years	14	9.9
5 to 9 years	8	5.6
10 to 14 years	8	5.6
15 to 19 years	8	5.6
20 to 24 years	10	7.0
25 to 34 years	17	12.0
35 to 44 years	24	16.9
45 to 54 years	22	15.5
55 to 59 years	10	7.0
60 to 64 years	4	2.8
65 to 74 years	13	9.2
75 to 84 years	4	2.8
85 years and over	-	-
Median age (years)	37.0	(X)
18 years and over	109	76.8
Male	52	36.6
Female	57	40.1
21 years and over	102	71.8
62 years and over	21	14.8
65 years and over	17	12.0
Male	7	4.9
Female	10	7.0
RACE		
One race	141	99.3
White	139	97.9
Black or African American	2	1.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	1	0.7
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	140	98.6
Black or African American	3	2.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	142	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	-	-
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	-	-
Not Hispanic or Latino	142	100.0
White alone	139	97.9
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	142	100.0
In households	142	100.0
Householder	58	40.8
Spouse	28	19.7
Child	39	27.5
Own child under 18 years	26	18.3
Other relatives	11	7.7
Under 18 years	7	4.9
Nonrelatives	6	4.2
Unmarried partner	6	4.2
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	58	100.0
Family households (families)	45	77.6
With own children under 18 years	17	29.3
Married-couple family	28	48.3
With own children under 18 years	13	22.4
Female householder, no husband present	12	20.7
With own children under 18 years	2	3.4
Nonfamily households	13	22.4
Householder living alone	12	20.7
Householder 65 years and over	7	12.1
Households with individuals under 18 years	23	39.7
Households with individuals 65 years and over	15	25.9
Average household size	2.45	(X)
Average family size	2.73	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	65	100.0
Occupied housing units	58	89.2
Vacant housing units	7	10.8
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	-	-
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	7.7	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	-	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	58	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	48	82.8
Renter-occupied housing units	10	17.2
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.31	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	3.10	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Princeton city, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	6,347	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	2,844	44.8
Female	3,503	55.2
Under 5 years	299	4.7
5 to 9 years	325	5.1
10 to 14 years	332	5.2
15 to 19 years	357	5.6
20 to 24 years	355	5.6
25 to 34 years	719	11.3
35 to 44 years	813	12.8
45 to 54 years	886	14.0
55 to 59 years	300	4.7
60 to 64 years	323	5.1
65 to 74 years	778	12.3
75 to 84 years	608	9.6
85 years and over	252	4.0
Median age (years)	44.7	(X)
18 years and over	5,181	81.6
Male	2,265	35.7
Female	2,916	45.9
21 years and over	4,970	78.3
62 years and over	1,829	28.8
65 years and over	1,638	25.8
Male	556	8.8
Female	1,082	17.0
RACE		
One race	6,294	99.2
White	5,841	92.0
Black or African American	394	6.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	19	0.3
Asian	27	0.4
Asian Indian	8	0.1
Chinese	1	-
Filipino	13	0.2
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	1	-
Other Asian [1]	4	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	1	-
Some other race	12	0.2
Two or more races	53	0.8
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	5,892	92.8
Black or African American	402	6.3
American Indian and Alaska Native	48	0.8
Asian	34	0.5
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	4	0.1
Some other race	21	0.3

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	6,347	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	33	0.5
Mexican	12	0.2
Puerto Rican	5	0.1
Cuban	4	0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	12	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	6,314	99.5
White alone	5,818	91.7
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	6,347	100.0
In households	6,195	97.6
Householder	2,967	46.7
Spouse	1,211	19.1
Child	1,409	22.2
Own child under 18 years	973	15.3
Other relatives	360	5.7
Under 18 years	167	2.6
Nonrelatives	248	3.9
Unmarried partner	127	2.0
In group quarters	152	2.4
Institutionalized population	117	1.8
Noninstitutionalized population	35	0.6
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	2,967	100.0
Family households (families)	1,662	56.0
With own children under 18 years	593	20.0
Married-couple family	1,211	40.8
With own children under 18 years	390	13.1
Female householder, no husband present	355	12.0
With own children under 18 years	163	5.5
Nonfamily households	1,305	44.0
Householder living alone	1,176	39.6
Householder 65 years and over	650	21.9
Households with individuals under 18 years	702	23.7
Households with individuals 65 years and over	1,193	40.2
Average household size	2.09	(X)
Average family size	2.79	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	3,371	100.0
Occupied housing units	2,967	88.0
Vacant housing units	404	12.0
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	13	0.4
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	3.3	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	10.6	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	2,967	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	1,878	63.3
Renter-occupied housing units	1,089	36.7
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.18	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	1.92	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Montcalm CDP, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	885	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	433	48.9
Female	452	51.1
Under 5 years	64	7.2
5 to 9 years	52	5.9
10 to 14 years	62	7.0
15 to 19 years	53	6.0
20 to 24 years	68	7.7
25 to 34 years	114	12.9
35 to 44 years	128	14.5
45 to 54 years	123	13.9
55 to 59 years	50	5.6
60 to 64 years	56	6.3
65 to 74 years	66	7.5
75 to 84 years	35	4.0
85 years and over	14	1.6
Median age (years)	37.2	(X)
18 years and over	674	76.2
Male	318	35.9
Female	356	40.2
21 years and over	635	71.8
62 years and over	149	16.8
65 years and over	115	13.0
Male	43	4.9
Female	72	8.1
RACE		
One race	878	99.2
White	865	97.7
Black or African American	5	0.6
American Indian and Alaska Native	7	0.8
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	1	0.1
Two or more races	7	0.8
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	872	98.5
Black or African American	6	0.7
American Indian and Alaska Native	7	0.8
Asian	2	0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	5	0.6

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	885	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	16	1.8
Mexican	1	0.1
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	15	1.7
Not Hispanic or Latino	869	98.2
White alone	849	95.9
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	885	100.0
In households	885	100.0
Householder	344	38.9
Spouse	193	21.8
Child	264	29.8
Own child under 18 years	181	20.5
Other relatives	55	6.2
Under 18 years	24	2.7
Nonrelatives	29	3.3
Unmarried partner	11	1.2
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	344	100.0
Family households (families)	257	74.7
With own children under 18 years	104	30.2
Married-couple family	193	56.1
With own children under 18 years	74	21.5
Female householder, no husband present	45	13.1
With own children under 18 years	20	5.8
Nonfamily households	87	25.3
Householder living alone	76	22.1
Householder 65 years and over	35	10.2
Households with individuals under 18 years	118	34.3
Households with individuals 65 years and over	93	27.0
Average household size	2.57	(X)
Average family size	2.99	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	384	100.0
Occupied housing units	344	89.6
Vacant housing units	40	10.4
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	4	1.0
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	2.8	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	4.5	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	344	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	280	81.4
Renter-occupied housing units	64	18.6
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.60	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.45	(X)

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[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Monroe County, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	14,583	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	6,470	44.4
Female	8,113	55.6
Under 5 years	723	5.0
5 to 9 years	800	5.5
10 to 14 years	894	6.1
15 to 19 years	842	5.8
20 to 24 years	857	5.9
25 to 34 years	2,097	14.4
35 to 44 years	2,327	16.0
45 to 54 years	2,186	15.0
55 to 59 years	900	6.2
60 to 64 years	715	4.9
65 to 74 years	1,222	8.4
75 to 84 years	791	5.4
85 years and over	229	1.6
Median age (years)	39.7	(X)
18 years and over	11,650	79.9
Male	4,946	33.9
Female	6,704	46.0
21 years and over	11,149	76.5
62 years and over	2,658	18.2
65 years and over	2,242	15.4
Male	945	6.5
Female	1,297	8.9
RACE		
One race	14,449	99.1
White	13,514	92.7
Black or African American	872	6.0
American Indian and Alaska Native	33	0.2
Asian	23	0.2
Asian Indian	1	-
Chinese	3	-
Filipino	2	-
Japanese	4	-
Korean	4	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	9	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	2	-
Native Hawaiian	1	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	1	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	5	-
Two or more races	134	0.9
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	13,646	93.6
Black or African American	918	6.3
American Indian and Alaska Native	103	0.7
Asian	29	0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	7	-
Some other race	27	0.2

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	14,583	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	72	0.5
Mexican	16	0.1
Puerto Rican	7	-
Cuban	1	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	48	0.3
Not Hispanic or Latino	14,511	99.5
White alone	13,448	92.2
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	14,583	100.0
In households	13,116	89.9
Householder	5,447	37.4
Spouse	3,258	22.3
Child	3,643	25.0
Own child under 18 years	2,730	18.7
Other relatives	420	2.9
Under 18 years	157	1.1
Nonrelatives	348	2.4
Unmarried partner	208	1.4
In group quarters	1,467	10.1
Institutionalized population	1,465	10.0
Noninstitutionalized population	2	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	5,447	100.0
Family households (families)	3,885	71.3
With own children under 18 years	1,579	29.0
Married-couple family	3,258	59.8
With own children under 18 years	1,267	23.3
Female householder, no husband present	432	7.9
With own children under 18 years	212	3.9
Nonfamily households	1,562	28.7
Householder living alone	1,404	25.8
Householder 65 years and over	712	13.1
Households with individuals under 18 years	1,706	31.3
Households with individuals 65 years and over	1,652	30.3
Average household size	2.41	(X)
Average family size	2.88	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	7,267	100.0
Occupied housing units	5,447	75.0
Vacant housing units	1,820	25.0
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	948	13.0
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	2.3	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	8.0	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	5,447	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	4,603	84.5
Renter-occupied housing units	844	15.5
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.44	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.24	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Alderson town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,091	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	518	47.5
Female	573	52.5
Under 5 years	57	5.2
5 to 9 years	77	7.1
10 to 14 years	80	7.3
15 to 19 years	67	6.1
20 to 24 years	66	6.0
25 to 34 years	105	9.6
35 to 44 years	145	13.3
45 to 54 years	134	12.3
55 to 59 years	73	6.7
60 to 64 years	50	4.6
65 to 74 years	115	10.5
75 to 84 years	80	7.3
85 years and over	42	3.8
Median age (years)	41.3	(X)
18 years and over	831	76.2
Male	378	34.6
Female	453	41.5
21 years and over	797	73.1
62 years and over	270	24.7
65 years and over	237	21.7
Male	87	8.0
Female	150	13.7
RACE		
One race	1,068	97.9
White	991	90.8
Black or African American	72	6.6
American Indian and Alaska Native	3	0.3
Asian	2	0.2
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	1	0.1
Japanese	-	-
Korean	1	0.1
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	23	2.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	1,013	92.9
Black or African American	85	7.8
American Indian and Alaska Native	14	1.3
Asian	5	0.5
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	1,091	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	12	1.1
Mexican	7	0.6
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	5	0.5
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,079	98.9
White alone	979	89.7
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	1,091	100.0
In households	1,091	100.0
Householder	481	44.1
Spouse	207	19.0
Child	312	28.6
Own child under 18 years	237	21.7
Other relatives	53	4.9
Under 18 years	19	1.7
Nonrelatives	38	3.5
Unmarried partner	21	1.9
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	481	100.0
Family households (families)	306	63.6
With own children under 18 years	124	25.8
Married-couple family	207	43.0
With own children under 18 years	75	15.6
Female householder, no husband present	77	16.0
With own children under 18 years	38	7.9
Nonfamily households	175	36.4
Householder living alone	166	34.5
Householder 65 years and over	84	17.5
Households with individuals under 18 years	137	28.5
Households with individuals 65 years and over	181	37.6
Average household size	2.27	(X)
Average family size	2.87	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	586	100.0
Occupied housing units	481	82.1
Vacant housing units	105	17.9
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	17	2.9
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	7.9	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	12.2	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	481	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	337	70.1
Renter-occupied housing units	144	29.9
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.26	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.30	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Peterstown town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	499	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	229	45.9
Female	270	54.1
Under 5 years	19	3.8
5 to 9 years	33	6.6
10 to 14 years	29	5.8
15 to 19 years	24	4.8
20 to 24 years	25	5.0
25 to 34 years	61	12.2
35 to 44 years	46	9.2
45 to 54 years	66	13.2
55 to 59 years	30	6.0
60 to 64 years	38	7.6
65 to 74 years	66	13.2
75 to 84 years	47	9.4
85 years and over	15	3.0
Median age (years)	47.3	(X)
18 years and over	405	81.2
Male	180	36.1
Female	225	45.1
21 years and over	388	77.8
62 years and over	152	30.5
65 years and over	128	25.7
Male	47	9.4
Female	81	16.2
RACE		
One race	497	99.6
White	496	99.4
Black or African American	-	-
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	1	0.2
Two or more races	2	0.4
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	498	99.8
Black or African American	-	-
American Indian and Alaska Native	2	0.4
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	1	0.2

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	499	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	5	1.0
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	5	1.0
Not Hispanic or Latino	494	99.0
White alone	491	98.4
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	499	100.0
In households	499	100.0
Householder	253	50.7
Spouse	104	20.8
Child	105	21.0
Own child under 18 years	83	16.6
Other relatives	21	4.2
Under 18 years	9	1.8
Nonrelatives	16	3.2
Unmarried partner	7	1.4
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	253	100.0
Family households (families)	139	54.9
With own children under 18 years	50	19.8
Married-couple family	104	41.1
With own children under 18 years	31	12.3
Female householder, no husband present	24	9.5
With own children under 18 years	15	5.9
Nonfamily households	114	45.1
Householder living alone	107	42.3
Householder 65 years and over	63	24.9
Households with individuals under 18 years	55	21.7
Households with individuals 65 years and over	102	40.3
Average household size	1.97	(X)
Average family size	2.65	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	276	100.0
Occupied housing units	253	91.7
Vacant housing units	23	8.3
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	1	0.4
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	3.7	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	7.9	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	253	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	183	72.3
Renter-occupied housing units	70	27.7
Average household size of owner-occupied units	1.97	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	1.97	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Union town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	548	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	252	46.0
Female	296	54.0
Under 5 years	33	6.0
5 to 9 years	20	3.6
10 to 14 years	35	6.4
15 to 19 years	32	5.8
20 to 24 years	37	6.8
25 to 34 years	66	12.0
35 to 44 years	54	9.9
45 to 54 years	65	11.9
55 to 59 years	41	7.5
60 to 64 years	40	7.3
65 to 74 years	59	10.8
75 to 84 years	44	8.0
85 years and over	22	4.0
Median age (years)	44.6	(X)
18 years and over	440	80.3
Male	195	35.6
Female	245	44.7
21 years and over	423	77.2
62 years and over	151	27.6
65 years and over	125	22.8
Male	44	8.0
Female	81	14.8
RACE		
One race	542	98.9
White	516	94.2
Black or African American	19	3.5
American Indian and Alaska Native	5	0.9
Asian	2	0.4
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	1	0.2
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	1	0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	6	1.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	522	95.3
Black or African American	24	4.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	6	1.1
Asian	2	0.4
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	548	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	1	0.2
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	1	0.2
Other Hispanic or Latino	-	-
Not Hispanic or Latino	547	99.8
White alone	515	94.0
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	548	100.0
In households	548	100.0
Householder	267	48.7
Spouse	116	21.2
Child	130	23.7
Own child under 18 years	98	17.9
Other relatives	15	2.7
Under 18 years	6	1.1
Nonrelatives	20	3.6
Unmarried partner	13	2.4
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	267	100.0
Family households (families)	149	55.8
With own children under 18 years	57	21.3
Married-couple family	116	43.4
With own children under 18 years	44	16.5
Female householder, no husband present	28	10.5
With own children under 18 years	11	4.1
Nonfamily households	118	44.2
Householder living alone	109	40.8
Householder 65 years and over	58	21.7
Households with individuals under 18 years	62	23.2
Households with individuals 65 years and over	101	37.8
Average household size	2.05	(X)
Average family size	2.75	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	309	100.0
Occupied housing units	267	86.4
Vacant housing units	42	13.6
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	3	1.0
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	3.7	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	11.6	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	267	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	183	68.5
Renter-occupied housing units	84	31.5
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.07	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.01	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Raleigh County, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	79,220	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	38,975	49.2
Female	40,245	50.8
Under 5 years	4,357	5.5
5 to 9 years	4,681	5.9
10 to 14 years	4,889	6.2
15 to 19 years	5,060	6.4
20 to 24 years	5,013	6.3
25 to 34 years	10,807	13.6
35 to 44 years	11,871	15.0
45 to 54 years	12,541	15.8
55 to 59 years	4,183	5.3
60 to 64 years	3,618	4.6
65 to 74 years	6,560	8.3
75 to 84 years	4,256	5.4
85 years and over	1,384	1.7
Median age (years)	39.5	(X)
18 years and over	62,150	78.5
Male	30,267	38.2
Female	31,883	40.2
21 years and over	59,185	74.7
62 years and over	14,360	18.1
65 years and over	12,200	15.4
Male	4,683	5.9
Female	7,517	9.5
RACE		
One race	78,586	99.2
White	71,006	89.6
Black or African American	6,753	8.5
American Indian and Alaska Native	147	0.2
Asian	568	0.7
Asian Indian	149	0.2
Chinese	74	0.1
Filipino	165	0.2
Japanese	14	-
Korean	39	-
Vietnamese	32	-
Other Asian [1]	95	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	13	-
Native Hawaiian	1	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	2	-
Samoan	3	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	7	-
Some other race	99	0.1
Two or more races	634	0.8
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	71,567	90.3
Black or African American	7,017	8.9
American Indian and Alaska Native	431	0.5
Asian	681	0.9
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	39	-
Some other race	182	0.2

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	79,220	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	727	0.9
Mexican	132	0.2
Puerto Rican	77	0.1
Cuban	12	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	506	0.6
Not Hispanic or Latino	78,493	99.1
White alone	70,421	88.9
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	79,220	100.0
In households	75,559	95.4
Householder	31,793	40.1
Spouse	17,253	21.8
Child	21,075	26.6
Own child under 18 years	15,363	19.4
Other relatives	3,130	4.0
Under 18 years	1,339	1.7
Nonrelatives	2,308	2.9
Unmarried partner	1,254	1.6
In group quarters	3,661	4.6
Institutionalized population	3,125	3.9
Noninstitutionalized population	536	0.7
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	31,793	100.0
Family households (families)	22,103	69.5
With own children under 18 years	9,097	28.6
Married-couple family	17,253	54.3
With own children under 18 years	6,615	20.8
Female householder, no husband present	3,793	11.9
With own children under 18 years	1,996	6.3
Nonfamily households	9,690	30.5
Householder living alone	8,608	27.1
Householder 65 years and over	4,087	12.9
Households with individuals under 18 years	10,052	31.6
Households with individuals 65 years and over	9,098	28.6
Average household size	2.38	(X)
Average family size	2.88	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	35,678	100.0
Occupied housing units	31,793	89.1
Vacant housing units	3,885	10.9
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	555	1.6
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	2.5	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	8.8	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	31,793	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	24,313	76.5
Renter-occupied housing units	7,480	23.5
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.42	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.25	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Beckley city, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	17,254	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	7,775	45.1
Female	9,479	54.9
Under 5 years	947	5.5
5 to 9 years	989	5.7
10 to 14 years	1,109	6.4
15 to 19 years	1,161	6.7
20 to 24 years	987	5.7
25 to 34 years	1,886	10.9
35 to 44 years	2,482	14.4
45 to 54 years	2,626	15.2
55 to 59 years	825	4.8
60 to 64 years	762	4.4
65 to 74 years	1,711	9.9
75 to 84 years	1,308	7.6
85 years and over	461	2.7
Median age (years)	41.6	(X)
18 years and over	13,487	78.2
Male	5,873	34.0
Female	7,614	44.1
21 years and over	12,841	74.4
62 years and over	3,947	22.9
65 years and over	3,480	20.2
Male	1,187	6.9
Female	2,293	13.3
RACE		
One race	17,044	98.8
White	12,705	73.6
Black or African American	3,949	22.9
American Indian and Alaska Native	25	0.1
Asian	326	1.9
Asian Indian	127	0.7
Chinese	34	0.2
Filipino	74	0.4
Japanese	9	0.1
Korean	16	0.1
Vietnamese	17	0.1
Other Asian [1]	49	0.3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	3	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	1	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	2	-
Some other race	36	0.2
Two or more races	210	1.2
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	12,872	74.6
Black or African American	4,066	23.6
American Indian and Alaska Native	104	0.6
Asian	378	2.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	7	-
Some other race	65	0.4

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	17,254	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	128	0.7
Mexican	37	0.2
Puerto Rican	28	0.2
Cuban	5	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	58	0.3
Not Hispanic or Latino	17,126	99.3
White alone	12,635	73.2
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	17,254	100.0
In households	16,691	96.7
Householder	7,651	44.3
Spouse	3,128	18.1
Child	4,468	25.9
Own child under 18 years	3,312	19.2
Other relatives	813	4.7
Under 18 years	354	2.1
Nonrelatives	631	3.7
Unmarried partner	296	1.7
In group quarters	563	3.3
Institutionalized population	304	1.8
Noninstitutionalized population	259	1.5
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	7,651	100.0
Family households (families)	4,591	60.0
With own children under 18 years	1,917	25.1
Married-couple family	3,128	40.9
With own children under 18 years	1,117	14.6
Female householder, no husband present	1,239	16.2
With own children under 18 years	697	9.1
Nonfamily households	3,060	40.0
Householder living alone	2,722	35.6
Householder 65 years and over	1,265	16.5
Households with individuals under 18 years	2,152	28.1
Households with individuals 65 years and over	2,542	33.2
Average household size	2.18	(X)
Average family size	2.83	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	8,731	100.0
Occupied housing units	7,651	87.6
Vacant housing units	1,080	12.4
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	52	0.6
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	4.1	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	10.3	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	7,651	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	4,842	63.3
Renter-occupied housing units	2,809	36.7
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.21	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.12	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Lester town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	322	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	149	46.3
Female	173	53.7
Under 5 years	29	9.0
5 to 9 years	15	4.7
10 to 14 years	11	3.4
15 to 19 years	18	5.6
20 to 24 years	22	6.8
25 to 34 years	39	12.1
35 to 44 years	45	14.0
45 to 54 years	46	14.3
55 to 59 years	25	7.8
60 to 64 years	17	5.3
65 to 74 years	29	9.0
75 to 84 years	12	3.7
85 years and over	14	4.3
Median age (years)	41.8	(X)
18 years and over	257	79.8
Male	114	35.4
Female	143	44.4
21 years and over	243	75.5
62 years and over	65	20.2
65 years and over	55	17.1
Male	17	5.3
Female	38	11.8
RACE		
One race	321	99.7
White	257	79.8
Black or African American	64	19.9
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	1	0.3
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	257	79.8
Black or African American	65	20.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	1	0.3
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	322	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	-	-
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	-	-
Not Hispanic or Latino	322	100.0
White alone	257	79.8
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	322	100.0
In households	322	100.0
Householder	142	44.1
Spouse	67	20.8
Child	87	27.0
Own child under 18 years	55	17.1
Other relatives	16	5.0
Under 18 years	8	2.5
Nonrelatives	10	3.1
Unmarried partner	6	1.9
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	142	100.0
Family households (families)	89	62.7
With own children under 18 years	34	23.9
Married-couple family	67	47.2
With own children under 18 years	25	17.6
Female householder, no husband present	16	11.3
With own children under 18 years	7	4.9
Nonfamily households	53	37.3
Householder living alone	47	33.1
Householder 65 years and over	27	19.0
Households with individuals under 18 years	41	28.9
Households with individuals 65 years and over	46	32.4
Average household size	2.27	(X)
Average family size	2.91	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	168	100.0
Occupied housing units	142	84.5
Vacant housing units	26	15.5
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	-	-
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	6.3	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	14.8	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	142	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	119	83.8
Renter-occupied housing units	23	16.2
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.23	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.48	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Mabscott town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,403	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	659	47.0
Female	744	53.0
Under 5 years	81	5.8
5 to 9 years	89	6.3
10 to 14 years	91	6.5
15 to 19 years	97	6.9
20 to 24 years	77	5.5
25 to 34 years	162	11.5
35 to 44 years	200	14.3
45 to 54 years	248	17.7
55 to 59 years	63	4.5
60 to 64 years	67	4.8
65 to 74 years	140	10.0
75 to 84 years	68	4.8
85 years and over	20	1.4
Median age (years)	41.3	(X)
18 years and over	1,077	76.8
Male	501	35.7
Female	576	41.1
21 years and over	1,036	73.8
62 years and over	268	19.1
65 years and over	228	16.3
Male	93	6.6
Female	135	9.6
RACE		
One race	1,395	99.5
White	1,313	93.6
Black or African American	74	5.3
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	2	0.1
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	2	0.1
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	7	0.5
Two or more races	7	0.5
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	1,320	94.1
Black or African American	76	5.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	5	0.4
Asian	2	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	7	0.5

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	1,403	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	6	0.4
Mexican	3	0.2
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	3	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,397	99.6
White alone	1,309	93.3
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	1,403	100.0
In households	1,403	100.0
Householder	581	41.4
Spouse	331	23.6
Child	410	29.2
Own child under 18 years	304	21.7
Other relatives	40	2.9
Under 18 years	14	1.0
Nonrelatives	41	2.9
Unmarried partner	16	1.1
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	581	100.0
Family households (families)	428	73.7
With own children under 18 years	176	30.3
Married-couple family	331	57.0
With own children under 18 years	124	21.3
Female householder, no husband present	81	13.9
With own children under 18 years	48	8.3
Nonfamily households	153	26.3
Householder living alone	137	23.6
Householder 65 years and over	74	12.7
Households with individuals under 18 years	190	32.7
Households with individuals 65 years and over	174	29.9
Average household size	2.41	(X)
Average family size	2.82	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	627	100.0
Occupied housing units	581	92.7
Vacant housing units	46	7.3
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	2	0.3
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	3.0	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	3.9	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	581	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	459	79.0
Renter-occupied housing units	122	21.0
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.33	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.75	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Rhodell town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	234	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	116	49.6
Female	118	50.4
Under 5 years	17	7.3
5 to 9 years	29	12.4
10 to 14 years	13	5.6
15 to 19 years	12	5.1
20 to 24 years	11	4.7
25 to 34 years	47	20.1
35 to 44 years	26	11.1
45 to 54 years	33	14.1
55 to 59 years	11	4.7
60 to 64 years	11	4.7
65 to 74 years	12	5.1
75 to 84 years	10	4.3
85 years and over	2	0.9
Median age (years)	31.7	(X)
18 years and over	168	71.8
Male	79	33.8
Female	89	38.0
21 years and over	160	68.4
62 years and over	29	12.4
65 years and over	24	10.3
Male	10	4.3
Female	14	6.0
RACE		
One race	232	99.1
White	228	97.4
Black or African American	3	1.3
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	1	0.4
Two or more races	2	0.9
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	229	97.9
Black or African American	4	1.7
American Indian and Alaska Native	2	0.9
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	1	0.4

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	234	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	3	1.3
Mexican	2	0.9
Puerto Rican	1	0.4
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	-	-
Not Hispanic or Latino	231	98.7
White alone	226	96.6
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	234	100.0
In households	234	100.0
Householder	93	39.7
Spouse	54	23.1
Child	68	29.1
Own child under 18 years	57	24.4
Other relatives	11	4.7
Under 18 years	7	3.0
Nonrelatives	8	3.4
Unmarried partner	5	2.1
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	93	100.0
Family households (families)	66	71.0
With own children under 18 years	27	29.0
Married-couple family	54	58.1
With own children under 18 years	21	22.6
Female householder, no husband present	8	8.6
With own children under 18 years	5	5.4
Nonfamily households	27	29.0
Householder living alone	25	26.9
Householder 65 years and over	12	12.9
Households with individuals under 18 years	30	32.3
Households with individuals 65 years and over	21	22.6
Average household size	2.52	(X)
Average family size	3.02	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	111	100.0
Occupied housing units	93	83.8
Vacant housing units	18	16.2
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	3	2.7
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	5.1	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	9.5	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	93	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	74	79.6
Renter-occupied housing units	19	20.4
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.50	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.58	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Sophia town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,301	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	589	45.3
Female	712	54.7
Under 5 years	83	6.4
5 to 9 years	87	6.7
10 to 14 years	71	5.5
15 to 19 years	61	4.7
20 to 24 years	80	6.1
25 to 34 years	177	13.6
35 to 44 years	185	14.2
45 to 54 years	202	15.5
55 to 59 years	85	6.5
60 to 64 years	59	4.5
65 to 74 years	120	9.2
75 to 84 years	67	5.1
85 years and over	24	1.8
Median age (years)	41.1	(X)
18 years and over	1,021	78.5
Male	442	34.0
Female	579	44.5
21 years and over	984	75.6
62 years and over	244	18.8
65 years and over	211	16.2
Male	74	5.7
Female	137	10.5
RACE		
One race	1,285	98.8
White	1,257	96.6
Black or African American	15	1.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	4	0.3
Asian	7	0.5
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	6	0.5
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	1	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	2	0.2
Two or more races	16	1.2
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	1,273	97.8
Black or African American	22	1.7
American Indian and Alaska Native	6	0.5
Asian	9	0.7
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	7	0.5

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	1,301	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	8	0.6
Mexican	1	0.1
Puerto Rican	2	0.2
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	5	0.4
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,293	99.4
White alone	1,251	96.2
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	1,301	100.0
In households	1,301	100.0
Householder	588	45.2
Spouse	265	20.4
Child	344	26.4
Own child under 18 years	242	18.6
Other relatives	70	5.4
Under 18 years	33	2.5
Nonrelatives	34	2.6
Unmarried partner	23	1.8
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	588	100.0
Family households (families)	387	65.8
With own children under 18 years	154	26.2
Married-couple family	265	45.1
With own children under 18 years	89	15.1
Female householder, no husband present	101	17.2
With own children under 18 years	59	10.0
Nonfamily households	201	34.2
Householder living alone	184	31.3
Householder 65 years and over	89	15.1
Households with individuals under 18 years	179	30.4
Households with individuals 65 years and over	176	29.9
Average household size	2.21	(X)
Average family size	2.75	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	643	100.0
Occupied housing units	588	91.4
Vacant housing units	55	8.6
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	2	0.3
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	4.3	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	4.2	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	588	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	382	65.0
Renter-occupied housing units	206	35.0
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.24	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.17	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Beaver CDP, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	**1,378**	**100.0**
SEX AND AGE		
Male	658	47.8
Female	720	52.2
Under 5 years	99	7.2
5 to 9 years	65	4.7
10 to 14 years	88	6.4
15 to 19 years	79	5.7
20 to 24 years	105	7.6
25 to 34 years	180	13.1
35 to 44 years	195	14.2
45 to 54 years	199	14.4
55 to 59 years	87	6.3
60 to 64 years	68	4.9
65 to 74 years	115	8.3
75 to 84 years	74	5.4
85 years and over	24	1.7
Median age (years)	39.3	(X)
18 years and over	1,077	78.2
Male	507	36.8
Female	570	41.4
21 years and over	1,026	74.5
62 years and over	246	17.9
65 years and over	213	15.5
Male	82	6.0
Female	131	9.5
RACE		
One race	1,377	99.9
White	1,361	98.8
Black or African American	1	0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	2	0.1
Asian	13	0.9
Asian Indian	7	0.5
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	3	0.2
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	3	0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	1	0.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	1,361	98.8
Black or African American	2	0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	3	0.2
Asian	13	0.9
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	**1,378**	**100.0**
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	7	0.5
Mexican	4	0.3
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	3	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,371	99.5
White alone	1,354	98.3
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	**1,378**	**100.0**
In households	1,358	98.5
Householder	602	43.7
Spouse	309	22.4
Child	340	24.7
Own child under 18 years	260	18.9
Other relatives	54	3.9
Under 18 years	23	1.7
Nonrelatives	53	3.8
Unmarried partner	33	2.4
In group quarters	20	1.5
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	20	1.5
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	**602**	**100.0**
Family households (families)	389	64.6
With own children under 18 years	154	25.6
Married-couple family	309	51.3
With own children under 18 years	114	18.9
Female householder, no husband present	64	10.6
With own children under 18 years	29	4.8
Nonfamily households	213	35.4
Householder living alone	181	30.1
Householder 65 years and over	81	13.5
Households with individuals under 18 years	170	28.2
Households with individuals 65 years and over	169	28.1
Average household size	2.26	(X)
Average family size	2.81	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	**696**	**100.0**
Occupied housing units	602	86.5
Vacant housing units	94	13.5
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	21	3.0
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	2.5	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	17.8	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	**602**	**100.0**
Owner-occupied housing units	459	76.2
Renter-occupied housing units	143	23.8
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.28	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.17	(X)

- Represents zero or rounds to zero. (X) Not applicable.

[1] Other Asian alone, or two or more Asian categories.

[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Bradley CDP, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	2,371	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	1,147	48.4
Female	1,224	51.6
Under 5 years	121	5.1
5 to 9 years	159	6.7
10 to 14 years	129	5.4
15 to 19 years	211	8.9
20 to 24 years	270	11.4
25 to 34 years	344	14.5
35 to 44 years	363	15.3
45 to 54 years	333	14.0
55 to 59 years	109	4.6
60 to 64 years	84	3.5
65 to 74 years	138	5.8
75 to 84 years	89	3.8
85 years and over	21	0.9
Median age (years)	33.1	(X)
18 years and over	1,863	78.6
Male	900	38.0
Female	963	40.6
21 years and over	1,686	71.1
62 years and over	300	12.7
65 years and over	248	10.5
Male	97	4.1
Female	151	6.4
RACE		
One race	2,351	99.2
White	2,287	96.5
Black or African American	23	1.0
American Indian and Alaska Native	10	0.4
Asian	26	1.1
Asian Indian	1	-
Chinese	4	0.2
Filipino	5	0.2
Japanese	1	-
Korean	2	0.1
Vietnamese	12	0.5
Other Asian [1]	1	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	1	-
Some other race	4	0.2
Two or more races	20	0.8
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	2,307	97.3
Black or African American	27	1.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	23	1.0
Asian	29	1.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	-
Some other race	6	0.3

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	2,371	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	8	0.3
Mexican	4	0.2
Puerto Rican	2	0.1
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	2	0.1
Not Hispanic or Latino	2,363	99.7
White alone	2,282	96.2
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	2,371	100.0
In households	2,114	89.2
Householder	873	36.8
Spouse	502	21.2
Child	594	25.1
Own child under 18 years	459	19.4
Other relatives	68	2.9
Under 18 years	28	1.2
Nonrelatives	77	3.2
Unmarried partner	39	1.6
In group quarters	257	10.8
Institutionalized population	8	0.3
Noninstitutionalized population	249	10.5
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	873	100.0
Family households (families)	614	70.3
With own children under 18 years	276	31.6
Married-couple family	502	57.5
With own children under 18 years	214	24.5
Female householder, no husband present	84	9.6
With own children under 18 years	48	5.5
Nonfamily households	259	29.7
Householder living alone	225	25.8
Householder 65 years and over	95	10.9
Households with individuals under 18 years	301	34.5
Households with individuals 65 years and over	198	22.7
Average household size	2.42	(X)
Average family size	2.90	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	934	100.0
Occupied housing units	873	93.5
Vacant housing units	61	6.5
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	4	0.4
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	2.5	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	8.2	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	873	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	637	73.0
Renter-occupied housing units	236	27.0
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.44	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.37	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Coal City CDP, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,905	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	940	49.3
Female	965	50.7
Under 5 years	97	5.1
5 to 9 years	107	5.6
10 to 14 years	98	5.1
15 to 19 years	130	6.8
20 to 24 years	115	6.0
25 to 34 years	217	11.4
35 to 44 years	279	14.6
45 to 54 years	309	16.2
55 to 59 years	102	5.4
60 to 64 years	108	5.7
65 to 74 years	207	10.9
75 to 84 years	106	5.6
85 years and over	30	1.6
Median age (years)	42.4	(X)
18 years and over	1,526	80.1
Male	734	38.5
Female	792	41.6
21 years and over	1,449	76.1
62 years and over	405	21.3
65 years and over	343	18.0
Male	147	7.7
Female	196	10.3
RACE		
One race	1,883	98.8
White	1,871	98.2
Black or African American	7	0.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	1	0.1
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	1	0.1
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	4	0.2
Two or more races	22	1.2
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	1,893	99.4
Black or African American	12	0.6
American Indian and Alaska Native	13	0.7
Asian	6	0.3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	0.1
Some other race	6	0.3

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	1,905	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	20	1.0
Mexican	5	0.3
Puerto Rican	1	0.1
Cuban	1	0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	13	0.7
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,885	99.0
White alone	1,856	97.4
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	1,905	100.0
In households	1,905	100.0
Householder	794	41.7
Spouse	478	25.1
Child	493	25.9
Own child under 18 years	325	17.1
Other relatives	92	4.8
Under 18 years	45	2.4
Nonrelatives	48	2.5
Unmarried partner	28	1.5
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	794	100.0
Family households (families)	579	72.9
With own children under 18 years	198	24.9
Married-couple family	478	60.2
With own children under 18 years	154	19.4
Female householder, no husband present	78	9.8
With own children under 18 years	33	4.2
Nonfamily households	215	27.1
Householder living alone	194	24.4
Householder 65 years and over	99	12.5
Households with individuals under 18 years	230	29.0
Households with individuals 65 years and over	253	31.9
Average household size	2.40	(X)
Average family size	2.84	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	845	100.0
Occupied housing units	794	94.0
Vacant housing units	51	6.0
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	4	0.5
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	0.9	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	1.5	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	794	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	663	83.5
Renter-occupied housing units	131	16.5
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.42	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.28	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Crab Orchard CDP, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	2,761	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	1,308	47.4
Female	1,453	52.6
Under 5 years	130	4.7
5 to 9 years	205	7.4
10 to 14 years	194	7.0
15 to 19 years	186	6.7
20 to 24 years	181	6.6
25 to 34 years	418	15.1
35 to 44 years	384	13.9
45 to 54 years	426	15.4
55 to 59 years	130	4.7
60 to 64 years	124	4.5
65 to 74 years	231	8.4
75 to 84 years	113	4.1
85 years and over	39	1.4
Median age (years)	36.8	(X)
18 years and over	2,124	76.9
Male	996	36.1
Female	1,128	40.9
21 years and over	2,010	72.8
62 years and over	456	16.5
65 years and over	383	13.9
Male	149	5.4
Female	234	8.5
RACE		
One race	2,747	99.5
White	2,711	98.2
Black or African American	25	0.9
American Indian and Alaska Native	2	0.1
Asian	3	0.1
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	2	0.1
Korean	1	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	1	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	5	0.2
Two or more races	14	0.5
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	2,724	98.7
Black or African American	28	1.0
American Indian and Alaska Native	5	0.2
Asian	5	0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	3	0.1
Some other race	11	0.4

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	2,761	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	17	0.6
Mexican	6	0.2
Puerto Rican	5	0.2
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	6	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	2,744	99.4
White alone	2,702	97.9
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	2,761	100.0
In households	2,761	100.0
Householder	1,120	40.6
Spouse	640	23.2
Child	824	29.8
Own child under 18 years	595	21.6
Other relatives	88	3.2
Under 18 years	36	1.3
Nonrelatives	89	3.2
Unmarried partner	56	2.0
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	1,120	100.0
Family households (families)	807	72.1
With own children under 18 years	355	31.7
Married-couple family	640	57.1
With own children under 18 years	263	23.5
Female householder, no husband present	125	11.2
With own children under 18 years	73	6.5
Nonfamily households	313	27.9
Householder living alone	274	24.5
Householder 65 years and over	126	11.3
Households with individuals under 18 years	378	33.8
Households with individuals 65 years and over	296	26.4
Average household size	2.47	(X)
Average family size	2.92	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	1,219	100.0
Occupied housing units	1,120	91.9
Vacant housing units	99	8.1
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	5	0.4
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	2.4	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	6.4	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	1,120	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	931	83.1
Renter-occupied housing units	189	16.9
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.47	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.47	(X)

- Represents zero or rounds to zero. (X) Not applicable.

[1] Other Asian alone, or two or more Asian categories.

[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Daniels,CDP, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,846	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	835	45.2
Female	1,011	54.8
Under 5 years	95	5.1
5 to 9 years	89	4.8
10 to 14 years	101	5.5
15 to 19 years	90	4.9
20 to 24 years	111	6.0
25 to 34 years	239	12.9
35 to 44 years	230	12.5
45 to 54 years	238	12.9
55 to 59 years	91	4.9
60 to 64 years	106	5.7
65 to 74 years	191	10.3
75 to 84 years	168	9.1
85 years and over	97	5.3
Median age (years)	43.4	(X)
18 years and over	1,498	81.1
Male	649	35.2
Female	849	46.0
21 years and over	1,454	78.8
62 years and over	525	28.4
65 years and over	456	24.7
Male	170	9.2
Female	286	15.5
RACE		
One race	1,842	99.8
White	1,804	97.7
Black or African American	20	1.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	4	0.2
Asian	11	0.6
Asian Indian	1	0.1
Chinese	5	0.3
Filipino	5	0.3
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	3	0.2
Two or more races	4	0.2
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	1,808	97.9
Black or African American	22	1.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	5	0.3
Asian	11	0.6
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	0.1
Some other race	3	0.2

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	1,846	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	8	0.4
Mexican	1	0.1
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	7	0.4
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,838	99.6
White alone	1,800	97.5
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	1,846	100.0
In households	1,772	96.0
Householder	818	44.3
Spouse	436	23.6
Child	398	21.6
Own child under 18 years	303	16.4
Other relatives	61	3.3
Under 18 years	32	1.7
Nonrelatives	59	3.2
Unmarried partner	36	2.0
In group quarters	74	4.0
Institutionalized population	66	3.6
Noninstitutionalized population	8	0.4
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	818	100.0
Family households (families)	526	64.3
With own children under 18 years	194	23.7
Married-couple family	436	53.3
With own children under 18 years	139	17.0
Female householder, no husband present	68	8.3
With own children under 18 years	38	4.6
Nonfamily households	292	35.7
Householder living alone	265	32.4
Householder 65 years and over	160	19.6
Households with individuals under 18 years	210	25.7
Households with individuals 65 years and over	303	37.0
Average household size	2.17	(X)
Average family size	2.70	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	913	100.0
Occupied housing units	818	89.6
Vacant housing units	95	10.4
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	1	0.1
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	1.4	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	10.4	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	818	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	612	74.8
Renter-occupied housing units	206	25.2
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.31	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	1.75	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: MacArthur CDP, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,693	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	822	48.6
Female	871	51.4
Under 5 years	84	5.0
5 to 9 years	122	7.2
10 to 14 years	107	6.3
15 to 19 years	115	6.8
20 to 24 years	72	4.3
25 to 34 years	232	13.7
35 to 44 years	234	13.8
45 to 54 years	248	14.6
55 to 59 years	89	5.3
60 to 64 years	104	6.1
65 to 74 years	142	8.4
75 to 84 years	107	6.3
85 years and over	37	2.2
Median age (years)	40.2	(X)
18 years and over	1,305	77.1
Male	615	36.3
Female	690	40.8
21 years and over	1,253	74.0
62 years and over	345	20.4
65 years and over	286	16.9
Male	109	6.4
Female	177	10.5
RACE		
One race	1,685	99.5
White	1,668	98.5
Black or African American	7	0.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	6	0.4
Asian	1	0.1
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	1	0.1
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	2	0.1
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	2	0.1
Some other race	1	0.1
Two or more races	8	0.5
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	1,676	99.0
Black or African American	8	0.5
American Indian and Alaska Native	7	0.4
Asian	7	0.4
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	7	0.4
Some other race	3	0.2

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	1,693	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	12	0.7
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	12	0.7
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,681	99.3
White alone	1,656	97.8
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	1,693	100.0
In households	1,693	100.0
Householder	714	42.2
Spouse	408	24.1
Child	458	27.1
Own child under 18 years	353	20.9
Other relatives	62	3.7
Under 18 years	28	1.7
Nonrelatives	51	3.0
Unmarried partner	31	1.8
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	714	100.0
Family households (families)	497	69.6
With own children under 18 years	204	28.6
Married-couple family	408	57.1
With own children under 18 years	160	22.4
Female householder, no husband present	67	9.4
With own children under 18 years	33	4.6
Nonfamily households	217	30.4
Householder living alone	191	26.8
Householder 65 years and over	98	13.7
Households with individuals under 18 years	226	31.7
Households with individuals 65 years and over	214	30.0
Average household size	2.37	(X)
Average family size	2.87	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	783	100.0
Occupied housing units	714	91.2
Vacant housing units	69	8.8
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	5	0.6
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	3.2	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	1.5	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	714	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	582	81.5
Renter-occupied housing units	132	18.5
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.34	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.51	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Piney View CDP, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,046	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	520	49.7
Female	526	50.3
Under 5 years	53	5.1
5 to 9 years	54	5.2
10 to 14 years	65	6.2
15 to 19 years	78	7.5
20 to 24 years	56	5.4
25 to 34 years	135	12.9
35 to 44 years	162	15.5
45 to 54 years	176	16.8
55 to 59 years	60	5.7
60 to 64 years	54	5.2
65 to 74 years	90	8.6
75 to 84 years	53	5.1
85 years and over	10	1.0
Median age (years)	40.5	(X)
18 years and over	823	78.7
Male	406	38.8
Female	417	39.9
21 years and over	782	74.8
62 years and over	184	17.6
65 years and over	153	14.6
Male	69	6.6
Female	84	8.0
RACE		
One race	1,043	99.7
White	1,029	98.4
Black or African American	12	1.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	1	0.1
Asian	1	0.1
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	1	0.1
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	3	0.3
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	1,032	98.7
Black or African American	13	1.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	2	0.2
Asian	2	0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	1	0.1
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	1,046	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	10	1.0
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	7	0.7
Cuban	1	0.1
Other Hispanic or Latino	2	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,036	99.0
White alone	1,019	97.4
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	1,046	100.0
In households	1,046	100.0
Householder	420	40.2
Spouse	252	24.1
Child	286	27.3
Own child under 18 years	199	19.0
Other relatives	52	5.0
Under 18 years	23	2.2
Nonrelatives	36	3.4
Unmarried partner	22	2.1
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	420	100.0
Family households (families)	307	73.1
With own children under 18 years	127	30.2
Married-couple family	252	60.0
With own children under 18 years	100	23.8
Female householder, no husband present	36	8.6
With own children under 18 years	18	4.3
Nonfamily households	113	26.9
Householder living alone	97	23.1
Householder 65 years and over	48	11.4
Households with individuals under 18 years	141	33.6
Households with individuals 65 years and over	118	28.1
Average household size	2.49	(X)
Average family size	2.92	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	461	100.0
Occupied housing units	420	91.1
Vacant housing units	41	8.9
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	4	0.9
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	1.1	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	2.1	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	420	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	373	88.8
Renter-occupied housing units	47	11.2
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.53	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.15	(X)

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[1] Other Asian alone, or two or more Asian categories.

[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Prosperity CDP, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,310	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	615	46.9
Female	695	53.1
Under 5 years	66	5.0
5 to 9 years	68	5.2
10 to 14 years	85	6.5
15 to 19 years	77	5.9
20 to 24 years	81	6.2
25 to 34 years	177	13.5
35 to 44 years	208	15.9
45 to 54 years	208	15.9
55 to 59 years	72	5.5
60 to 64 years	77	5.9
65 to 74 years	118	9.0
75 to 84 years	54	4.1
85 years and over	19	1.5
Median age (years)	40.1	(X)
18 years and over	1,042	79.5
Male	485	37.0
Female	557	42.5
21 years and over	998	76.2
62 years and over	249	19.0
65 years and over	191	14.6
Male	77	5.9
Female	114	8.7
RACE		
One race	1,303	99.5
White	1,287	98.2
Black or African American	12	0.9
American Indian and Alaska Native	2	0.2
Asian	2	0.2
Asian Indian	2	0.2
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	7	0.5
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	1,294	98.8
Black or African American	15	1.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	6	0.5
Asian	2	0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	1,310	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	7	0.5
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	1	0.1
Cuban	3	0.2
Other Hispanic or Latino	3	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,303	99.5
White alone	1,280	97.7
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	1,310	100.0
In households	1,310	100.0
Householder	570	43.5
Spouse	311	23.7
Child	358	27.3
Own child under 18 years	244	18.6
Other relatives	46	3.5
Under 18 years	22	1.7
Nonrelatives	25	1.9
Unmarried partner	16	1.2
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	570	100.0
Family households (families)	395	69.3
With own children under 18 years	155	27.2
Married-couple family	311	54.6
With own children under 18 years	110	19.3
Female householder, no husband present	64	11.2
With own children under 18 years	37	6.5
Nonfamily households	175	30.7
Householder living alone	161	28.2
Householder 65 years and over	71	12.5
Households with individuals under 18 years	167	29.3
Households with individuals 65 years and over	154	27.0
Average household size	2.30	(X)
Average family size	2.81	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	624	100.0
Occupied housing units	570	91.3
Vacant housing units	54	8.7
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	6	1.0
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	1.1	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	7.4	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	570	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	445	78.1
Renter-occupied housing units	125	21.9
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.32	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.22	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Shady Spring CDP, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	2,078	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	1,028	49.5
Female	1,050	50.5
Under 5 years	144	6.9
5 to 9 years	130	6.3
10 to 14 years	96	4.6
15 to 19 years	110	5.3
20 to 24 years	124	6.0
25 to 34 years	304	14.6
35 to 44 years	283	13.6
45 to 54 years	318	15.3
55 to 59 years	113	5.4
60 to 64 years	124	6.0
65 to 74 years	187	9.0
75 to 84 years	120	5.8
85 years and over	25	1.2
Median age (years)	40.2	(X)
18 years and over	1,641	79.0
Male	791	38.1
Female	850	40.9
21 years and over	1,566	75.4
62 years and over	406	19.5
65 years and over	332	16.0
Male	143	6.9
Female	189	9.1
RACE		
One race	2,071	99.7
White	2,068	99.5
Black or African American	-	-
American Indian and Alaska Native	-	-
Asian	1	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	1	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	2	0.1
Two or more races	7	0.3
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	2,075	99.9
Black or African American	2	0.1
American Indian and Alaska Native	4	0.2
Asian	2	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	2	0.1

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	2,078	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	12	0.6
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	1	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	11	0.5
Not Hispanic or Latino	2,066	99.4
White alone	2,057	99.0
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	2,078	100.0
In households	2,078	100.0
Householder	869	41.8
Spouse	520	25.0
Child	558	26.9
Own child under 18 years	400	19.2
Other relatives	80	3.8
Under 18 years	33	1.6
Nonrelatives	51	2.5
Unmarried partner	34	1.6
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	869	100.0
Family households (families)	637	73.3
With own children under 18 years	239	27.5
Married-couple family	520	59.8
With own children under 18 years	184	21.2
Female householder, no husband present	87	10.0
With own children under 18 years	45	5.2
Nonfamily households	232	26.7
Householder living alone	211	24.3
Householder 65 years and over	99	11.4
Households with individuals under 18 years	263	30.3
Households with individuals 65 years and over	249	28.7
Average household size	2.39	(X)
Average family size	2.82	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	942	100.0
Occupied housing units	869	92.3
Vacant housing units	73	7.7
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	8	0.8
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	2.3	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	8.4	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	869	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	716	82.4
Renter-occupied housing units	153	17.6
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.41	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.31	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Stanaford CDP, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,443	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	673	46.6
Female	770	53.4
Under 5 years	65	4.5
5 to 9 years	60	4.2
10 to 14 years	95	6.6
15 to 19 years	105	7.3
20 to 24 years	75	5.2
25 to 34 years	141	9.8
35 to 44 years	164	11.4
45 to 54 years	277	19.2
55 to 59 years	106	7.3
60 to 64 years	88	6.1
65 to 74 years	172	11.9
75 to 84 years	82	5.7
85 years and over	13	0.9
Median age (years)	45.7	(X)
18 years and over	1,163	80.6
Male	544	37.7
Female	619	42.9
21 years and over	1,098	76.1
62 years and over	325	22.5
65 years and over	267	18.5
Male	117	8.1
Female	150	10.4
RACE		
One race	1,421	98.5
White	1,258	87.2
Black or African American	136	9.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	3	0.2
Asian	13	0.9
Asian Indian	2	0.1
Chinese	4	0.3
Filipino	3	0.2
Japanese	-	-
Korean	4	0.3
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	11	0.8
Two or more races	22	1.5
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	1,274	88.3
Black or African American	140	9.7
American Indian and Alaska Native	14	1.0
Asian	18	1.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	20	1.4

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	1,443	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	13	0.9
Mexican	3	0.2
Puerto Rican	4	0.3
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	6	0.4
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,430	99.1
White alone	1,251	86.7
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	1,443	100.0
In households	1,443	100.0
Householder	595	41.2
Spouse	361	25.0
Child	364	25.2
Own child under 18 years	232	16.1
Other relatives	81	5.6
Under 18 years	40	2.8
Nonrelatives	42	2.9
Unmarried partner	19	1.3
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	595	100.0
Family households (families)	450	75.6
With own children under 18 years	144	24.2
Married-couple family	361	60.7
With own children under 18 years	115	19.3
Female householder, no husband present	72	12.1
With own children under 18 years	22	3.7
Nonfamily households	145	24.4
Householder living alone	128	21.5
Householder 65 years and over	61	10.3
Households with individuals under 18 years	171	28.7
Households with individuals 65 years and over	196	32.9
Average household size	2.43	(X)
Average family size	2.79	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	638	100.0
Occupied housing units	595	93.3
Vacant housing units	43	6.7
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	-	-
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	1.7	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	-	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	595	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	522	87.7
Renter-occupied housing units	73	12.3
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.39	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.66	(X)

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[2] Other Pacific Islander alone, or two or more Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander categories.

[3] In combination with one or more of the other races listed. The six numbers may add to more than the total population and the six percentages may add to more than 100 percent because individuals may report more than one race.

Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Summers County, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	12,999	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	6,353	48.9
Female	6,646	51.1
Under 5 years	604	4.6
5 to 9 years	757	5.8
10 to 14 years	761	5.9
15 to 19 years	856	6.6
20 to 24 years	660	5.1
25 to 34 years	1,379	10.6
35 to 44 years	1,834	14.1
45 to 54 years	2,041	15.7
55 to 59 years	786	6.0
60 to 64 years	728	5.6
65 to 74 years	1,397	10.7
75 to 84 years	865	6.7
85 years and over	331	2.5
Median age (years)	43.4	(X)
18 years and over	10,330	79.5
Male	4,978	38.3
Female	5,352	41.2
21 years and over	9,885	76.0
62 years and over	3,031	23.3
65 years and over	2,593	19.9
Male	1,110	8.5
Female	1,483	11.4
RACE		
One race	12,896	99.2
White	12,553	96.6
Black or African American	280	2.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	33	0.3
Asian	12	0.1
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	5	-
Filipino	1	-
Japanese	1	-
Korean	1	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	4	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	5	-
Native Hawaiian	3	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	1	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	1	-
Some other race	13	0.1
Two or more races	103	0.8
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	12,655	97.4
Black or African American	317	2.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	76	0.6
Asian	22	0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	12	0.1
Some other race	26	0.2

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	12,999	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	71	0.5
Mexican	18	0.1
Puerto Rican	19	0.1
Cuban	2	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	32	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	12,928	99.5
White alone	12,494	96.1
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	12,999	100.0
In households	12,842	98.8
Householder	5,530	42.5
Spouse	2,975	22.9
Child	3,402	26.2
Own child under 18 years	2,398	18.4
Other relatives	547	4.2
Under 18 years	215	1.7
Nonrelatives	388	3.0
Unmarried partner	208	1.6
In group quarters	157	1.2
Institutionalized population	154	1.2
Noninstitutionalized population	3	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	5,530	100.0
Family households (families)	3,756	67.9
With own children under 18 years	1,419	25.7
Married-couple family	2,975	53.8
With own children under 18 years	1,051	19.0
Female householder, no husband present	553	10.0
With own children under 18 years	262	4.7
Nonfamily households	1,774	32.1
Householder living alone	1,607	29.1
Householder 65 years and over	798	14.4
Households with individuals under 18 years	1,581	28.6
Households with individuals 65 years and over	1,860	33.6
Average household size	2.32	(X)
Average family size	2.84	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	7,331	100.0
Occupied housing units	5,530	75.4
Vacant housing units	1,801	24.6
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	1,026	14.0
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	1.9	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	8.3	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	5,530	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	4,374	79.1
Renter-occupied housing units	1,156	20.9
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.35	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.20	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Hinton City, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	2,880	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	1,303	45.2
Female	1,577	54.8
Under 5 years	131	4.5
5 to 9 years	166	5.8
10 to 14 years	156	5.4
15 to 19 years	174	6.0
20 to 24 years	141	4.9
25 to 34 years	294	10.2
35 to 44 years	363	12.6
45 to 54 years	389	13.5
55 to 59 years	146	5.1
60 to 64 years	166	5.8
65 to 74 years	355	12.3
75 to 84 years	268	9.3
85 years and over	131	4.5
Median age (years)	45.4	(X)
18 years and over	2,321	80.6
Male	1,026	35.6
Female	1,295	45.0
21 years and over	2,224	77.2
62 years and over	859	29.8
65 years and over	754	26.2
Male	272	9.4
Female	482	16.7
RACE		
One race	2,846	98.8
White	2,662	92.4
Black or African American	158	5.5
American Indian and Alaska Native	15	0.5
Asian	6	0.2
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	4	0.1
Filipino	1	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	1	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	3	0.1
Native Hawaiian	2	0.1
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	1	-
Some other race	2	0.1
Two or more races	34	1.2
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	2,696	93.6
Black or African American	178	6.2
American Indian and Alaska Native	25	0.9
Asian	6	0.2
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	8	0.3
Some other race	3	0.1

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	2,880	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	21	0.7
Mexican	8	0.3
Puerto Rican	5	0.2
Cuban	1	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	7	0.2
Not Hispanic or Latino	2,859	99.3
White alone	2,641	91.7
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	2,880	100.0
In households	2,843	98.7
Householder	1,357	47.1
Spouse	544	18.9
Child	730	25.3
Own child under 18 years	490	17.0
Other relatives	126	4.4
Under 18 years	54	1.9
Nonrelatives	86	3.0
Unmarried partner	38	1.3
In group quarters	37	1.3
Institutionalized population	37	1.3
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	1,357	100.0
Family households (families)	756	55.7
With own children under 18 years	263	19.4
Married-couple family	544	40.1
With own children under 18 years	172	12.7
Female householder, no husband present	171	12.6
With own children under 18 years	77	5.7
Nonfamily households	601	44.3
Householder living alone	560	41.3
Householder 65 years and over	308	22.7
Households with individuals under 18 years	303	22.3
Households with individuals 65 years and over	568	41.9
Average household size	2.10	(X)
Average family size	2.85	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	1,595	100.0
Occupied housing units	1,357	85.1
Vacant housing units	238	14.9
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	23	1.4
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	3.0	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	11.5	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	1,357	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	902	66.5
Renter-occupied housing units	455	33.5
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.15	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	1.99	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Wyoming County, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	25,708	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	12,649	49.2
Female	13,059	50.8
Under 5 years	1,467	5.7
5 to 9 years	1,478	5.7
10 to 14 years	1,654	6.4
15 to 19 years	1,792	7.0
20 to 24 years	1,604	6.2
25 to 34 years	3,065	11.9
35 to 44 years	4,009	15.6
45 to 54 years	4,414	17.2
55 to 59 years	1,378	5.4
60 to 64 years	1,261	4.9
65 to 74 years	2,163	8.4
75 to 84 years	1,117	4.3
85 years and over	306	1.2
Median age (years)	40.1	(X)
18 years and over	19,950	77.6
Male	9,623	37.4
Female	10,327	40.2
21 years and over	19,004	73.9
62 years and over	4,312	16.8
65 years and over	3,586	13.9
Male	1,492	5.8
Female	2,094	8.1
RACE		
One race	25,577	99.5
White	25,345	98.6
Black or African American	161	0.6
American Indian and Alaska Native	31	0.1
Asian	21	0.1
Asian Indian	6	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	9	-
Japanese	2	-
Korean	1	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	3	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	19	0.1
Two or more races	131	0.5
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	25,469	99.1
Black or African American	202	0.8
American Indian and Alaska Native	104	0.4
Asian	34	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	12	-
Some other race	27	0.1

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	25,708	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	135	0.5
Mexican	21	0.1
Puerto Rican	7	-
Cuban	3	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	104	0.4
Not Hispanic or Latino	25,573	99.5
White alone	25,221	98.1
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	25,708	100.0
In households	25,589	99.5
Householder	10,454	40.7
Spouse	6,203	24.1
Child	7,372	28.7
Own child under 18 years	5,191	20.2
Other relatives	1,016	4.0
Under 18 years	480	1.9
Nonrelatives	544	2.1
Unmarried partner	342	1.3
In group quarters	119	0.5
Institutionalized population	60	0.2
Noninstitutionalized population	59	0.2
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	10,454	100.0
Family households (families)	7,705	73.7
With own children under 18 years	3,236	31.0
Married-couple family	6,203	59.3
With own children under 18 years	2,493	23.8
Female householder, no husband present	1,094	10.5
With own children under 18 years	545	5.2
Nonfamily households	2,749	26.3
Householder living alone	2,547	24.4
Householder 65 years and over	1,200	11.5
Households with individuals under 18 years	3,571	34.2
Households with individuals 65 years and over	2,749	26.3
Average household size	2.45	(X)
Average family size	2.89	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	11,698	100.0
Occupied housing units	10,454	89.4
Vacant housing units	1,244	10.6
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	47	0.4
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	1.7	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	8.2	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	10,454	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	8,713	83.3
Renter-occupied housing units	1,741	16.7
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.47	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.33	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Mullens city, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,769	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	871	49.2
Female	898	50.8
Under 5 years	97	5.5
5 to 9 years	94	5.3
10 to 14 years	98	5.5
15 to 19 years	111	6.3
20 to 24 years	102	5.8
25 to 34 years	195	11.0
35 to 44 years	237	13.4
45 to 54 years	263	14.9
55 to 59 years	90	5.1
60 to 64 years	92	5.2
65 to 74 years	206	11.6
75 to 84 years	141	8.0
85 years and over	43	2.4
Median age (years)	43.1	(X)
18 years and over	1,416	80.0
Male	669	37.8
Female	747	42.2
21 years and over	1,350	76.3
62 years and over	441	24.9
65 years and over	390	22.0
Male	157	8.9
Female	233	13.2
RACE		
One race	1,752	99.0
White	1,681	95.0
Black or African American	61	3.4
American Indian and Alaska Native	1	0.1
Asian	9	0.5
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	7	0.4
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	2	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	17	1.0
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	1,697	95.9
Black or African American	67	3.8
American Indian and Alaska Native	6	0.3
Asian	14	0.8
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	2	0.1

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	1,769	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	3	0.2
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	3	0.2
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	-	-
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,766	99.8
White alone	1,678	94.9
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	1,769	100.0
In households	1,725	97.5
Householder	771	43.6
Spouse	400	22.6
Child	451	25.5
Own child under 18 years	323	18.3
Other relatives	71	4.0
Under 18 years	29	1.6
Nonrelatives	32	1.8
Unmarried partner	21	1.2
In group quarters	44	2.5
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	44	2.5
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	771	100.0
Family households (families)	503	65.2
With own children under 18 years	198	25.7
Married-couple family	400	51.9
With own children under 18 years	154	20.0
Female householder, no husband present	74	9.6
With own children under 18 years	32	4.2
Nonfamily households	268	34.8
Householder living alone	251	32.6
Householder 65 years and over	151	19.6
Households with individuals under 18 years	214	27.8
Households with individuals 65 years and over	295	38.3
Average household size	2.24	(X)
Average family size	2.83	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	904	100.0
Occupied housing units	771	85.3
Vacant housing units	133	14.7
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	7	0.8
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	4.6	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	9.0	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	771	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	599	77.7
Renter-occupied housing units	172	22.3
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.26	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.17	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Oceana town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	1,550	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	719	46.4
Female	831	53.6
Under 5 years	95	6.1
5 to 9 years	100	6.5
10 to 14 years	108	7.0
15 to 19 years	103	6.6
20 to 24 years	97	6.3
25 to 34 years	159	10.3
35 to 44 years	255	16.5
45 to 54 years	248	16.0
55 to 59 years	76	4.9
60 to 64 years	72	4.6
65 to 74 years	144	9.3
75 to 84 years	75	4.8
85 years and over	18	1.2
Median age (years)	39.8	(X)
18 years and over	1,176	75.9
Male	523	33.7
Female	653	42.1
21 years and over	1,125	72.6
62 years and over	278	17.9
65 years and over	237	15.3
Male	91	5.9
Female	146	9.4
RACE		
One race	1,530	98.7
White	1,529	98.6
Black or African American	-	-
American Indian and Alaska Native	1	0.1
Asian	-	-
Asian Indian	-	-
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	20	1.3
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	1,545	99.7
Black or African American	5	0.3
American Indian and Alaska Native	17	1.1
Asian	-	-
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	6	0.4
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	1,550	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	5	0.3
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	5	0.3
Not Hispanic or Latino	1,545	99.7
White alone	1,527	98.5
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	1,550	100.0
In households	1,550	100.0
Householder	660	42.6
Spouse	343	22.1
Child	447	28.8
Own child under 18 years	346	22.3
Other relatives	66	4.3
Under 18 years	26	1.7
Nonrelatives	34	2.2
Unmarried partner	23	1.5
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	660	100.0
Family households (families)	461	69.8
With own children under 18 years	199	30.2
Married-couple family	343	52.0
With own children under 18 years	131	19.8
Female householder, no husband present	96	14.5
With own children under 18 years	58	8.8
Nonfamily households	199	30.2
Householder living alone	189	28.6
Householder 65 years and over	86	13.0
Households with individuals under 18 years	217	32.9
Households with individuals 65 years and over	182	27.6
Average household size	2.35	(X)
Average family size	2.86	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	739	100.0
Occupied housing units	660	89.3
Vacant housing units	79	10.7
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	2	0.3
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	2.0	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	9.9	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	660	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	478	72.4
Renter-occupied housing units	182	27.6
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.40	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.21	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

Table DP-1. Profile of General Demographic Characteristics: 2000

Geographic Area: Pineville-town, West Virginia

[For information on confidentiality protection, nonsampling error, and definitions, see text]

Subject	Number	Percent
Total population	715	100.0
SEX AND AGE		
Male	332	46.4
Female	383	53.6
Under 5 years	33	4.6
5 to 9 years	31	4.3
10 to 14 years	32	4.5
15 to 19 years	44	6.2
20 to 24 years	39	5.5
25 to 34 years	57	8.0
35 to 44 years	95	13.3
45 to 54 years	132	18.5
55 to 59 years	53	7.4
60 to 64 years	28	3.9
65 to 74 years	109	15.2
75 to 84 years	46	6.4
85 years and over	16	2.2
Median age (years)	47.0	(X)
18 years and over	587	82.1
Male	267	37.3
Female	320	44.8
21 years and over	568	79.4
62 years and over	182	25.5
65 years and over	171	23.9
Male	79	11.0
Female	92	12.9
RACE		
One race	714	99.9
White	706	98.7
Black or African American	5	0.7
American Indian and Alaska Native	1	0.1
Asian	2	0.3
Asian Indian	1	0.1
Chinese	-	-
Filipino	-	-
Japanese	-	-
Korean	-	-
Vietnamese	-	-
Other Asian [1]	1	0.1
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Native Hawaiian	-	-
Guamanian or Chamorro	-	-
Samoan	-	-
Other Pacific Islander [2]	-	-
Some other race	-	-
Two or more races	1	0.1
Race alone or in combination with one or more other races: [3]		
White	707	98.9
Black or African American	5	0.7
American Indian and Alaska Native	2	0.3
Asian	2	0.3
Native Hawaiian and Other Pacific Islander	-	-
Some other race	-	-

Subject	Number	Percent
HISPANIC OR LATINO AND RACE		
Total population	715	100.0
Hispanic or Latino (of any race)	1	0.1
Mexican	-	-
Puerto Rican	-	-
Cuban	-	-
Other Hispanic or Latino	1	0.1
Not Hispanic or Latino	714	99.9
White alone	705	98.6
RELATIONSHIP		
Total population	715	100.0
In households	715	100.0
Householder	334	46.7
Spouse	181	25.3
Child	163	22.8
Own child under 18 years	120	16.8
Other relatives	16	2.2
Under 18 years	4	0.6
Nonrelatives	21	2.9
Unmarried partner	8	1.1
In group quarters	-	-
Institutionalized population	-	-
Noninstitutionalized population	-	-
HOUSEHOLD BY TYPE		
Total households	334	100.0
Family households (families)	219	65.6
With own children under 18 years	77	23.1
Married-couple family	181	54.2
With own children under 18 years	57	17.1
Female householder, no husband present	30	9.0
With own children under 18 years	15	4.5
Nonfamily households	115	34.4
Householder living alone	107	32.0
Householder 65 years and over	56	16.8
Households with individuals under 18 years	83	24.9
Households with individuals 65 years and over	125	37.4
Average household size	2.14	(X)
Average family size	2.64	(X)
HOUSING OCCUPANCY		
Total housing units	377	100.0
Occupied housing units	334	88.6
Vacant housing units	43	11.4
For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use	1	0.3
Homeowner vacancy rate (percent)	4.2	(X)
Rental vacancy rate (percent)	4.9	(X)
HOUSING TENURE		
Occupied housing units	334	100.0
Owner-occupied housing units	276	82.6
Renter-occupied housing units	58	17.4
Average household size of owner-occupied units	2.16	(X)
Average household size of renter-occupied units	2.07	(X)

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Source: U.S. Census Bureau, Census 2000.

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MEMORANDUM

To: Member Communities

Fr: Jason Roberts, GIS Director JR

Date: January 16, 2008

Ref: Hazard Mitigation Plan Updates

Please be advised that Region One is currently in the process of revising the Hazard Mitigation Plans (HMP) for all communities within the Region One area. According to FEMA requirements, all communities must be represented in an approved HMP in order to retain eligibility for disaster recovery and mitigation funding. As per the request of state emergency management officials, these plans are being compiled into a Region-wide document that encompasses all natural hazards applicable to your community.

In preparing for HMP updates, I cordially request that you review your community's existing segments in the HMP for your county (which you received a copy of upon adoption of the existing HMP in 2003) and notify me of any changes regarding: Hazard Probability Ranking; Asset Inventory Worksheets; Event History; pertinent structure location(s); Local Mitigation Goals and/or successes; municipal annexations; or any other relevant data. As you also know, a significant portion of the existing HMP is the delineation of applicable hazards and your community's strategy for mitigating these threats. These segments should also be revisited in order to reflect any successes or failures regarding mitigation goals, along with why the strategies did or did not work.

Please carefully review the existing HMP document for your county. If any changes are necessary, please photocopy the applicable portion(s) of the plan, indicate any revisions, note the strategies/methodologies incorporated, and mail to:

Region One PDC
Attn: HMP Updates
1439 E. Main Street
Suite 5
Princeton, WV 24740

Obviously, the Hazard Mitigation Planning process is one that will be both lengthy and involved. In order to produce a viable, accurate document, Region One staff will revise the HMPs utilizing a step-by-step methodology. This first phase of planning is dependent upon feedback from member communities concerning any changes that need to be addressed regarding the aforementioned list and/or the associated community maps included in the HMP. To that end, I respectfully ask that you provide any changes to me by no later than **February 15, 2008.** If I have not received any correspondence by that time, I will assume that your portion of the plan requires no changes. If for some reason you cannot locate your copy of the HMP, please contact me immediately and I will be glad to provide you with digital and/or hardcopy versions of the plan.

Should you have any questions or need additional information regarding the HMP or the regionalization process, please contact me by phone or by e-mail at jasonroberts@regiononepdc.org. Thank you for your cooperation, and I look forward to working with you throughout the HMP process.

JR

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FEMA

June 23, 2007

Mr. Timothy Keaton
State Hazard Mitigation Officer
West Virginia Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management
State Capital Building, Building 1, Room EB-80
1900 Kanawha Boulevard East
Charleston, West Virginia 25305-0360

Dear Mr. Keaton:

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has completed our review of the Region 1 Planning and Development Council Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan based on the standards contained in 44 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 201, as authorized by the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (DMA2K). Counties included in the Region 1 Planning and Development Council plan include: McDowell, Mercer, Monroe, Raleigh, Summers, and Wyoming and the jurisdictions in each of the Counties.

The plan received a "satisfactory" rating for all required criteria. These criteria address the planning process, hazard identification and risk assessment, mitigation strategy, and plan maintenance requirements. However, prior to formal approval by FEMA, each participating municipality in the County is required to provide an adoption resolution to our office.

We commend you for your dedication demonstrated in supporting the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (DMA2K) and the State of West Virginia's commitment to reduce future disaster losses.

If you have questions, please contact Tess Grubb, of my staff, at 215-931-5528.

Sincerely,

for Eugene K. Gruber
Director, Mitigation Division

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MEMORANDUM

To: Region I Communities

Fr: Jason Roberts, GIS Director JR

Date: July 2, 2009

Ref: Hazard Mitigation Plans

As you are probably aware, we have been working on combining the individual countywide Hazard Mitigation Plans (HMPs) into an updated regional Plan. The Plan has been approved by both State and FEMA officials, and must now be made available for public review and comment prior to formal adoption by participant counties and municipalities.

Please find enclosed a public notice directing citizenry to the applicable County Commission meeting where the plan will be made available for review. Please post copies of this notice throughout your respective Town, City, or County offices, libraries, schools, meeting halls, community centers, etc. Copies of the draft Plan will be made available at the County Courthouse for review prior to the public meeting.

As part of the review process, it will be necessary to record all questions, comments, or discussions regarding the plan as part of the official meeting minutes. After the minutes have been incorporated into the draft Hazard Mitigation Plan, your community will receive a copy of the finalized Plan for formal adoption. Upon adoption, the regionalized Plan will serve as an addition to, rather than a replacement for, your existing County HMP. As such, the community maps in your 2003 HMP are still valid. The only new maps included in the regional plan are a Region I Assets map and a Town of Kimball map since this municipality had a relocation of a critical facility structure.

Should you (or any citizens within your community) have questions regarding the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan, please contact me by phone at (304) 431-7225 or by e-mail at jasonroberts@regiononepdc.org. Thank you for your cooperation; I look forward to finalizing the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan.

PUBLIC NOTICE

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE MCDOWELL COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN (HMP) HAS BEEN UPDATED AND INTEGRATED INTO A REGIONAL HMP WITH FIVE OTHER LOCAL COUNTIES PURSUANT TO FEDERAL AND STATE REQUIREMENTS. THIS REGIONALIZED PLAN MEETS PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE SIX-COUNTY REGION OF MCDOWELL, MERCER, MONROE, RALEIGH, SUMMERS, AND WYOMING.

THIS NEWLY DRAFTED PLAN WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC REVIEW AND COMMENT AT THE REGULARLY-SCHEDULED COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING AT 4:00 P.M. ON JULY 22, 2009.

YOUR ATTENDANCE AND PARTICIPATION IS GREATLY APPRECIATED.

PUBLIC NOTICE

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE MERCER COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN (HMP) HAS BEEN UPDATED AND INTEGRATED INTO A REGIONAL HMP WITH FIVE OTHER LOCAL COUNTIES PURSUANT TO FEDERAL AND STATE REQUIREMENTS. THIS REGIONALIZED PLAN MEETS PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE SIX-COUNTY REGION OF MCDOWELL, MERCER, MONROE, RALEIGH, SUMMERS, AND WYOMING.

THIS NEWLY DRAFTED PLAN WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC REVIEW AND COMMENT AT THE REGULARLY-SCHEDULED COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING AT 10:00 A.M. ON JULY 14, 2009.

YOUR ATTENDANCE AND PARTICIPATION IS GREATLY APPRECIATED.

PUBLIC NOTICE

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE MONROE COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN (HMP) HAS BEEN UPDATED AND INTEGRATED INTO A REGIONAL HMP WITH FIVE OTHER LOCAL COUNTIES PURSUANT TO FEDERAL AND STATE REQUIREMENTS. THIS REGIONALIZED PLAN MEETS PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE SIX-COUNTY REGION OF MCDOWELL, MERCER, MONROE, RALEIGH, SUMMERS, AND WYOMING.

THIS NEWLY DRAFTED PLAN WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC REVIEW AND COMMENT AT THE REGULARLY-SCHEDULED COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING AT 10:30 A.M. ON AUGUST 5, 2009.

YOUR ATTENDANCE AND PARTICIPATION IS GREATLY APPRECIATED.

PUBLIC NOTICE

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE RALEIGH COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN (HMP) HAS BEEN UPDATED AND INTEGRATED INTO A REGIONAL HMP WITH FIVE OTHER LOCAL COUNTIES PURSUANT TO FEDERAL AND STATE REQUIREMENTS. THIS REGIONALIZED PLAN MEETS PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE SIX-COUNTY REGION OF MCDOWELL, MERCER, MONROE, RALEIGH, SUMMERS, AND WYOMING.

THIS NEWLY DRAFTED PLAN WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC REVIEW AND COMMENT AT THE REGULARLY-SCHEDULED COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING AT 10:00 A.M. ON JULY 21, 2009.

YOUR ATTENDANCE AND PARTICIPATION IS GREATLY APPRECIATED.

PUBLIC NOTICE

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE SUMMERS COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN (HMP) HAS BEEN UPDATED AND INTEGRATED INTO A REGIONAL HMP WITH FIVE OTHER LOCAL COUNTIES PURSUANT TO FEDERAL AND STATE REQUIREMENTS. THIS REGIONALIZED PLAN MEETS PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE SIX-COUNTY REGION OF MCDOWELL, MERCER, MONROE, RALEIGH, SUMMERS, AND WYOMING.

THIS NEWLY DRAFTED PLAN WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC REVIEW AND COMMENT AT THE REGULARLY-SCHEDULED COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING AT 9:30 A.M. ON JULY 20, 2009.

YOUR ATTENDANCE AND PARTICIPATION IS GREATLY APPRECIATED.

PUBLIC NOTICE

PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE WYOMING COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN (HMP) HAS BEEN UPDATED AND INTEGRATED INTO A REGIONAL HMP WITH FIVE OTHER LOCAL COUNTIES PURSUANT TO FEDERAL AND STATE REQUIREMENTS. THIS REGIONALIZED PLAN MEETS PARTICIPATION REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES WITHIN THE SIX-COUNTY REGION OF MCDOWELL, MERCER, MONROE, RALEIGH, SUMMERS, AND WYOMING.

THIS NEWLY DRAFTED PLAN WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PUBLIC REVIEW AND COMMENT AT THE REGULARLY-SCHEDULED COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING AT 9:30 A.M. ON JULY 15, 2009.

YOUR ATTENDANCE AND PARTICIPATION IS GREATLY APPRECIATED.

Region I Planning & Development Council

1439 East Main Street, Suite #5
Princeton, WV 24740

(304) 431-7225
Fax (304) 431-7235
regionone@regiononepdc.org

MEMORANDUM

To: Member Communities

Fr: Jason Roberts, GIS Director JR

Date: August 21, 2009

Ref: Hazard Mitigation Plan Adoption

As you already know, each of your respective County Commissions recently held public review hearings for the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan. The final step in the HMP process is to incorporate the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan via formal resolution adoption. Upon approval of the resolution, your community will be in full regulatory compliance with federal and state officials with regards to an all-hazards mitigation plan, therefore retaining eligibility for the FEMA "buyout" programs.

I have included a sample resolution that you may wish to use. Simply transfer the text to your community's letterhead, pass the resolution at your next regularly-scheduled municipal or county meeting, and mail the original back to Region I. For your convenience I have included a pre-addressed, postage paid envelope for the return mailing. Upon receipt of all resolutions within Region I, you will receive a copy of the final Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan.

Should you have any questions or need additional information, please feel free to contact me via phone or through e-mail at jasonroberts@regiononepdc.org. Thank you for your cooperation; I look forward to finalizing the Regional Plan.

(COMMUNITY NAME)

WHEREAS, (Community Name) recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the (Community Name) Mayor and Council (or County Commission) participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the (Community Name) Mayor and Council (or County Commission), hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this _____ day of _____ 2009.

(COMMUNITY NAME)

By_____
(Name), Mayor/Commission President

I, (Recorder's Name), Recorder for the (Community Name), West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the (Community Name) Town/City Council/Commission at their meeting held on the _____day of _____, 2009 and that a quorum of the Town/City Council/Commission members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

_____
(Name), Recorder

McDowell County Commission
Hazard Mitigation Plan Meeting
July 22, 2009

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Frank Kapish III	90 Wyoming St. Welch WV 24801	(304) 436-8543	
Linda White	139 Estep Ridge Jolo WV 24850		
Manuel Hardesh	Welch Zip.		
[illegible] McPeak	PO Box 241 Kimball WV		
Donald L. Hicks	96 Summers St. Welch WV 24801	304 436-8517	
Judy Heath	109 Wyoming St. Welch WV	304-436-8558	
Martin West	Wyoming St. Welch	436-5591	
Blanche [illegible]	109 Wyoming St.	436-9010	
Georgia West	109 Wyoming St.	436-8518	

McDowell County Commission
- Agenda -
Meeting of Wednesday, July 22, 2009
@ 4:00 pm

1. Pledge & Prayer
2. Minutes from the June 24th, 2009 Meeting
3. Bills
4. Probate
5. Tax Exonerations
6. OES-911 Teresa Vandyke
7. Rajco & Frontier wishes to address the Commission in RE: Dimensions for Cell Tower
8. Phase III Contract
9. Commissioner Bailey's Attorney Fees
10. Barry Hale wishes to address the Commission in RE: Stolen County Property
11. Bid Contract for Physician Services at Steven's Correctional Facility
12. Net plus RE: Computer Updates
13. Purchasing Director to address the Commission in RE: Computer for Purchase Orders Only

14. Lyle Noe wishes to address the Commission in RE: Project Rollover

15. Purchasing of used vehicles from Surplus Property

16. Wilbert Marcum wishes to address the Commission in RE: Lease Property

17. Request from Sheriff Danny Mitchell to transfer line item in the Home Incarceration Budget

18. Parking Behind McNary Johnson Building

19. Ronnie Smith wishes to address the Commission in RE: Sick Days

20. Misty Cook wishes to address the Commission in RE: Zoning for ABC Store

21. Hiring

22. Jason Roberts with Region 1 wishes to address the Commission in RE: Hazard Mitigation Plan Update

23. Region 1 updates on demo property and Financial updates

24. Bonnie Privett wishes to address the Commission in RE: Money Paid for Sewer Line thru Kimball

25. George Janice wishes to address the Commission in RE: Year End Report

26. John Dillon wishes to address the Commission in RE: Lease Property

27. Sign & Approve Resolution for Safe Emergency Shelter Program - ESG

28. Year End Reports

29. Legal Services Agreement

30. Solid Waste Authority wishes to address the Commission in RE: Funding

31. Kevin Kennedy wishes to address the Commission in RE: Complaint at Stevens Correctional Facility

32. Dewey Mullins wishes to address the Commission in RE: Vacation Pay

33. John Hall Jr. wishes to address the Commission in RE: Purchase Old Ambulance from the Commission

34. Margaret Atwell wishes to address the Commission in RE: Sam Owens Jr. Estate

35. Kendrick King wishes to address the Commission in RE: Renew Contract

36. Mary Mullins wishes to address the Commission in RE: Lease Property - Sandy River District Lots 68 & 69

37. Margie & Walter E. Mullins wishes to address the Commission in RE: Lease Property

38. Sign Correspondence in RE: Compliance with FEMA Exhibit A - Open Space Policies

39. Paitsel Lockhart wishes to address the Commission in RE: Wet Lands at Edmore Village

40. Sandra Long wishes to address the Commission in RE: Written Lease Agreement

41. Attendance at the WV Association of County Commissioners Annual Meeting in Glade Springs on August 1 - 4 of 2009

42. Sheriff's Settlement on Funds ending June 30, 2009

43. Bid Out Job to clean & repair clogged drain pipe and hole on 1505 & 1507 Stewart Street

44. McDowell County Health Department in RE: Funding & Budget Review

45. Acknowledge Quarterly Report for Home Incarceration

46. Georgia West wishes to address the Commission in RE: Appointment of Criminal Justice Board Members & Annual Report

47. Day Report Budget Revisions

48. Sign & Approve Resolution for Sheriff's Department Grants

49. Ed Crum/ Trout Unlimited from Putnam County RE: Lease Property at Landgraff

50. Last Day for Summer Workers

51. Wanda Belcher Re: Burke Mtn. Road

*Executive Session - State Code # 1931, as Amended-Article 9A, Chapter 6

Mercer County Commission
Hazard Mitigation Plan Meeting
July 14, 2009

Name	Address	Phone	E-mail
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Laura Helton	108 South Walker Street Princeton	487-8420	laura.helton@countywv.gov
Paula Akers	PO Box 42 Kellysville WV 24732 Town of Oakvale	898-2423	Council
Randy Hendricks	Town of Oakvale	898 2431	Council
Mary Nelson	Town of Oakvale	898-2431	Council
Doug Pauley	2010 Quarrier St Chas, WV	(304) 343-3535 ext 1	DEP Dougpor @ AOL.com
Bill Jessee	108 South Walker St. Princeton, W.V. 24740	304-487-8485	billmercedrc@frontiernet.net

Cindy May Hill	414 Village Green Circle Lot #108 Princeton, WV 24740	(304) 431-1172	NA
Phillip B. Hall	Smith, Lilly & Hall	304 425-2146	
Sheriff D. B Meade			
Deanna Mason Saddler	8560 New Hope Road Bluefield, WV 24701	(304) 920-0782	
Angela Blankenship	P.O. Box 1085 Athens, WV 24712	(304) 320-6818	
Dan Aguirre	100 church lane Princeton, WV 24740	(304) 425-7193	
Cliff Goldsmith	911	304. 425-4911	
Thomas Saddler	8560 New HOPE Rd. Bluefield WV 24701	304-920-4121	
Tim Saddler	8560 NEW HOPE RD BLUEFIELD WV 24701	304-920-0782	

WEST VIRGINIA:

At a regular session of the County Commission, held for the County of Mercer, at the Courthouse thereof, on Tuesday, July 14, 2009.

Present:	Joe Coburn,	President.
Present:	Jay Mills,	Commissioner.
Present:	Karen Disibbio,	Commissioner.

RE: MERCER COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

On this day Jason Roberts with Region I PDC appeared before the Mercer County Commission to discuss the Mercer County Hazard Mitigation Plan and to make the plan available for review. Upon completion of the discussion Mr. Roberts opened the floor for any questions. No public questions or comments were made.

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA,

COUNTY OF MERCER, TO WIT:

I, Verlin T. Moye, Clerk of the County Commission of the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that the foregoing writing is a true and correct copy of an Order, as taken from the records in my said office.

Given under my hand and Seal of said Commission, this the 19th day of August, 2009.

Verlin T. Moye

MERCER COUNTY CLERK

COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING – TUESDAY, JULY 14, 2009 – 10:00 A.M

AGENDA:

OPEN WITH PRAYER
PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

CONTRACTS, AGREEMENTS, AND RESOLUTIONS

- Mercer County Hazard Mitigation Plan
  Jason Roberts, Region I PDC
- Contract to provide Americorps Vista Worker for Drug Court
- Division of Criminal Justice Services Community Corrections Grant-$660,000
- Division of Criminal Justice Services Recovery Act-Justice Assistance Grant $40,000
- Division of Criminal Justice Services Enforcing the Underage Drinking Laws Grant Program-$13,500
- Crown Castle Cell Tower Contract
  911 Center
- 911 Center Upgrades & Renovations
- Home Confinement Agreement
- Spanishburg Water Project
  Drawdown #9-$29,214

BUDGET REVISION

- Coal Severance

FUNDING REQUEST

- Assessor's Office-Electrical Upgrade
  Tri-Cities Electrical-$4,450
- Greater Bluefield Chamber of Commerce
  Bluefield Coal Show
- Culturefest World & Arts Festival
- Princeton-Mercer County Chamber of Commerce-Princeton Autumnfest
- South Bluefield Merchants & Professional Association-Lemonade Days
- Camp Creek State Park Foundation-

ESTATES

- Plez R. Hubbard-Accept Petition
- William Mosby-Accept Petition
- Donald Meadows-Appoint Sheriff
- Jimmy Ray Brown-Appoint Sheriff

APPOINTMENTS/REAPPOINTMENTS

- New River Parkway Authority
  William Brezinski, 7/1/09 to 6/30/12
- Community Action of South Eastern West Virginia (CASE) Reappoint Members Joe Coburn & Jay Mills, Alternates-Karen Disibbio & Vicky Reed
- Animal Control Officers
  Stephanie Barker
  Lisa Nesbit

EMPLOYMENT

- 911 Communications Center
  Part Time Telecommunicators
  Cindy Hill
  Angela Blankenship
  Charles Flinchum
  Daniel Aguire
  Deanna Saddler

PUBLIC COMMENTS

- Harbinger Developments
  Douglas E. Pauley, General Partner

INVESTMENTS

Sinking Bond	$ 10,000.00	180 days	June 18, 2010	1.00%	BB&T
911 Funds	$ 200,000.00	180 days	September 18, 2009	1.00%	First Community
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COMMISSION TO APPROVE THE FOLLOWING:

1. Invoices for Previous Month
2. Settlements
3. Exonerations
4. Quarterly Fiduciary Report

CITY OF PRINCETON,
WEST VIRGINIA

CITY COUNCIL MEETING

RECEIVED
SEP 11 2009
REGION I PDC

September 14, 2009
7:30 p. m.

A G E N D A

I. CALL TO ORDER

II. INVOCATION AND PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG

III. PROCLAMATIONS AND PRESENTATIONS

A. Proclamation - Constitution Week in Princeton
B. Presentation to Jim Holland, GM, Princeton Rays Baseball
C. Presentation by Beverly Wellman, Director, MCCVB – Annual Report

IV. PUBLIC INPUT

V. CONSENT AGENDA

Approval of the Minutes of the August 10, 2009, Regular Meeting.

VI. POLICY AGENDA

A. Committee Reports

1. Public Works & Recreation
   Activity Reports
2. Public Safety
   a. Police Civil Service Test
   b. Demolition Bids – 1243 Princeton Ave
   c. Resolution to Adopt Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan
   d. Date for "Trick or Treat"
3. Finance & Administration
   a. August 2009 -Financial Statements
   b. Resolution Approving Grant Contract for Rec Center
   c. Requisition #14 – Series 2008 Note Trust Fund
   d. B. & O. Tax Incentives
   e. Date for City Council Meeting in October

B. City Attorney

C. City Manager

D. City Clerk

E. Departmental Reports

VII. COUNCIL ROUNDTABLE

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

Monroe County Commission
Hazard Mitigation Plan Meeting
August 5, 2009

Name	Address	Phone	E-mail
Cori Edwards	Region 1 PDC	304 431 7225	coripe@regionone pdc.org
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Harold Parsons			
Donald J. Evans	P.O. Box 350 Union WV 24983	772-3096	devans@monroe county wv.net
Jayce Pritt	Rt 2 Box 279 Pickaway, WV 24976	304-772-5357	jpritt@ntelos.net
Bill Miller	Rt 1 Box 95 Peterstown WV. 24963	304 753-5706	—

Monroe County Commission
Regular Session Agenda
August 5, 2009

Tom Edgar
11:00

9:00
9:30
10:00 Burman Clark, Presentation of Employee Benefits
10:30 Public Hearing for Hazard Mitigation Plan as prepared by Region I
11:00 ~~Glen Taylor, requesting to serve as chaplain for emergency services~~. Tom Edgar
11:15 Tammy Fox, Update on Floodplain Program.
11:30 Bruce Power, Update on 911 activities.
1:00 Tammy Fox, Update on Floodplain Program.
1:30
2:00
2:30 Justin St. Clair, Prosecuting Attorney, Update on several issues

Glen Taylor - 304-992-1397

Discussion

1. Approve drawdown for Greenville / Wikel Water Project
2. Review proposal for identification cards for county employees
3. Approve invoice from Greenbrier Communications for Court Security Grant
4. Review and sign letter for Mercer Day Report Center.
5. Review letter from Insurance Commissioner
6. Review Wireless Distribution Report for April, May, June 2009
7. Review Red Sulphur PSD meeting minutes.
8. Review letter from Cledith Smith Fisher in reference to estate of James R. Smith
9. Review letter from Russ Reid Company
10. Review letter from DEP advising reappointment of Jerry Pitzer to Solid Waste Authority
11. Act upon a request for a support letter from the Solid Waste Authority.
12. Update on meeting with Health Center officials concerning renovations.
13. Review info on record room insurance settlement for record room from WVCoRP.
14. Review Gap Mills PSD minute meetings.
15. Review letter requesting restitution from Douglas Allen for damages he caused to cruiser.
16. US Cellular has installed new tower near Peterstown and it is now operation. They are planning to install an additional tower on Harvey Flint's land near Ballard in early spring.
17. Sign documents in reference to Court Security Grant recently awarded in the amount of $15,300.00.
18. Review and act upon letter from Keith Lively, Attorney, in reference to the estate of Charles Richard Bennett.
19. Review letter advising county that requirements set forth by REAP have been met.

20. Hiring of Deputy Sheriff
21. Review e-mail from FEMA in reference to progress report. Bruce will discuss this further.
22. Review change in Southern Regional Comm. Criminal Board meeting date.

Monroe County Commission
Regular Session
August 5, 2009

State of WV:
County of Monroe:

At a regular meeting of the Monroe County Commission, called after notice and posting on the front door of the Courthouse of Monroe County, more than 48 hours prior to said meeting, being held on the 5th day of August 2009 with Commissioners Joyce Pritt, President Commissioner Bill Miller, Associate Commissioner, present. Commissioner Shane Ashley was absent due to the passing of his mother. Also present was Donald J. Evans, County Clerk.

Burman Clark – Muneris – Group Health Insurance

Burman Clark of Narrows, VA appeared before Commissioners representing a company called Muneris. Mr. Clark told Commissioners that he had read in the newspaper that the county was seeking to change health insurance providers due to the ever-rising cost of health care. The county presently participates in the WV Public Employees Insurance Agency. Mr. Clark said that he was an insurance broker and requested permission from the County Commission to inquire with a couple of companies he represents to see if they could provide group health insurance to county employees at a cheaper rate with similar coverage. Commissioner Miller made a motion authorizing Mr. Clark to conduct the necessary research to see if he could save the county and its employees some money on health care. Commissioner Pritt second the motion. Motion passed 2-0. Commissioners asked the Clerk to work with Mr. Clark and provide him with the information he needed.

Hazard Mitigation Plan Public Hearing

The County Commission held a public hearing on this day at 10:30 am. The purpose of the hearing was to provide the public an opportunity to comment on the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as prepared by Region I Planning & Development Council. Attending the hearing was Commissioners Pritt and Miller, County Clerk Donald J. Evans and Cori Edwards, representing Region I Planning & Development Council. Harold and Sandra Parsons attended the hearing but didn't comment on the plan. There were no additional public comments.

Bellview Voting Precinct Boundary Lines

A delegation of residents from the Wolf Creek area appeared before Commissioners requesting that the County Commission expand the boundary lines of the Bellview Voting Precinct. This precinct had been closed for several years due to the fact that the precinct didn't meet the minimum number of voters as required by WV Code. Acting on a request from Wolf Creek residents,

Commissioners submitted and received a waiver from the Secretary of State's Office waiving the minimum number of voters and reopened the precinct. The precinct was opened during the November 2008 General Election. Tom Edgar, spokesperson for the delegation, asked Commissioners to extend the boundary lines for the precinct so they could increase the number of registered voters in their precinct. He suggested expanding the boundary line to at least the Creamery road intersection to the county line. In addition, he suggested the boundary line be extended half way up the Flat Mountain road. Commissioners agreed to study this request and report back to the delegation. Those attending were Tom and Ling-Yn Edgar, Donald and Anita Hill, Richard and Linda Culler, and Harold and Sandra Parsons.

Court Security Grant – Magistrate's Office

Commissioner Miller made a motion to approve an invoice from Greenbrier Communications in the amount of $7,650.00. Commissioner Pritt second the motion. Motion passed 2-0. This invoice is for security cameras, network equipment and exterior lighting for the Magistrate's Office. The county will be reimbursed for this expenditure from a Court Security Grant the Magistrate's Office was recently awarded.

Tammy Fox, Floodplain Coordinator

Tammy Fox, the County's Floodplain Coordinator, provided Commissioners with an update of her activities related to Floodplain Management. Ms. Fox said she just returned from a training session that was very informative. She said the County Commission may want to consider implementing building permits. She said this could be a way for the Floodplain Office to determine if someone is constructing a house in the flood zone. Bruce Power, 911 Director, also attended this meeting and expressed concern about the amount of time Ms. Fox must spend on her floodplain duties. She is also a 911 dispatcher. Ms. Fox said she felt she could continue doing both jobs. Commissioners agreed to study this arrangement and get back to Ms. Fox and Mr. Power.

Industrial and Commercial Ministries- Glen Taylor

Glen Taylor, representing Industrial and Commercial Ministries from Harrisburg, VA, appeared before Commissioners and provided information on the services offered by ICM. He said ICM was a volunteer organization who had individuals that county employees could talk with if they didn't feel comfortable talking with anyone else. He said ICM is utilized the most in emergency service events.

Justin St. Clair, Prosecuting Attorney

Prosecuting Attorney Justin St. Clair appeared before Commissioners. The County Commission previously asked Mr. St. Clair to research a few issues for them. Mr. St. Clair said he has been extremely busy with two murder trials and would get back with Commissioners soon on these issues. Commissioners congratulated Mr. St. Clair for prosecuting an individual who received a life in prison sentence for murder with no chance of parole

Monroe Solid Waste Authority- Letter of Support
Commissioner Miller made a motion to prepare a letter supporting the efforts of the Monroe Solid Waste Authority in obtaining a $15,000.00 grant from the State of West Virginia. Commissioner Pritt second the motion. Motion passed 2-0.

Bruce Power – 911 Director
Bruce Power, 911 Director, appeared before Commissioners and provided them with an update of the activities of the 911 Center. Mr. Power reported that 85% of the structures in the county have been mapped and assigned a physical address. He said the project should be complete by mid-summer. Power also reported that the radio communications repeater has been installed in Sweet Springs and became totally operational on July 17, 2009. He said he has also located a place in the Moncove Lake area to install an additional repeater to improve communications in this area. Power said he was in discussions with the landowner. He said the 911 Advisory Board was unable to meet last month due to scheduling conflicts and he was continuing to work with Sheriff Mike Gravely in an effort to secure grant funding to purchase equipment. A total of 4,026 calls were received by the 911 Center for the month of July of which 610 of the calls came in on 911 lines.

Donna Huffman, Assessor – Country View Assisted Living
Assessor Donna Huffman told Commissioners that her staff recently made a mistake when assessing the Country View Assisted Living facility near Peterstown. Ms. Huffman said they made a mistake on the actual measurements of the facility. She advised that the county would need to refund Country View $2,447.18 due to this mistake.

Identification Cards for County Employees
Commissioner Miller made a motion for the county to participate in a program created by the WV Association of Counties in conjunction with the Department of Motor Vehicles. This program would allow county employees to obtain picture identification cards that can be used while conducting official county business. Commissioner Pritt second the motion. Motion passed 2-0. The fee to obtain such cards is $5.00 and will be paid by the county.

Wireless Distribution Report
Commissioners reviewed the wireless distribution report for the months of April, May and June 2009.

Red Sulphur Public Service District
Commissioners reviewed the monthly meeting minutes of the Red Sulphur PSD.

Gap Mills Public Service District
Commissioners reviewed the monthly meeting minutes of the Gap Mills PSD.

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US Cellular
The County Clerk advised Commissioners that the US Cellular tower recently installed near Peterstown is now operational. The Clerk also said that US Cellular representatives told him that they would be installing an additional tower near Ballard in the springs.

Douglas M. Allen
The County Clerk advised Commissioners that he recently sent the Prosecuting Attorney a letter asking him to seek restitution in the Douglas M. Allen matter. Mr. Allen was arrested by the Sheriff's Department and kicked the inside door of the cruiser causing approximately $1,500.00 in damages. The Prosecuting Attorney was in attendance at this meeting and said he did ask for and was granted restitution against Mr. Allen. He said if was going to be hard to collect restitution because Mr. Allen was now living out of state. He said he planned to file a lien on Mr. Allen in an effort to collect for the damages he caused.

REAP
The County Clerk told Commissioners that he has received notice that the county has met the requirements for the REAP Program for this fiscal year.

Sheriff Mike Gravely – Hiring of new Deputy Sheriff
Sheriff Mike Gravely appeared before Commissioners and told them that he has hired Matthew Bradley as the new deputy sheriff. Mr. Bradley is scheduled to begin work on August 15th and will report to the training academy at the end of the month. The Sheriff also expressed the need for additional cruisers for his department. Commissioner Miller made a motion authorizing the Sheriff to prepare a proposal on the purchase of new cruisers and report back to them.

Domain Names for Monroe County
On the recommendation of Jeremy Meadows, Information Technology Manager for the county, Commissioner Miller made a motion to purchase the following domain names; monroecountywv.com, monroecountywv.info, monroecountywv.org, and monroecountywv.us Commissioner Pritt second the motion. Motion passed 2-0. Commissioners felt that the county didn't actually need these domain names at the present time but may have a need for them in the future. Meadows said the county should go ahead and purchase them before they get into the hands of a broker and the price would increase.

Charles Richard Bennett Estate
Alma Bennett, the widow of Charles Richard Bennett, appeared before Commissioners to inquire why she was removed as executor of the Charles Richard Bennett estate. Commissioners also reviewed a letter on this day from Keith Lively, an attorney representing Ms. Bennett, inquiring the same. Commissioners told Ms. Bennett that they had received a letter from Audrey Johnson advising that she wasn't maintaining the real estate. Ms. Johnson also provided pictures of the property confirming that the grass hadn't been mowed

and there appeared to be some trash in the yard. In June 2009, the Commission removed Ms. Bennett as executor and appointed the Sheriff as such executor. Due to the property being neglected, the ongoing dispute between Ms. Bennett and Ms. Johnson, and the need to get this estate settled, Commissioner Miller made a motion affirming the appointment of the Sheriff as executor of the Charles Richard Bennett estate. Commissioner Pritt second the motion. Motion passed 2-0.

Jerry Pitzer – Monroe Solid Waste Authority

Commissioners reviewed a letter from the WV Department of Environmental Protection Agency advising that Jerry Pitzer of Peterstown has been reappointed to the Monroe County Solid Waste Authority. Mr. Pitzer's term will expire on June 30, 2013.

Jerry Murphy Estate – Betty Brown

Commissioners reviewed a letter from Betty Brown, executrix of the Jerry Murphy estate. Ms. Brown requested that the County Commission authorize her to charge the 5% commission on the entire estate rather that following the sliding fee schedules as detailed in WV Code. Commissioner Miller made a motion to deny Ms. Brown's request due the fact that WV Code 44-4-12a states that the only time the County Commission can approve an increase in an executor's commission is upon the determination that a personal representative has performed extraordinary services in discharging their duties. Commissioner Pritt second the motion. Motion passed 2-0.

Union Volunteer Fire Department

Commissioner Miller made a motion for the county to enter into an agreement with the Union Volunteer Fire Department and to pay them $1,000.00 per month for the rental of office space for the Magistrates. Commissioner Pritt second the motion. Motion passed 2-0. The fire department previously notified Commissioners that they planned to increase the rent for the Magistrate's Office and gave the county two options: 1) they could continue paying the $600.00 a month rent and also pay the utilities or 2) they could pay $1,000.00 including all utilities. The county previously paid the fire department $600.00 per month and this included all utilities.

Monroe Day Report Center

Scott Wickline, Manager of the County's Day Report Program, appeared before Commissioners. Mr. Wickline requested permission to purchase a cell phone and a new computer for his office with funds collected from the Home Confinement Program. He said that Mercer Day Report officials told him that they didn't have the available funds since they only received about half of what they asked for in grant funding for this year. Commissioner Miller made a motion authorizing Wickline to purchase a cell phone and a new computer from the Home Confinement funds. Commissioner Pritt second the motion. Motion passed.

Estates Approved
Estate of Don P. Graybeal by Grant Graybeal, Executor
Estate of GregoryA. Wills by Brandon G. Wills, Administrator
Estate of Edna L. Wills by Joyce Ann Taylor, Executor
Estate of Hazel R. Keatley by Alvin S. Carter, Executor
Estate of Cecile H. Ruddell by Katherine Ruddell Brock, Executor
Estate of Kelsey Ford Sherwood by Anna Louise Sherwood, Executor
Estate of Pansy C. Robertson by Porter M. Robertson, Executor
Estate of Jane Elizabeth Dillon by F. Kenneth Dillon, Jr., Executor
Estate of Homer H. Reynolds by Charles F. Reynolds, Executor
Estate of Gerald L. Jones by Willard W. Jones, Executor
Estate of Mary Susan Williams by Mark Williams, Administrator

Exonerations Approved
Dwain O. Jr. and Anna Friend
Harvey Wilbur estate by Homer Harvey
James Akers
Georgia S. Kelly
Kevin Fox
John D. Mullins
Ricky Huffman (2)
Country View Assisted Living
Dolores D. Ellison
Thomas Miller
Kyle L. Allen
Howard Underwood
Sam Cathcart (2)
Jonathan Blakeslee
Jack Gillespie and Michael Green
Marcus Mutter
Ethel Bostic (2) c/o Carol Groves
Myers Living Trust
Woodrow and Evelyn Bragg
Evelyn Bragg
Drema Chesnut
Quinton Crawford
Everette Via
W. Wesley and Diane Young
Frank Jeffrey Cline
John and Shellie White
Timothy and Amy Hunt
Steven Williams

Vacation Order
It is ORDERED that all orders and proceedings had before the Clerk of the Monroe County Commission for the month of July 2009 be approved and confirmed.

Adjournment
Commissioner Pritt made a motion to adjourn at 4:45 pm. Commissioner Ashley second the motion. Vote was unanimous.

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Joyce Pritt, President

Town Council Minutes
January 13, 2010

Mayor Sparks called the regular meeting of the Union Town Council to order at 7:03. In attendance were council members Barbara Weikle, Shirley Wikle, Jody Gullette, Randall Mills, and Stacey Miller and Recorded Robert Pomphrey. Also in attendance were Town Manager Pat Mustain and Municipal Consultant Perry Pauley, Bob Hazelwood for Pentree Inc.

MINUTES:
Motion made by Robert Pomphrey, seconded by Jody Gullette, to dispense with reading of the minutes. Motion carried.

TREASURER'S REPORT:

A. Bills reviewed. Motion made by Jody Gullette, seconded by Shirley Wikle, to pay bills as presented. Motion carried.
B. Financial statements were reviewed.

OLD BUSINESS:

A. Sidewalk update – Mayor presented council with examples of pre-easement letters to be sent to Mary Compton, Donald Kountz, and Earl and Wanda Barnett. Bob Hazelwood presented mayor and council with Right of Way/Easement letters to be sent to Compton, Kountz, and Barnett.
B. Street Report – Mayor reported cost for Dec.-Jan. snow removal less than expected.
C. Susan Moore Private Club – Mayor reported Moore now perusing liquor license. Council took no action since application needs verification of who town is signing for.
D. Doug Hylton Letter – Motion made by Barbara Weikle, seconded by Jody Gullette, to direct mayor to send letter to Doug Hylton for refund for services not done. Motion carried.
E. Vital Comm. - Motion made by Barbara Weikle, seconded by Shirley Wikle, to direct mayor to send letter requesting payment of $500.00 as presented in Article 5 of franchise agreement. Motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS:

(A) Water and Sewer report. Mustain reported water and sewer running smoothly even with extreme weather.
(B) Motion made by Jody Gullette, seconded by Stacey Miller, for town to adopt a resolution for Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as presented. Motion carried.
(C) Motion made by Shirley Weikle, seconded by Barbara Weikle, to adopt Priority Ranking for town. Motion Carried.
(D) Motion made by Stacey Miller, seconded by Jody Gullette, for council to give authorization to sign the Small Cities and Infrastructure applications if it comes in before February 10 council meeting. Motion carried.
(E) Mayor Sparks signed agreement between town and Pentree, Inc. for Phase I of Water System Upgrade.

Summers County Commission
Hazard Mitigation Plan Meeting
July 20, 2009

Name	Address	Phone	E-mail
Jason Roberts	1439 E. Main St. Suite 5 Princeton WV 24740	431-7225	jasonroberts@regionone pdc.org
Jeff Johnson	Region I PDC	304-431-7225	jeffjohnson@regionone pdc.org
Rhonda Patrick	315 Miller Ave Hinton WV	304-466-2561	
Rick Moorefield	97 Park Ave. Hinton	466-7113	rick.moorefield@mail.wvu.edu

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EXCERPT FROM THE OFFICIAL RECORD OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE SUMMERS COUNTY COMMISSION HELD ON MONDAY, JULY 20, 2009.

PUBLIC MEETING FOR REGIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN
Jason Roberts appeared before the Commission to conduct a public meeting for comments for the Hazard Mitigation plan update. The public meeting was scheduled and held at 9:30 a.m. in the County Commission office on Monday, July 20, 2009 for the Regional Hazard Mitigation planning. No members of the public or concerned citizens were in attendance to offer any comments on the proposed plan. Meeting adjourned.

CERTIFICATION

I, Mary E. Merritt, Clerk of the Summers County Commission, certify that the foregoing to be the true and actual record recorded in the Court Order Book of the Summers County Commission.

Mary E. Merritt SEAL

Summers County Commission

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Lonnie R. Mullins
President
Jerry E. Berry
Commissioner
Bill Lightner
Commissioner

Mary E. Merritt
Clerk

AMENDED

AGENDA FOR MONDAY JULY 20, 2009	
TIME	**ORDER OF BUSINESS**
	Tax Refunds/ Exonerations/Consolidations - Greg Vandall, Assessor
	Fiduciary Matters - Norma Lilly, Fiduciary Supervisor
	Approval of Minutes - Mary Beth Merritt, County Clerk
	Review of Correspondence
	Revision of Budget
	Approval of Personnel
	Approval of Invoices
9:30 a.m.	Jason Roberts - Public Meeting for Hazard Mitigation
10:00 a.m.	Rick Moorefield - Approval of Request for Trail Design and Development Assistance from
	National Park Service for John Henry Historical Park
11:00 a.m.	Lynda Lancaster - US Census Bureau upcoming Census for 2010 information
11:30 a.m.	Sandra Ball - Appointment of Summers County Health Board
11:45 a.m.	Deputy Sheriff's Association Appointment
	OLD BUSINESS
	Appointment to the Summers County Board of Health
	Appointment to the Summers County Planning Commission Board
	Summers/Monroe County Solid Waste Authority Landfill
	NEW BUSINESS
	Approval of Memorandum for the Rahall Fiber Optic Initiatvie
	Approval of Release of Pledge Authorization to First Century Bank for Transfer of Security Deposits
	Approval of update 20/20 Strategic Plan and Payment to Vendor for Graphic Design Services
	Appointment to the Mountain Resource Conservation and Development
	Reappointment/Appointment to the Tourism Advisory Board Member
	Reappointment/Appointment to the CASE Board
	Appointments to the Summers County Fire Board
	Consideration to Discontinue Summers County Tourism Advisory Board
	ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT MAY COME BEFORE THE COMMISSION
	ADJOURNMENT

"Building a healthy, livable, prosperous, well-governed and unified Summers County"

Raleigh County Commission
Hazard Mitigation Plan Meeting
July 21, 2009

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Craig Spann	406 Johnstown Rd. Beckley	763-3424	
Jack Bouchard	162 INDUSTRIAL PARK RD Beaver W.V. 25813	304-255-0911	RaleighL911@suddenlinkmail.com
Mary Hannah			
Mark A Sy	116½ N Fayette Ave	304 255-9147	
Jeffrey Ellis	306 South Kanawha Street	304-253-7000	vannonellis@yahoo.com

Lauren Roop	114 E. Main St Beckley	304-255-7113	roop realestate@wvdsl.net
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	116½ Neal St Bkly	304 255 9146	
	116½ North Heber St Beckley	304-255-9146	
	116½ N. Heber St Beckley	304-2559146	
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	191 Burning Rock Dr Sophia, WV 25921	304-683-9240	

County Commission of Raleigh County

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BECKLEY, WEST VIRGINIA 25802-2518

AGENDA

July 21, 2009

REVISED

REGULAR SESSION

COUNTY COMMISSION OF RALEIGH COUNTY

1. **Call to Order**
2. **Roll Call**
3. **Prayer – Rev. Craig Spooner – Beckley Advent Christian Church**
4. **Pledge of Allegiance**
5. **New Business**

   - Exonerations
   - Jason Roberts – Region I – Hazard Mitigation Plan Update
   - WVACo – Patti Hamilton – Legislative Update
   - Depository Bonds
   - Jack Bowden – EOC – 2009 EMPG Grant Application
   - Payment in Lieu of Tax Letters
   - Homeless Shelter Grant Contract
   - Raleigh County Airport – Ratify and Approve FAA offer
   - Burning Rock Off-Road Park Drawdown #5
   - Helen Sewer Project Drawdown
   - Helen Sewer Project Budget Amendment #5
   - Acceptance of Burning Rock Off-Road Park Lease Agreement
   - Homeland Security Mass Migration – Town of Oceana Drawdown
     City of Beckley Drawdown

6. **Old Business**
7. **Public Participation**
8. **Approval of Minutes, Vacation Orders and Final Settlements**
9. **Reports of Officers and Committees**
10. **Bills, Communications and Appointments**

    - Beckley-Raleigh County Board of Health

11. **Receipts and Disbursements**
12. **Adjournment**

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REGION I PDC

WEST VIRGINIA:

At a regular meeting of the Raleigh County Commission held on the 21st day of July 2009 in the Commission Courtroom thereof:

PRESENT: John Humphrey, President
John Aliff, Commissioner
Pat Reed, Commissioner

Meeting opened with Pledge of Allegiance to Flag and prayer given by Rev. Craig Spooner of Beckley Advent Christian Church

IN RE: EXONERATIONS

Commissioner Aliff made a motion to take the exonerations and cancellations under advisement. Motion seconded by Commissioner Reed. Motion carried.

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IN RE: JASON ROBERTS – REGION 1 – HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE

Jason Roberts was unable to be present today; Cori Edwards appeared on his behalf. Ms. Edwards presented the Commission with a copy of Plan for the first public reading. In order to apply for any government assistance there must now be a regional plan instead of individual county plans. Next month, Jason Roberts will be back and present the commission with a resolution for approval. This plan does not replace the county plan approved five years ago, it is in addition to. Note for the record that the plan is available for inspection and review in the Office of the County Commission. (See attached Exhibit A that show signatures of those present)

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IN RE: WVACo – PATTI HAMILTON – LEGISLATIVE UPDATE

Patti Hamilton presented the Commission with some highlights of the legislative update that passed during the last session. She also informed the Commission that she was working on the OPEB issue, which places a high burden on the counties. She also summarized the following updates: The County Clerks Trustee Report of Sale Filing fee which will generate $20.00 for the County's General Revenue. This requires the Clerk to forward reports and information regarding foreclosures to the Division of Banking; the unemployment fund base raised from $8,000 to $12,000; there were changes made to the annex legislation that directly affected Jefferson County and will probably have to be worked on County by County; Senate Bill 537 which now allows public entities to leave BrickStreet if they so desire as early as July 1, 2010; County Commissions are now authorized to regulate the location of exotic entertainment businesses; there was a Governors bill passed that now requires surface mining companies to file a post master land use plan, House Bill 1011; if so desired, Counties can now establish early voting sites other that the Courthouse; a bill was passed to allow inmate reimbursement for medical services, however the reimbursement cannot exceed $5.00 per service; and Regional Jails have offered GED and other educational programs but there has been no incentive to participate in these programs, a law has been passed providing for early release (five days) for completion of these programs. These were the summaries Ms. Hamilton discussed with the Commission, and she left copies for their review.

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IN RE: DEPOSITORY BONDS

Dennis Sizemore, County Administrator presented for approval the following depository bonds which have been approved by the Prosecuting Attorney: City National Bank in the amount of $650,000; Commissioner Aliff made a motion to approve the bond as presented and authorize the president to sign. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Reed. Motion carried. J P Morgan Chase Bank in the amount of $6,000,000; Commissioner Aliff made a motion to approve the bond as presented and authorize the president to sign. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Reed. Motion carried. First Community Bank in the amount of $135,000 for The Board of Education; Commissioner Aliff made a motion to approve the bond as presented. Commissioner Reed seconded the motion. Motion carried. United Bank in the amount of $4,970,257; Commissioner Aliff made a motion to approve the bond as presented. Commissioner Reed seconded the motion. Motion carried. (SEE EXHIBIT B)

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IN RE: JACK BOWDEN - EOC-2009 EMPG GRANT APPLICATION

Jack Bowden presented for approval the 2009 EMPG Program grant application in the amount of $120,512. Commissioner Aliff made a motion to approve the grant application and authorize the president to sign all any and all related documents. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Reed. Motion carried. (SEE EXHIBIT C)

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IN RE: PAYMENT IN LIEU OF TAX LETTERS

Mr. Sizemore presented letters requiring the signature of the president. These "payment in lieu of taxes" letters are for Corporations which have previously been issued Industrial Bonds. Instead of paying taxes these corporations have opted for "payment in lieu of taxes". Commissioner Aliff made a motion to approve the letters and authorize the president to sign on behalf of the Commission. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Reed. Motion carried. (SEE EXHIBIT D)

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IN RE: HOMELESS SHELTER GRANT CONTRACT

Annual Emergency Shelter Grant Contract for Pine Haven and Women's Resource Center in the Amount of $80,000 requires approval and authorization for president to sign. Commissioner Aliff made a motion to approve the contract and authorize the president to sign any and all related documents. Motion seconded by Commissioner Reed. Motion carried. (SEE EXHIBIT E)

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IN RE: RALEIGH COUNTY AIRPORT – RATIFY AND APPROVE FAA OFFER

Grant agreement between the Federal Aviation Administration and the Raleigh County Commission/Raleigh County Airport Authority in the amount of $744,560. Commissioner Aliff made a motion to approve the grant agreement as presented and authorize the president to sign the agreement and all related documents. Motion seconded by Commissioner Reed. Motion carried. (SEE EXHIBIT F)

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IN RE: BURNING ROCK OFF ROAD PARK DRAWDOWN #5

Drawdown #5 in the amount of $9,783.58 requires signature of the president. (SEE EXHIBIT G)

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IN RE: HELEN SEWER PROJECT DRAWDOWN

Drawdown #15 in the amount of $37,552 requires signature of the president. (SEE EXHIBIT H)

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IN RE: HELEN SEWER PROJECT BUDGET AMENDMENT #5

Budget amendment #5 in the amount of $11,940 to transfer funds from the construction line to the permits line to renew the Division of Water and Waste management Permits. The amendment requires the signature of the president who has been authorized to sign. (SEE EXHIBIT I)

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IN RE: ACCEPTANCE OF BURNING ROCK OFF-ROAD PARK LEASE AGREEMENT

Mr. Roop stated that at a previous meeting of the Raleigh County Parks and Recreation Authority, the said authority signed an assignment of a ground lease originally between the Raleigh County Commission and Beaver Coal Company regarding the Burning Rock ATV Park. The Commission needs to accept and approve the assignment to allow everything to be transferred to the authority of the Raleigh County Commission. Commissioner Aliff made a motion to approve the Off Road Park lease agreement. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Reed. Motion carried.

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IN RE: HOMELAND SECURITY MASS MIGRATION

TOWN OF OCEANA DRAWDOWN – Drawdown in the amount of $69,360 (to allow radios to communicate with Wyoming County Sheriff's Department) requires signature of the president. Commissioner Aliff made a motion to approve and authorize the president to sign on behalf of the Commission. Motion seconded by Commissioner Reed. Motion carried. (SEE EXHIBIT J)

CITY OF BECKLEY DRAWDOWN – Drawdown in the amount of $65,695 (for new radios) requires the signature of the president. Commissioner Aliff made a motion to approve and authorize the president to sign on behalf of the Commission. Commissioner Reed seconded the motion. Motion carried. (SEE EXHIBIT K)

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IN RE: OLD BUSINESS

NONE

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IN RE: PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

NONE

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IN RE: BOARD APPOINTMENTS

Commissioner Aliff made a motion to approve there appointment of Dr. India Hosch to the Beckley-Raleigh County Board of Health. Motion seconded by Commissioner Reed. Motion carried. (SEE EXHIBIT L)

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IN RE: EXONERATIONS

Commissioner Aliff made a motion to approve 13 exonerations; 20cancellations and zero (0) refunds for personal property and 11 exonerations, 1 cancellation and zero (0) letters of corrections for real property as presented today. Motion was seconded by Commissioner Reed. Motion carried. (SEE EXHIBIT M)

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IN RE: APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A motion was made to approve the minutes for the July 7, 2009 commission meeting by Commissioner Aliff. Motion seconded by Commissioner Reed. Motion carried.

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IN RE: VACTION ORDERS

Commissioner Aliff moved to approve the Vacation Orders from July 7, 2009 to July 20, 2009 inclusive. Seconded by Commissioner Reed and motion carried. (SEE EXHIBIT N)

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IN RE: FINAL ACCOUNTINGS AND WAIVERS OF FINAL SETTLEMENT

The following Final Accountings and Waivers of Final Settlement were read into the minutes and approved. (SEE EXHIBIT O)

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On behalf of the Planning and Zoning, Zoning Appeals, Clayton Terry requested the following documents be made part of the minutes:

Order Granting Special Use – Alicia Rasnake
Order Granting Special Use – Roger Altizer
(SEE EXHIBIT P)

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Meeting adjourned until the next regular meeting, August 11, 2009 at 10:00 am.

s/s_____John Humphrey
PRESIDENT

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I, BETTY RIFFE, Clerk of the County Commission of Raleigh County, West Virginia, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the records of my office.
In Testimony Whereof, I hereunto place my hand and affix my seal of said Commission this the 7th day of August, 2009

BETTY RIFFE, Clerk
By Leslie G. Chapman, Deputy

Town of Sophia
Special Hazard Mitigation Plan Meeting

Name	Phone #	E-mail
Jason Roberts	431-7225	jasonroberts@regionnepdc.org
John D Greer	683-3484	
Kelly Sills	304 673-4305	RALPH SMILLIE YAHOO.COM
Albert Veneri	304 683 4384	
Gary M Bashon	304-683-5046	

Tuesday September 29, 2009

Regular meeting place Town Hall 1:00pm
Special Meeting

Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan Adoption

Mr. Jason Roberts Speaker with Region 1

John Grear made Motion to accept 2nd by Albert Veneri

Council Members present: Mayor Danny Barr, Gary Basham acting Recorder, Albert Veneri & John Grear

Wyoming County Commission
Hazard Mitigation Plan Meeting
July 15, 2009

Name	Address	Phone	E-mail
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Steven L Collins Regional Day Report Center	108 South Walker Street Princeton WV 24740	304-487-8485	Stevemercerdrc@Frontiernet.net
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Jason Mullins Jason Mullins	518 Morgan Ave Mullens WV 25882	732-8000 ext 290	jasonmullins2008@yahoo.com

RESOLUTION

Whereas, the Wyoming County Commission must select a lead economic development agency to represent Wyoming County for state grants.

Be it resolved, that the Wyoming County Economic Development Authority is hereby recognized by the Wyoming County Commission as the lead economic development agency for Wyoming County and is granted the privilege to apply for grant funds that are set aside for the lead economic development agency by the West Virginia Development Office for Wyoming County.

Be it also resolved, that the Wyoming County Commission has approved $22,000.00 as match money in their fiscal year 2010 budget to be used for the West Virginia Development Office Local Economic Development Grant program for the Wyoming County Economic Development Authority.

Adopted this 15th day of July 2009.

/s/ Silas Mullins, Jr.
/s/ Dr. Samuel Muscari, Sr.
/s/Jason E. Mullins

ESTATE OF JOHNATHAN D. WEST-Administratrix Appointment

This day the Clerk brought to the attention of the Court the fact that he had on the 13th day July 2009 appointed Devonna L. West as Administratrix of the personal estate of Johnathan D. Miller, deceased; and had approved a bond executed by the said Devonna L. West as such Administratrix in the penal sum of ten thousand Dollars ($10,000.00) with RLI Insurance as surety. All which is hereby confirmed and approved by the Court.

E-911-New employees hired as dispatchers

Dean Meadows informed the Commission he had hired Tara Browning and Nathan Perry effective July 20, 2009 at a rate of $900 per half.

HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN MEETING-Public Hearing

Jason Roberts, Region I Planning & Development Council met with the Commission for a public hearing on the Hazard Mitigation Plan. A list was passed around for those present to sign and a copy is on record in the County Clerk's office. Mr. Roberts stated that one change this year is that Wyoming County's plan is a part of a regional plan which includes McDowell, Mercer, Monroe, Raleigh, Summers and Wyoming counties. The Commission asked Dean Meadows, Emergency Services Director, if he had any questions. He stated the plan is a good one. A motion was made by Dr. Muscari to approve the plan as presented. The motion was seconded by Jason Mullins and passed unanimously.

WYOMING COUNTY PLANNING COMMISSION-Jeff Lusk's resignation

A letter was presented to the Commission from Jeff Lusk, stating that he is unable to continue serving on the board of the planning commission because of his current schedule and commitments. A motion was made by Jason Mullins to accept his resignation. The motion was seconded by Dr. Muscari and passed.

MINUTES APPROVED

Dr. Muscari made a motion to approve the minutes from the July 1, 2009 meeting. The motion was seconded by Jason Mullins and there were no objections.

Wyoming County Commission

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D. Michael Goode, Clerk

Members of County Commission

Dr. Samuel Muscari, Sr. *Jason E. Mullins* *Silas Mullins, Jr.*

WYOMING COUNTY COMMISSION MEETING

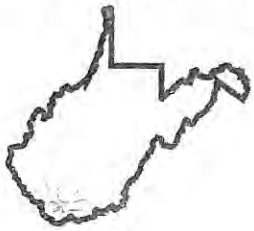
July 15, 2009

AGENDA

1. Day Reporting Center-Contract renewal
2. Region I-Hazard Mitigation Update
3. EDA-Resolution
4. Elected Officials
5. Old Business/New Business
6. Bills and Transfers
7. Executive Session

Agenda and Order of Agenda are subject to change.

McDowell County Commission
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RESOLUTION

OF THE MCDOWELL COUNTY COMMISSION TO ADOPT THE REGIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN AS REQUIRED BY SECTION 322, OF THE ROBERT T. STAFFORD DISASTER RELIEF AND EMERGENCY ASSISTANCE ACT, SECTION 104, OF THE DISASTER MITIGATION ACT OF 2000

WHEREAS, the McDowell County Commission recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the McDowell County Commission participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the McDowell County Commission, hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Judy Cortellesi, War
Commissioner

Gordon O. Lambert, Pageton
President

A. Ray Bailey, Iaeger
Commissioner

Read and adopted this 14th day of October 2009.

MCDOWELL COUNTY COMMISSION

By Gordon O. Lambert
Gordon O. Lambert, President
McDowell County Commission

I, Donald L. Hicks, County Clerk of the McDowell County Commission, McDowell County, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the McDowell County Commission at their meeting held on the 14th day of Oct., 2009 and that a quorum of the McDowell County Commission members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Donald L. Hicks
Donald L. Hicks, County Clerk
McDowell County, West Virginia

TOWN OF ANAWALT
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TOWN OF ANAWALT

WHEREAS, TOWN OF ANAWALT recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will Reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the TOWN OF ANAWALT, Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the TOWN OF ANAWALT, Mayor and council, hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 9 day of November, 2009.

TOWN OF ANAWALT

By Dorothy Wilson
Dorothy Wilson, Mayor

I, Tonya Riddle Recorder for the TOWN OF ANAWALT, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the TOWN OF ANAWALT, Anawalt West Virginia Council at their meeting held on the 9th day of November, 2009 and that a quorum of the Town Council members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Tonya R Riddle
Tonya Riddle, Recorder

TOWN OF BRADSHAW

WHEREAS, Town of Bradshaw recognizes the threat of natural hazards pose to people and property, and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayers dollars; and

WHEREAS, as adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Bradshaw Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of Bradshaw, Mayor and Council hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning and Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 8th day of September, 2009

TOWN OF BRADSHAW

BY: _____
Mayor

I, Shelia Muncy, recorder for the Town of Bradshaw, Bradshaw, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Town of Bradshaw at their meeting held on the 8th day of September, 2009, and that a quorum of the Town of Bradshaw members were present with a majority voting for the resolution

Shelia Muncy
Recorder

TOWN OF DAVY

WHEREAS, THE TOWN OF DAVY recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the THE TOWN OF DAVY Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that THE TOWN OF DAVY Mayor and Council , hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 10th day of September, 2009

TOWN OF DAVY

Kenneth M. Gentry

By KENNETH M. GENTRY
Mayor

I, LAVERNE WALKER, Recorder for the TOWN OF DAVY, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the DAVY Town council at their meeting held on the 10th day of September, 2009
a quorum of the Town Council members ere present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Laverne Walker

LAVERNE WALKER, RECORDER

City of Gary, West Virginia

WHEREAS, City of Gary recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a Condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, The City of Gary, Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigatio9n Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Gary, Mayor and Council, hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 8th *day of* September *2009.*

City of Gary

By Shirley Duncan
Mayor

I Frank M. Kapish III Recorder for the City of Gary West Virginia do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the City of Gary Mayor and Council at their meeting held on the 8th *day of* September *2009 and that a quorum of the City Council Was present with a majority voting for the resolution.*

Frank M. Kapish III
Recorder

Joe Ford, Mayor
Ruby Fanning, Recorder

TOWN OF IAEGER
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Iaeger, Wv 24844
Email: townofiaeger@verizon.net
Ph (304) 938-3035

Council:
Gleda Carter
Jimmy Clute
Danny Kennedy
Delbert Kiser
Eugene Shaw

RESOLUTION 9-8-9

WHEREAS, The Town of Iaeger recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, and adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Iaeger Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Iaeger Mayor and Council, hereby adopts the Region Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 14th day of September 2009

TOWN OF IAEGER

Joe Ford, Mayor
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THE TOWN OF IAEGER

By Joe D. Ford
Mayor

I, Ruby Fanning, Recorder for the Town of Iaeger, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Town of Iaeger Town Council at their meeting held on the 14th day of September, 2009 and that a quorum of the Iaeger Town Council were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Ruby Fanning, Recorder

CITY OF KEYSTONE
HC 52 BOX 200
KEYSTONE, WVA 24868

CITY OF KEYSTONE

WHEREAS, CITY OF KEYSTONE recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property: and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and save taxpayer dollars: and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the CITY OF KEYSTONE MAYOR AND Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the CITY OF KEYSTONE MAYOR and Council, hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FUTHER RESOLVED that the Region 1 planning and Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency Officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 12 **day of** November **2009**

CITY OF KEYSTONE
BY Dennis W. Robertson
MAYOR

I Vonderlere A Scott **Recorder for the CITY OF KEYSTONE, WEST VIRIGINIA, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the CITY OF KEYSTONE a quorum of the CITY OF KEYSTONE Council members were present with majority voting for the resolution.**

OFFICIAL SEAL
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
VONDERLERE A. SCOTT
HC 52 BOX 190
RT. 52 #163 MAIN STREET
KEYSTONE, WV 24852
My commission expires July 18, 2012

Town of Kimball
P.O.Box 157
Kimball, WV 24853

(COMMUNITY NAME)

WHEREAS, (Community Name) recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the (Community Name) Mayor and Council (or County Commission) participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the (Community Name) Mayor and Council (or County Commission), hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 8 day of Dec 2009.

(COMMUNITY NAME)

By Randolph Defoster
(Name), Mayor/Commission President

I, (Recorder's Name), Recorder for the (Community Name), West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the (Community Name) Town/City Council/Commission at their meeting held on the 8 day of December, 2009 and that a quorum of the Town/City Council/Commission members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Clara L. Simpson
(Name), Recorder

Town of Northfork

P.O. Box 760
Northfork, WV 24868
304-862-3414

WHEREAS,The Town of Northfork recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property;and

WHEREAS,undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS,an adoption of local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future graht funding for mitigation projects;and

WHEREAS,the Town of Northfork Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW,THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of Northfork Mayor and Council,hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 17 day of November 2009.

Town of Northfork
By Nick Mason
Nick Mason,Mayor

I Michelle Hargrave,Recorder for the Town of Northfork,West Virginia,do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Northfork Town Council at their meeting held on the 17 day of November,2009 and that a quorum of the Town Council members were present with the majority voting for the resolution.

Michelle Hargrave
Michelle Hargrave,Recorder

CITY OF WAR

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cityofwar@wv.securespeed.us

RESOLUTION - REGIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, the City of War recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the City of War and Council participated jointly in the planning process with other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City of War Mayor and Council hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional I Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 16th day of September, 2009.

City of War

By Thomas C. Hatcher
Mayor

I, Peggy Deel, Recorder for the City of War, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the City of War Council at their meeting held on the 16th day of September, 2009 and that a quorum of the City of War Council were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Peggy Deel
Peggy Deel, Recorder

CITY OF WELCH

WHEREAS, The City of Welch recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the City of Welch Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Welch Mayor and Council, hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 14th day of Sept. 2009.

City of Welch

By _____

Mayor

I, Robin G. Lee, City Clerk for the City of Welch, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the City of Welch Council at their meeting held on the 14 day of Sept., 2009 and that a quorum of the City Council members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Robin G. Lee

City Clerk

Mercer County Commission

Courthouse Square
1501 West Main, Suite 210
Princeton, West Virginia 24740

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VICKY REED
County Coordinator

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ATHENS, WV 24712

KAREN S. DISIBBIO
525 Albemarle
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J. W. (JAY) MILLS
8 Rolling Hills
PRINCETON, WV 24740

MERCER COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Mercer County Commission recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the Mercer County Commission participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials.

READ AND ADOPTED THIS 8TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 2009.

MERCER COUNTY COMMISSION:

Joe Coburn

Joe Coburn, President

Karen S. Disibbio

Karen S. Disibbio, Commissioner

Jay Mills

Jay Mills, Commissioner

I, Verlin Moye, Clerk of the Mercer County Commission, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Mercer County Commission at their meeting held on the 8th day of September, 2009 and that a quorum of the Mercer County Commission members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Verlin T Moye

Verlin Moye, County Clerk

Town of Athens

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TOWN OF ATHENS

RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE REGIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, the Town of Athens recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan in required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Athens Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of Athens Mayor and Council, hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning and Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 3rd day of November, 2009.

TOWN OF ATHENS

By _____
Robert M. Richardson, Mayor

I, Mary Lu Geiger, Recorder for the Town of Athens, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Athens Town Council at their meeting held on the 3rd day of November, 2009 and that a quorum of the Town Council members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Mary Lu Geiger

Mary Lu Geiger, Recorder

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Bramwell, West Virginia recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property, and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects, and

WHEREAS, the **Bramwell, West Virginia** Mayor and Bramwell Town Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a **Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan**;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the **Bramwell, West Virginia** Mayor and Bramwell Town Council hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan'

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this twenty-first (21st) day of September, 2009.

Bramwell, West Virginia

By Louise D. Stoker

Louise D. Stoker, Town of Bramwell Mayor

I, Carolyn Clark, Recorder for the Town of Bramwell, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Bramwell Town Council at their meeting held on the twenty-first (21st) day of September, 2009 and that a quorum of the Bramwell Town Council members was present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Carolyn Clark

Carolyn Clark, Town of Bramwell Recorder

The City of Bluefield

WHEREAS, the City of Bluefield recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the City of Bluefield Mayor and City Board participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Bluefield Mayor and City Board, hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 10th day of November, 2009.

(COMMUNITY NAME)

By _____
Linda K. Whalen, Mayor

I, Helen Mitchell Recorder for the City of Bluefield, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the (Community Name) Town/City Council/Commission at their meeting held on the 10th day of November, 2009 and that a quorum of the Town/City Council/Commission members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

OFFICIAL SEAL
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA
HELEN L. MITCHELL
308 OAKDELL AVENUE
BLUEFIELD, WV 24701
My commission expires July 13, 2018

_____
(Name), Recorder

TOWN OF MATOAKA
P.O. BOX 528
MATOAKA, WV 24736
304-467-7311
FAX-304-467-8982

WHEREAS,The Town Of Matoaka recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS,undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars;and

WHEREAS,an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects;and

WHEREAS,The Town Of Matoaka,Mayor and Council participated jointly in the process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW,THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that The Town Of Matoaka,Mayor,and Council,hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan;and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 27th day of October 2009.

Town Of Matoaka
By Todd Colonna,Mayor

I, Lamar Lancaster,Recorder for the Town Of Matoaka,West Virginia,do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Town Of Matoaka,Town Council at their meeting held on the 27th day of October,2009 and that a quorum of the Town Council members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Lamar Lancaster,Recorder

TOWN OF OAKVALE

WHEREAS, Town of Oakvale, recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disaster occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS; the Town of Oakvale Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of Oakvale Mayor and Council, hereby adopts the Region Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Region Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 8th day of September 2009.

Town of Oakvale

BY Mary J Nelson

Mayor

I, Jacqueline Bailey, Recorder for the Town of Oakvale, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Town of Oakvale/ Council at their meeting on the 8th day of September, 2009 and that a quorum of the Town Council members was present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Jacqueline Bailey

Treasurer/Recorder

City of Princeton

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the City of Princeton recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the City of Princeton participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Princeton's Mayor and Council hereby adopt the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit, on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties, the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management officials for final review and approval.

Adopted this 14th day of September, 2009.

Dewey W. Russell

Dewey W. Russell, Mayor

I, Kenneth E. Clay, City Clerk for the City of Princeton, West Virginia do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Common Council of the City of Princeton at their meeting held on the 14th day of September, 2009, and that a quorum of the City Council members was present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Kenneth E. Clay

Kenneth E. Clay, City Clerk

100 Courthouse Road ★ Princeton, West Virginia 24740-2431 ★ (304) 487-5020 ★ Fax (304) 487-5030

EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Monroe County Commission recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, the undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm for people and property and save taxpayer dollars, and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the Monroe County Commission participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Monroe County Commission hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 9th day of September 2009.

By: Joyce Pritt

Joyce Pritt, President
Monroe County Commission

I, Donald J. Evans, Clerk for the Monroe County Commission, County of Monroe, State of West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Monroe County Commission at their meeting held on the 9th day of September, 2009 and that a quorum of said County Commission members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Donald J. Evans

Donald J. Evans, Clerk

Town of Peterstown

WHEREAS, Peterstown recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the Peterstown Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Peterstown Mayor and Council, hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning and Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 8th day of September, 2009.

Peterstown

By _____
Scott Boggess, Mayor

I, Michael Lively, Recorder for Peterstown, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Peterstown Town Council at their meeting held on the 8th day of September, 2009 and that a quorum of the Town Council members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

_____
Michael Lively, Recorder

Town of Union

WHEREAS, the Town of Union recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Union's Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of Union' s Mayor and Council hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participation municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 13th day of January 2010.

Town of Union

By: Caroline S. Sparks
Caroline S. Sparks, Mayor

I, Robert Pomphrey, Recorder for the Town of Union, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Union Town Council at their meeting held on the 13th day of January, 2010 and that a quorum of the Union Town Council members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Robert N. Pomphrey
Robert N. Pomphrey, Recorder

County Commission of Raleigh County

P O BOX 2518
116 1/2 NORTH HEBER STREET
BECKLEY, WEST VIRGINIA 25802-2518

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Raleigh County recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the County Commission participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the County Commission hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning and Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 1st day of September, 2009.

RALEIGH COUNTY COMMISSION

By _____
John D. Humphrey, President

I, Betty Riffe, Clerk of the County Commission of Raleigh County, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the County Commission of Raleigh County at their meeting held on the 1st day of September, 2009, and that a quorum of the County Commission members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

_____
Betty Riffe, County Clerk

Phone (304) 255-9146 Fax (304) 255-9166 ralcom@raleighcounty.com

CITY OF BECKLEY

WHEREAS, the City of Beckley recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the City of Beckley participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Common Council of the City of Beckley hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning and Development Council will submit, on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties, the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

This Resolution is duly adopted by the Common Council of the City of Beckley at its regular meeting held on September 8, 2009 on a motion by Councilman Robert Rappold and seconded by Councilman Mike Atterson.

Emmett S. Pugh III - Mayor

I, Gary R. Sutphin, Recorder-Treasurer for the City of Beckley, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Common Council of the City of Beckley at their meeting held on the 8th day of September, 2009, and that a quorum of the City Council members was present with a majority voting for the Resolution.

Gary R. Sutphin - Recorder-Treasurer

(COMMUNITY NAME)

WHEREAS, (Community Name) recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the (Community Name) Mayor and Council (or County Commission) participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the (Community Name) Mayor and Council (or County Commission), hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 29th day of JAN., 2010 ~~2009~~.

(COMMUNITY NAME) – TOWN OF LESTER WV.

By _____
(Name), Mayor/Commission President

I, (Recorder's Name), Recorder for the (Community Name), West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the (Community Name) Town/City Council/Commission at their meeting held on the TOWN OF LESTER *29th day of JAN, 2010 ~~2009~~ and that a quorum of the Town/City Council/Commission members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.*

_____
(Name), Recorder

Town of Mabscott

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TOWN OF MABSCOTT

WHEREAS, Town of Mabscott recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property, and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before diasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects: and

WHEREAS, the Town of Mabscott Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of Mabscott Mayor and Council hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 19th day of November 2009.

Town of Mabscott

BY _____
Mayor

I, Mary Basham, Recorder for the Town of Mabscott, WV, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Town of Mabscott Town Council at their meeting held on the 19th day of November 2009 and that a quorum of the Town Council members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

_____
Recorder

(COMMUNITY NAME)

WHEREAS, Town of Rhodell recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Rhodell Mayor and Council (or County Commission) participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the (Community Name) Mayor and Council (or County Commission), hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 8th day of February 2009.

Town of Rhodell

By Teddy Blankenship
(Name), Mayor/Commission President

I, (Recorder's Name), Recorder for the (Community Name), West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the (Community Name) Town/City Council/Commission at their meeting held on the 8th day of Feb., 2009 and that a quorum of the Town/City Council/Commission members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Patricia Fortner
(Name), Recorder

Town of Sophia

Whereas, Town of Sophia recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

Whereas, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

Whereas, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

Whereas, the Town of Sophia Mayor and Council (or County Commission) participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation plan;

Now, Therefore Be It Resolved that the Town of Sophia Mayor and Council (or County Commission), hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

Be It Therefore Resolved that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 29 day of Sept 2009.

Town of Sophia

By Danny Barr
(Name), Mayor/Commission President

I, Ronald Mills, Recorder for the Town of Sophia, West Virginia , do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Town of Sophia/Town Council at their meeting held on the 17th day of September, 2009 and that a quorum of the Town Council members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Gary M. Basham
(Name), Recorder acting recorder

Summers County Commission

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Telephone: (304) 466-7100 • Fax (304) 466-7146

Lonnie R. Mullins
President
Jerry E. Berry
Commissioner
Bill Lightner
Commissioner

Mary E. Merritt
Clerk

Summers County

WHEREAS, Summers County recognizes the threat that natural hazard pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the Summers County Commission participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

Now, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Summers County Commission hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning and Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 8th day of September, 2009.

Summers County Commission

By Lonnie R Mullins
Lonnie R. Mullins, President

I, Mary E. Merritt *, Clerk for the Summers County Commission, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Summers County Commission at their meeting held on the 8th day of September, 2009 and that a quorum of the Summers County Commission members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.*

Mary E. Merritt
Mary E. Merritt, Clerk

"Building a healthy, livable, prosperous, well-governed and unified Summers County"

Joseph M. Blankenship
Mayor

Larry K. Meador
Councilman

James P. Jordan
Councilman

Cris C. Meadows
City Manager

Robert L. Basham
Councilman

Charles Stuart Oxley II
Councilman

City of Hinton

WHEREAS, the City of Hinton recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hinton Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Hinton Mayor and Council, hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 15th day of September 2009.

City of Hinton

By _____
Joseph Blankenship, Mayor

I, Cris Meadows, Recorder for the City of Hinton, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the City of Hinton City Council at their meeting held on the 15 day of September, 2009 and that a quorum of the City Council members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

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Cris Meadows, Recorder

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Wyoming County Commission

Drawer 309
Pineville, West Virginia 24874
Telephone 304/732-8000
FAX 304/732-9659

D. Michael Goode, Clerk

Members of County Commission

Dr. Samuel Muscari, Sr. *Jason E. Mullins* *Silas Mullins, Jr.*

WHEREAS, The Wyoming County Commission recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the mayors of Pineville, Mullens and Oceana and The Wyoming County Commission, hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 2nd day of September 2009.

Wyoming County Commission

Jason E Mullins

President

I, D. Michael Goode, Clerk of the Commission, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Wyoming County Commission at their meeting held on 2nd day of September, 2009 and that a quorum of the County Commission members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

D. Michael Goode

D. Michael Goode, Clerk

City of Mullens

316 Moran Avenue
Mullens, WV 25882
(304) 294-7132

WHEREAS, (City of Mullens) recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the City of Mullens Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government within the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the (City of Mullens) Mayor and Council, hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 22ND day of Oct. 2009.

City Of Mullens
By Jon M McKinney
Jon M McKinney, Mayor

I, (Kimberly Woodrum), Recorder for the (City of Mullens), West Virginia, do hereby certify that The above resolution was adopted by the (City Of Mullens) Council/Commission at their meeting held on the 22nd day of Oct. ,2009and that a quorum of the City Of Mullens Council / Commission members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Kimberly Woodrum
Kimberly Woodrum, Recorder

TOWN OF OCEANA

WHEREAS, the Town of Oceana recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Oceana, Mayor, and Council, hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopted this 10 day of Sept. 2009.

The Town of Oceana

By Nola A. Rose
Nola A. Rose, Mayor

I, Jerry T. Cook, Recorder for the Town of Oceana, West Virginia, do hereby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Town of Oceana at their meeting held on the 10 day of Sept., 2009 and that a quorum of the Town council members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Jerry T. Cook
Jerry T. Cook, Recorder

TIM ELLISON - MAYOR
CHARLES B. MULLINS, II - ATTORNEY
ROGER SNOW – CHIEF OF POLICE

COUNCIL MEMBERS
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GREG COOK
LINDA PHILLIPS
MIKE VICKERS
ROBERT WARNER

BRANDEE ELLIS - TOWN MANAGER / RECORDER

TOWN OF PINEVILLE
OFFICE - CITY HALL
P. O. BOX 220
PINEVILLE, WV 24874
PH: 304-732-6255
FAX: 304-732-0024

WHEREAS, Town of Pineville recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions before disasters occur will reduce the potential for harm to people and property and save taxpayer dollars; and

WHEREAS, an adopted local hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future grant funding for mitigation projects; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Pineville Mayor and Council participated jointly in the planning process with the other local units of government with the Region to prepare a Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Town of Pineville Mayor and Council, hereby adopts the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Region I Planning & Development Council will submit on behalf of the participating municipalities and counties the adopted Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan to Federal Emergency Management Agency officials for final review and approval.

Read and adopt this 17th day of August, 2009

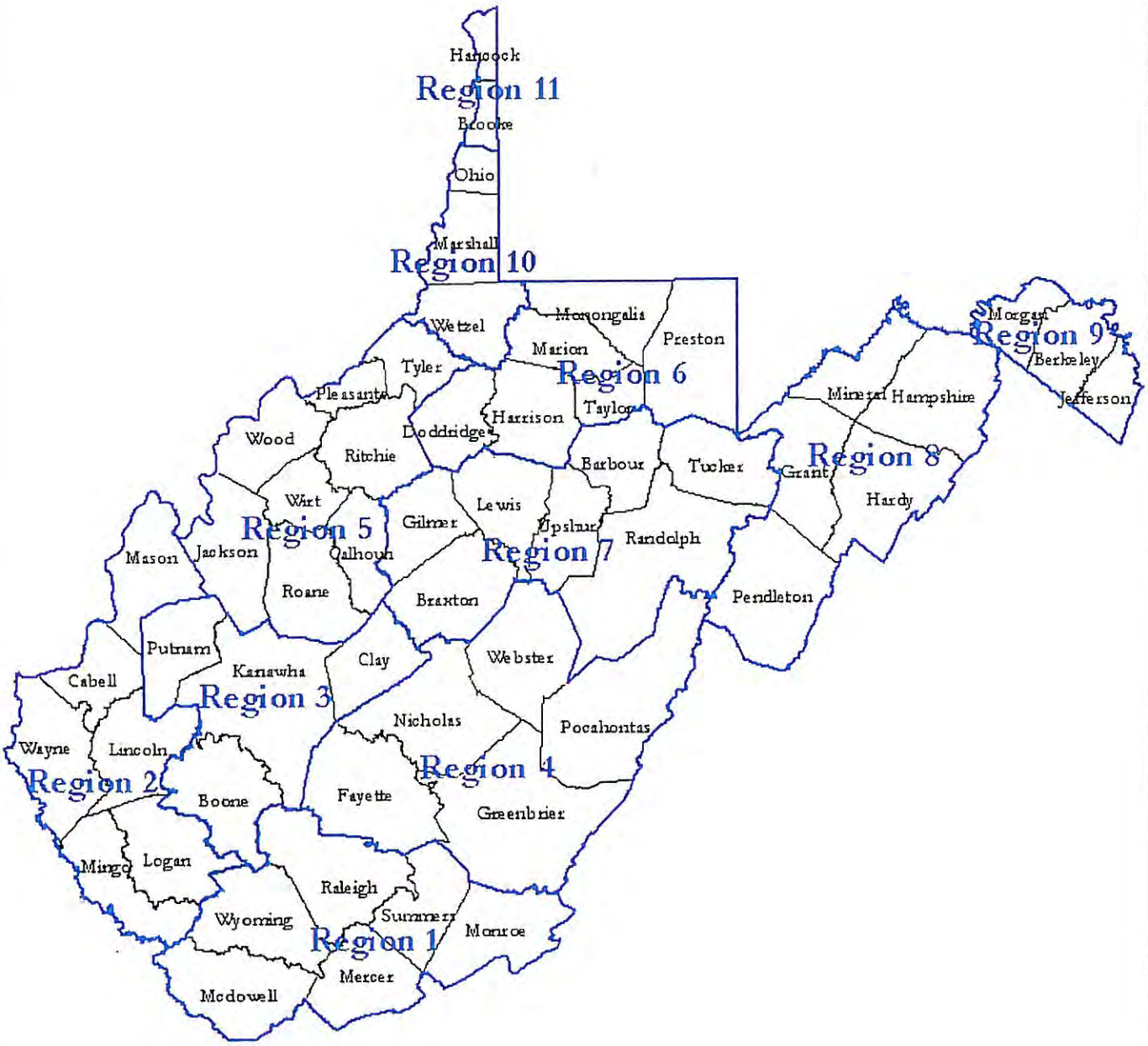
Town of Pineville

By Tim Ellison
Tim Ellison, Mayor

I, Brandee Ellis, Recorder for the Town of Pineville, Pineville, West Virginia, do herby certify that the above resolution was adopted by the Town of Pineville City Council Members at their meeting held on the 17th day of August, 2009 and that a quorum of the Town of Pineville City Council Members were present with a majority voting for the resolution.

Brandee Ellis
Brandee Ellis, Recorder

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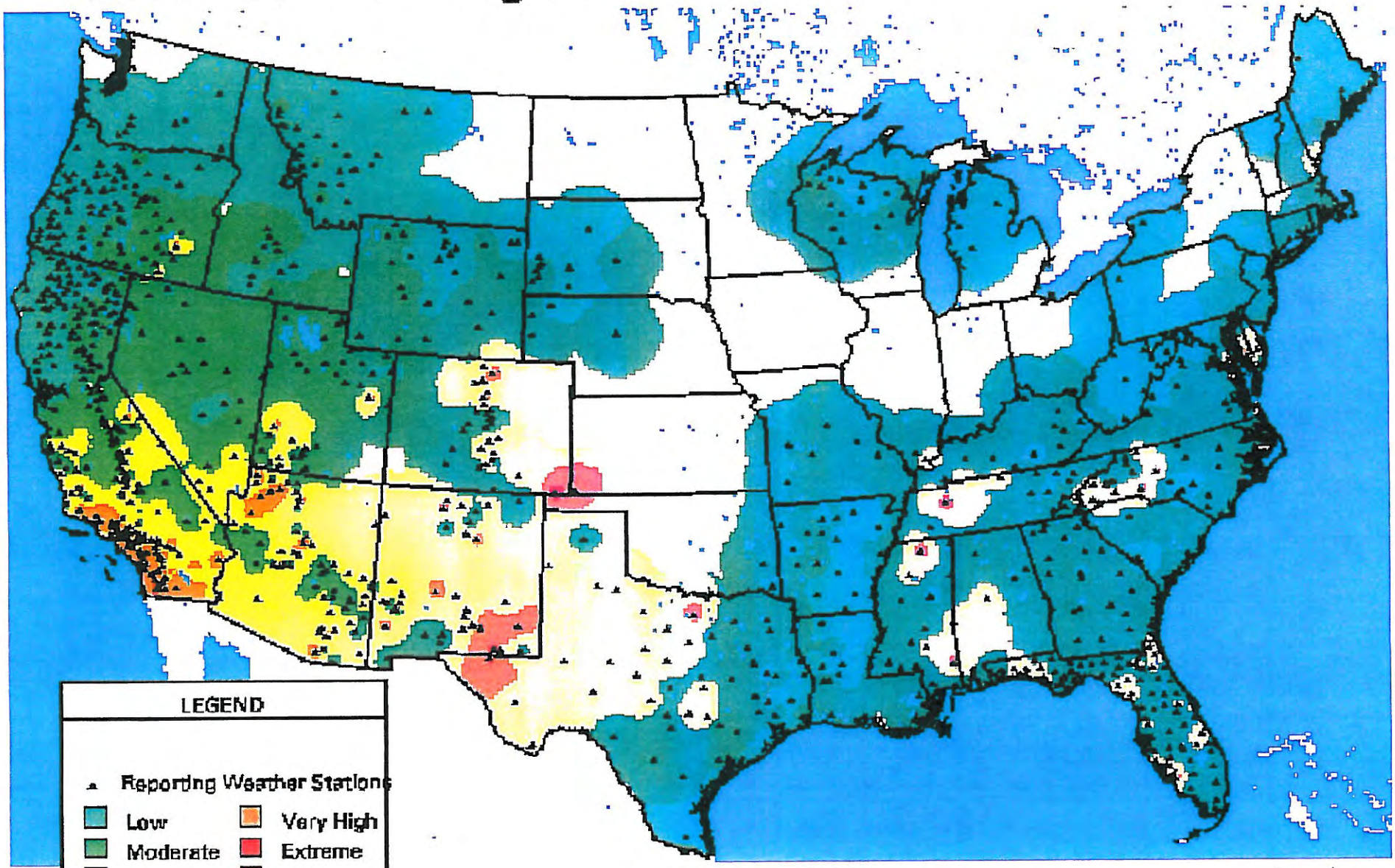
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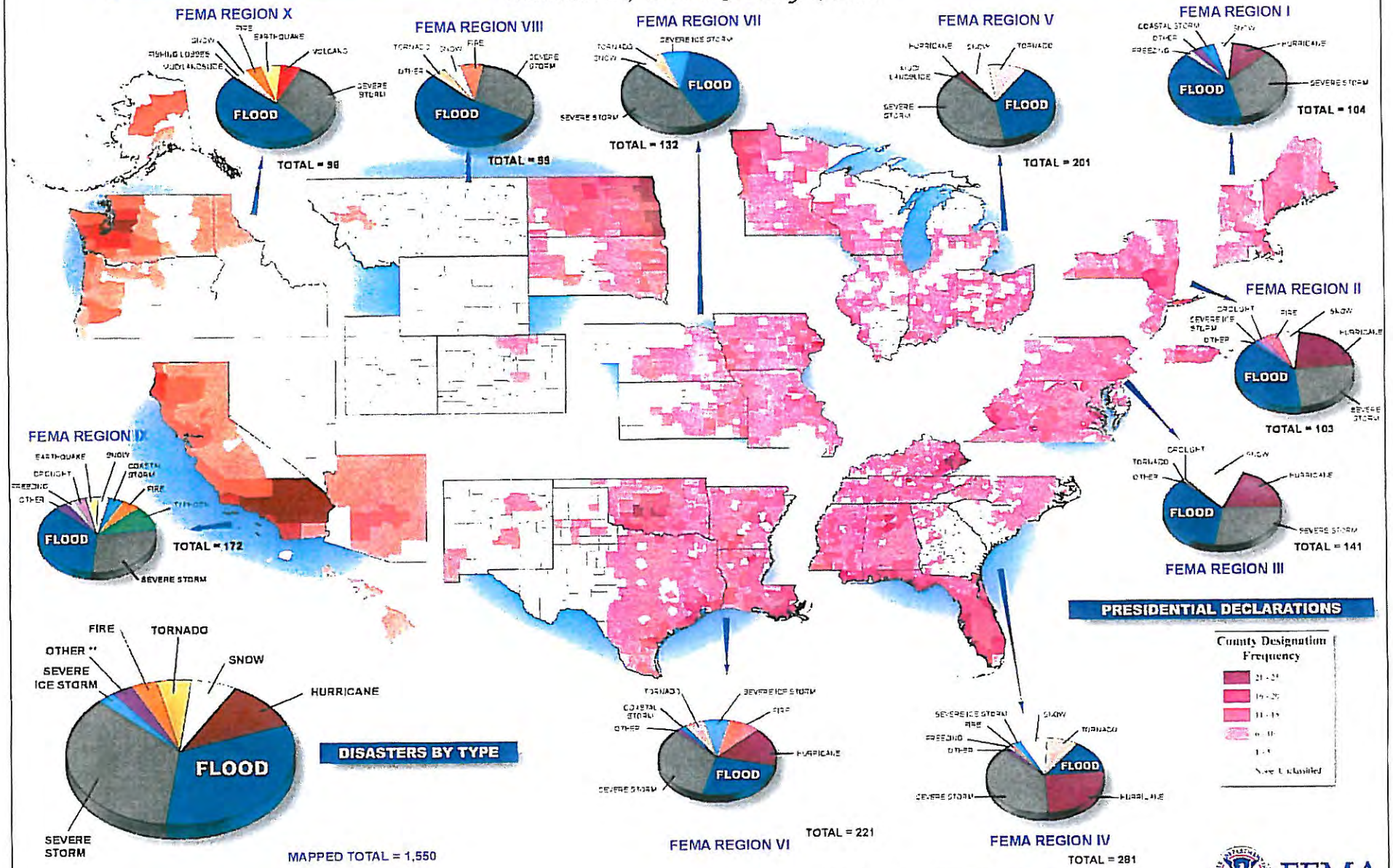


(Inv. Dist.^{2} Interp.)

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PRESIDENTIAL DISASTER DECLARATIONS

December 24, 1964 to January 8, 2008



* Prior to December 24, 1964, 179 Disaster Declarations did not have county designations. Therefore, of the total Declared Disasters (1,729), only 1,550 are included in the Mapped Total. Reduction in the Total Count of Disaster Declarations is due in part to the recent changes in data capture and classification at the sub-county political jurisdiction level. The improved processing has reduced the number of double counts for certain counties that had sub-political jurisdictions stored with incorrect county FIPS information.

** Other includes: Coastal Storm, Dam/Levee Break, Drought, Earthquake, Fishing Losses, Freezing, Human Cause, Mud/Landslide, Terrorist, Toxic Substances, Typhoon, Volcano, and Other.

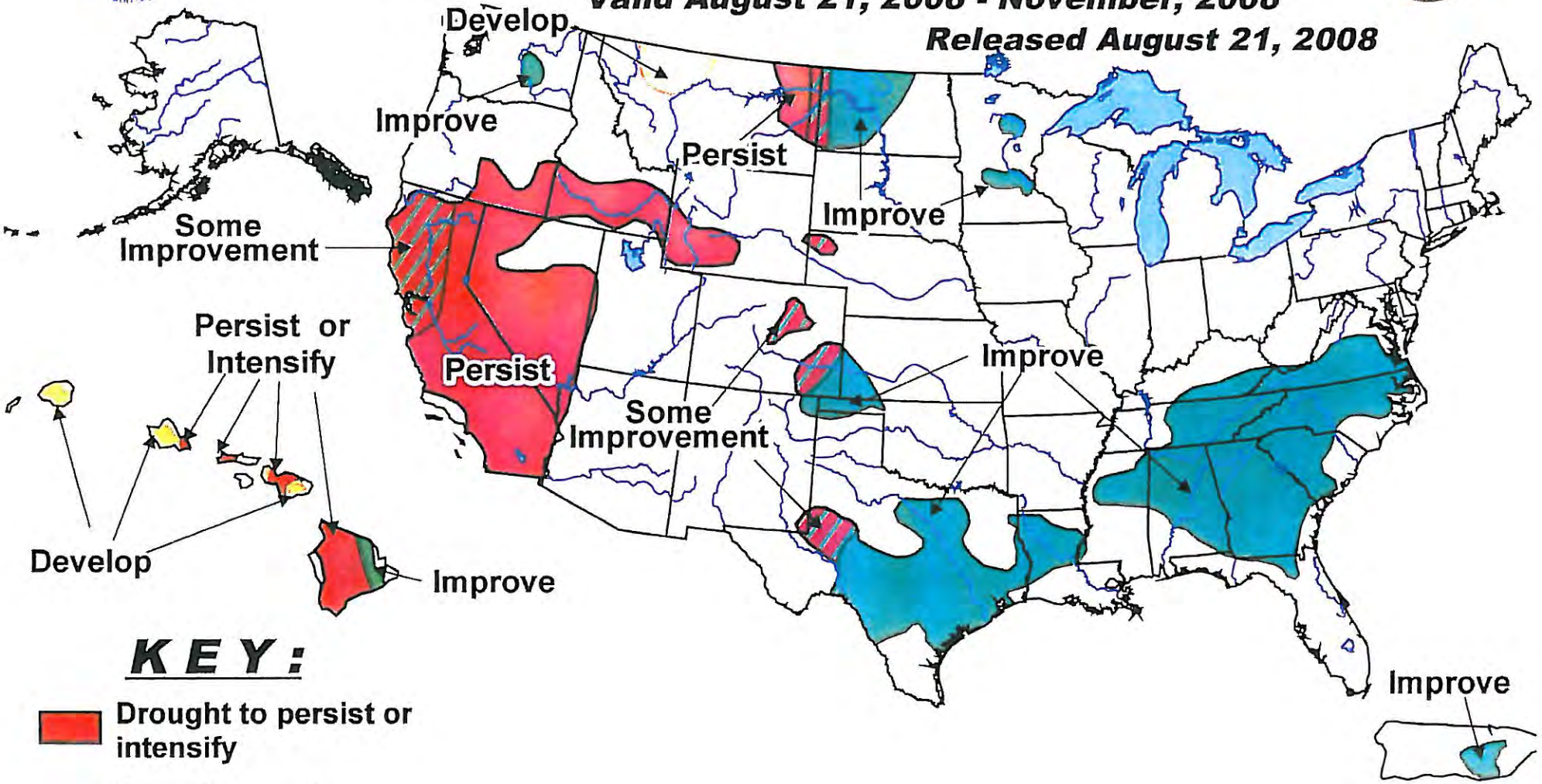
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U.S. Seasonal Drought Outlook

Drought Tendency During the Valid Period

Valid August 21, 2008 - November, 2008

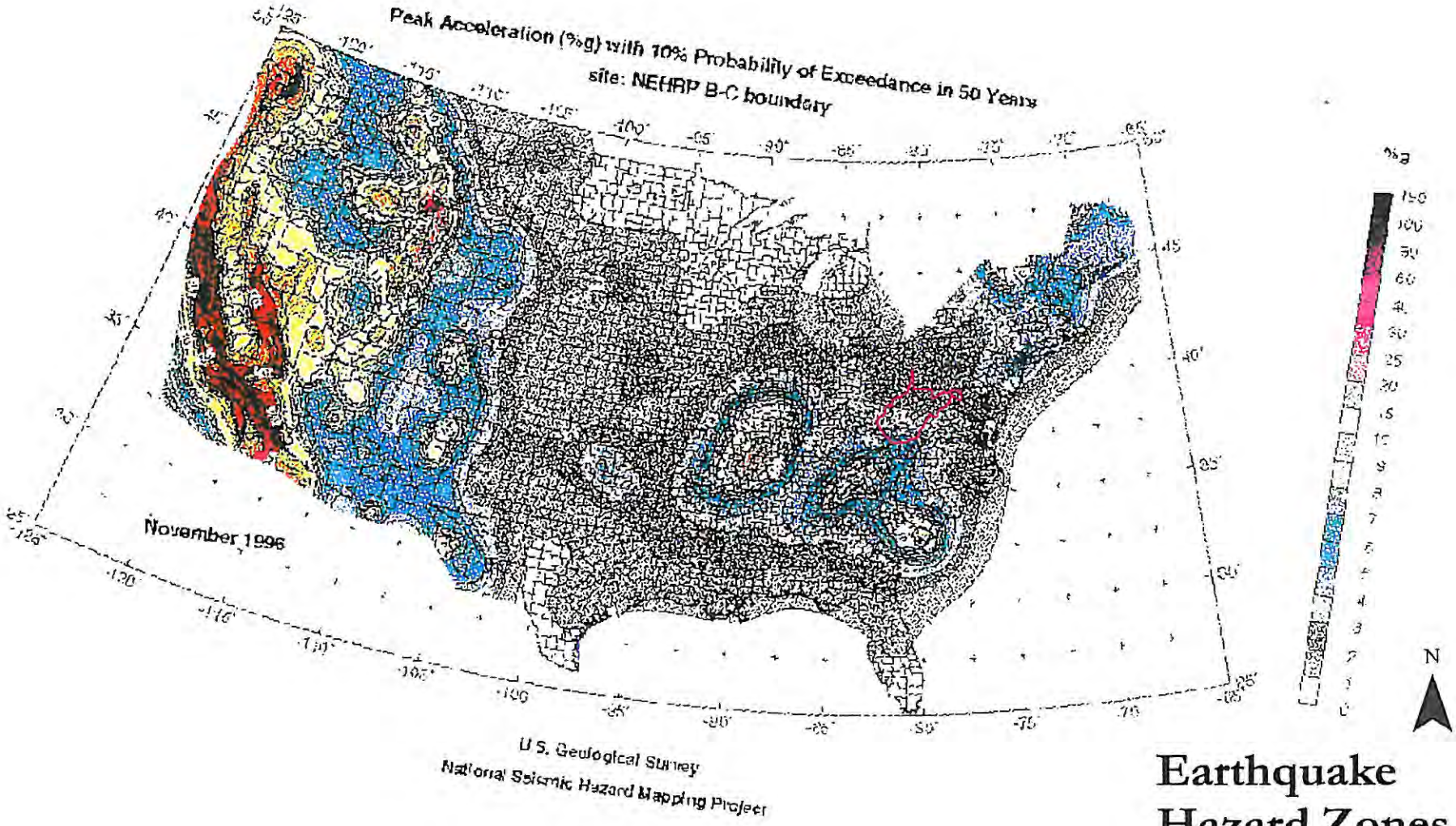
Released August 21, 2008



KEY:

- **Drought to persist or intensify**
- **Drought ongoing, some improvement**
- **Drought likely to improve, impacts ease**
- **Drought development likely**

Depicts large-scale trends based on subjectively derived probabilities guided by short- and long-range statistical and dynamical forecasts. Short-term events -- such as individual storms -- cannot be accurately forecast more than a few days in advance. Use caution for applications -- such as crops -- that can be affected by such events. "Ongoing" drought areas are approximated from the Drought Monitor (D1 to D4 intensity). For weekly drought updates, see the latest U.S. Drought Monitor. NOTE: the green improvement areas imply at least a 1-category improvement in the Drought Monitor intensity levels, but do not necessarily imply drought elimination.

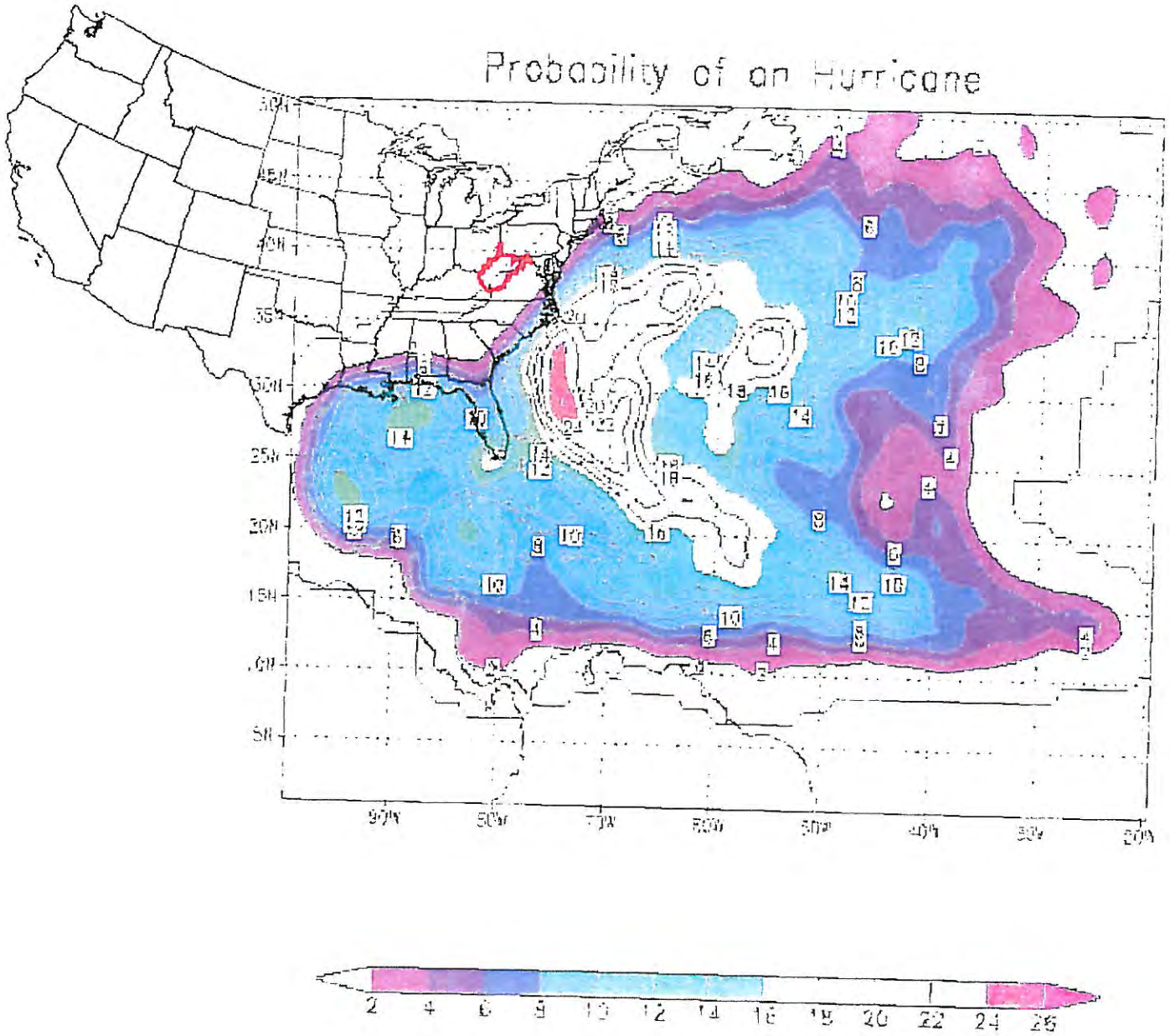


Earthquake Hazard Zones

Region I Counties (Mercer, McDowell, Monroe, Summers, Raleigh, Wyoming) fall approximately in Zones 5 and 6

County HMP 2002-2003
Prepared by Region I PDC

Map shows georeferenced image source: USGS



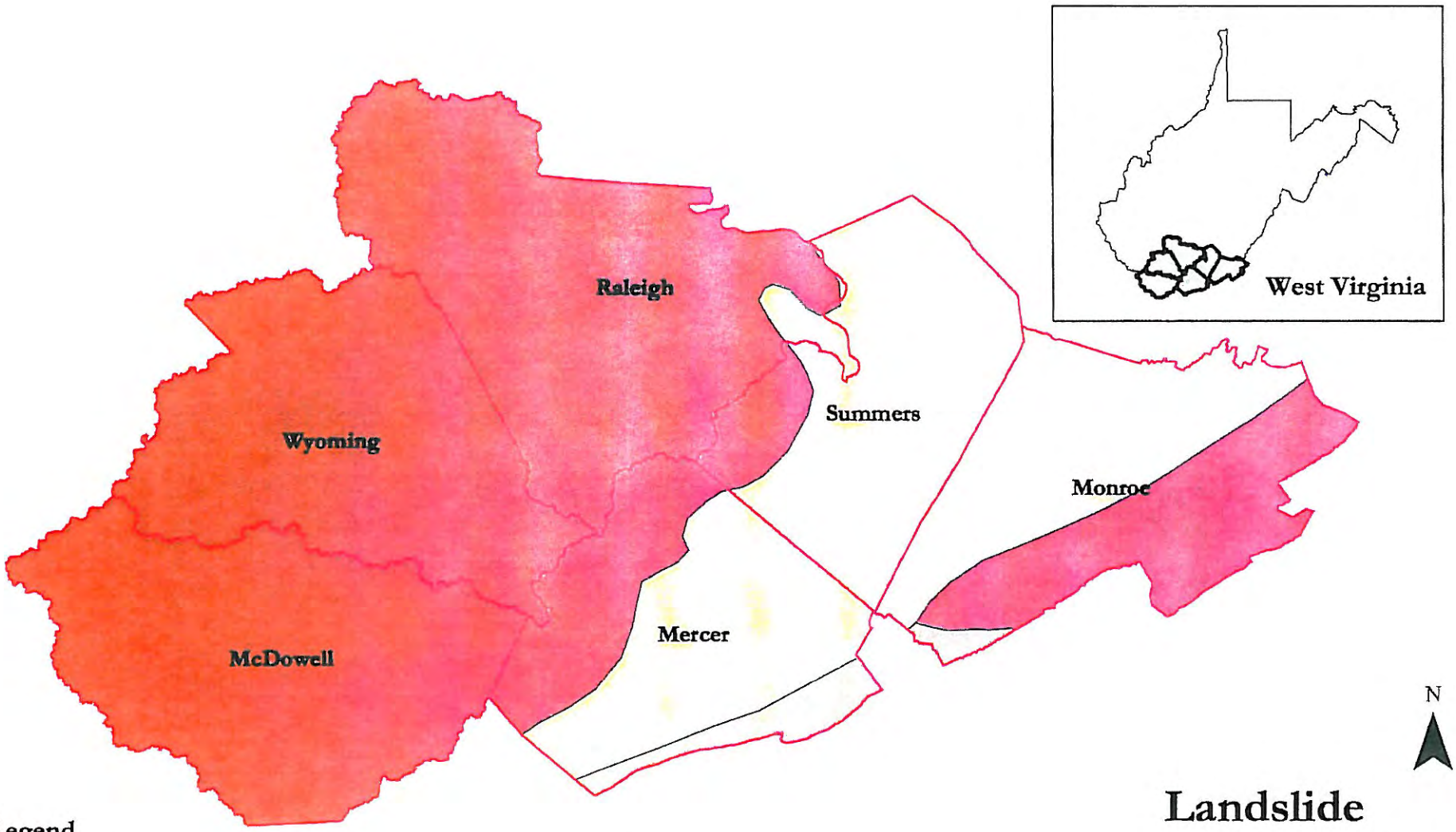
"For any particular location the chance that a hurricane will *directly affect* the area sometime during the whole June to November hurricane season is shown here".

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Probability of a Hurricane

County HMP 2002-2003
Prepared by Region I PDC

Map shows georeferenced image source: www.aoml.noaa.gov



Legend

- INC-HIGH (Landslide Incidence- High: Greater than 15% of area involved)
- INC-LOW (Landslide Incidence- Low: Less than 1.5% of area involved)
- SUS-MOD (Landslide Susceptibility/Incidence- Moderate)

Landslide Hazard Zones

County HMP 2002-2003
Prepared by Region I PDC

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Legend

- 0
- 10
- 25
- 50
- 100
- 150
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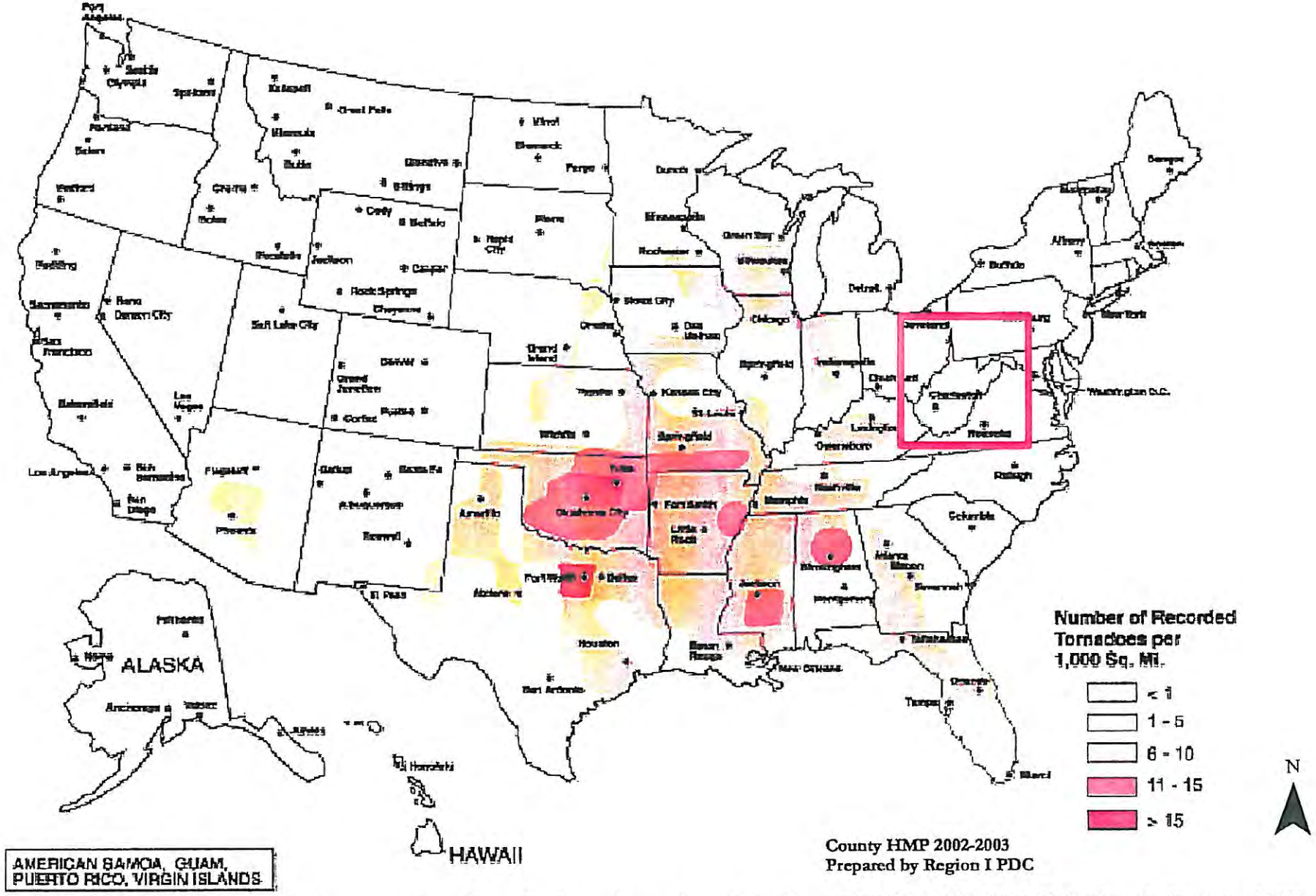
Region I Counties (Mercer, McDowell, Monroe, Summers, Raleigh, Wyoming) fall in the region with 25 - 50 snow covered days

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Severe Winter Storm or Hailstorm- Snow Covered Days

County HMP 2002-2003
Prepared by Region I PDC

source: http://www.geographynetwork.com

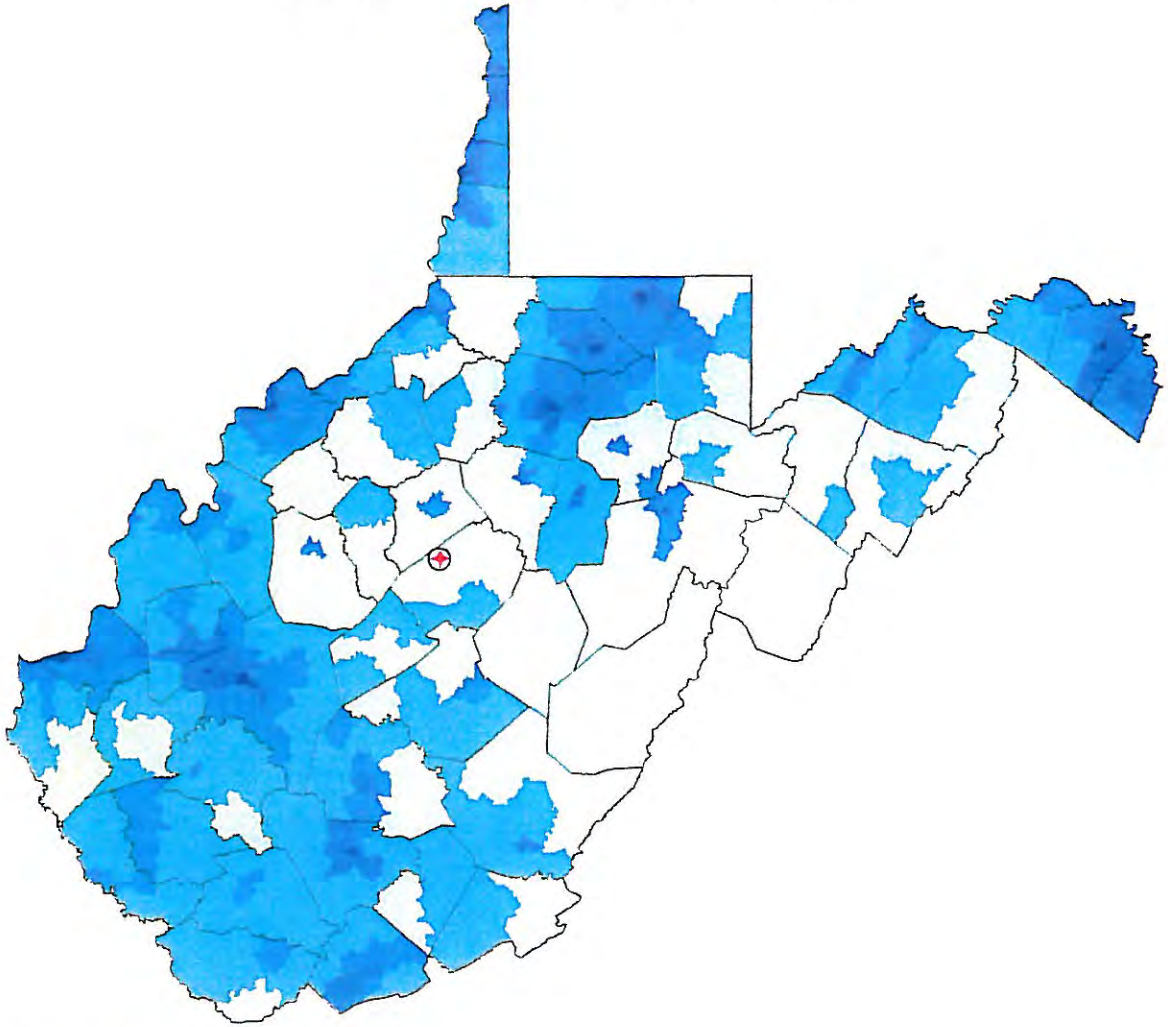


Tornado Activity in the U.S.

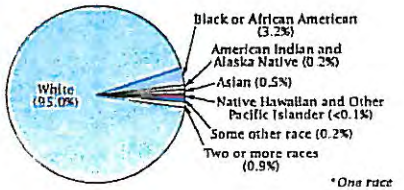
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Census 2000: West Virginia Profile

Population Density by Census Tract



State Race* Breakdown

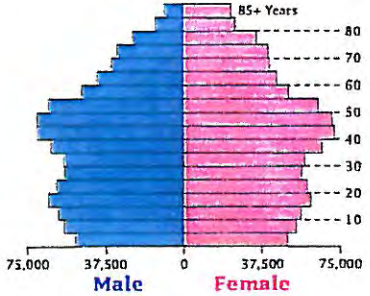


*One race

Hispanic or Latino (of any race) makes up **0.7%** of the state population.

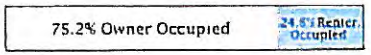
Population by Sex and Age

Total Population: 1,808,344



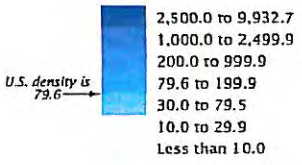
Housing Tenure

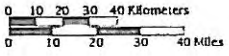
Total Occupied Housing Units: 736,481



Average Household Size of Owner-Occupied Units:	Average Household Size of Renter-Occupied Units:
2.47 people	2.17 people

Population Per Square Mile by Census Tract



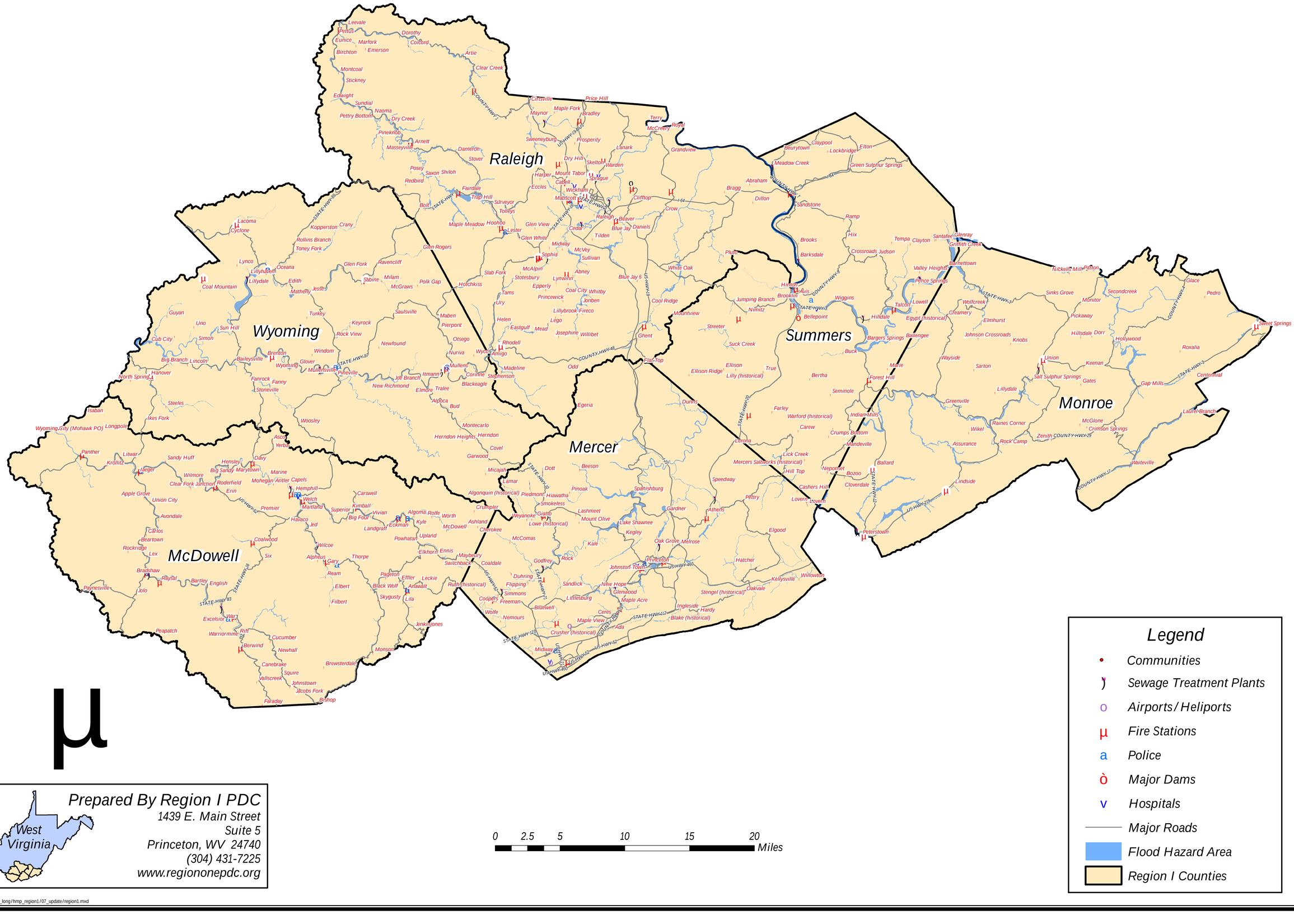


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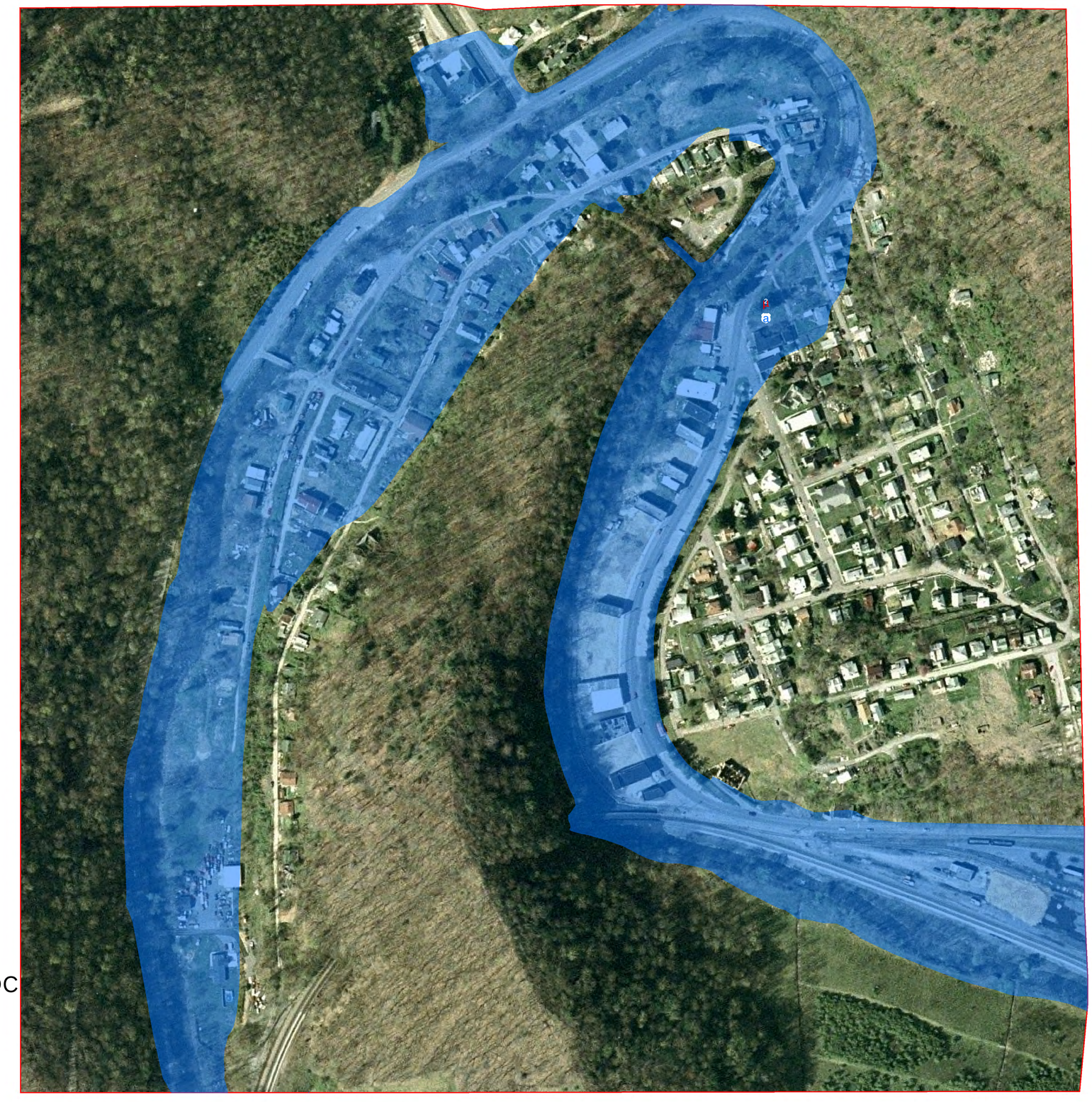
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Regional Assets Map


Raleigh
Wyoming
McDowell
Mercer
Summers
Monroe
Leevale
Petros
Dorothy
Eunice
Marfork
Colcord
Birchton
Emerson
Artie
Clear Creek
Montcoal
Stickney
Edwight
Sundial
Naoma
Pettry Bottom
Dry Creek
Pinekniob
Arnett
Masseyville
Dameron
Stover
Posey
Saxon
Shiloh
Redbird
Fairdale
Trap Hill
Surveyor
Bolt
Tolleys
Maple Meadow
Hoonoo
Lester
Glen White
Midway
Sophia
Glen Rogers
Ravencliff
Glen Fork
Lynco
Lillyhaven
Oceana
Lillydale
Edith
Coal Mountain
Matheny
Jesse
Sbine
Milam
McGraws
Polk Gap
Holchkiss
Slab Fork
Stotesbury
Epperly
Tams
Ury
Princewick
Jonben
Lillybrook
Fireco
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Josephine
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Big Branch
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Wyoming
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Stephenson
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Joe Branch
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Odd
Egeria
Flat Top
Ghent
Cool Ridge
Mountview
Streeter
Suck Creek
Buck
Ellison Ridge
Ellison
Lilly (historical)
True
Bertha
Forest Hill
Maple
Wayside
Sarton
Union
Keenan
Salt Sulphur Springs
Gates
Gap Mills
Centennial
Lillydale
Greenville
Indian Mills
Warford (historical)
Farley
Carew
Crumps Bottom
Mandeville
Lerona
Lick Creek
Mercers Saltworks (historical)
Hill Top
Gashers Hill
Lovern
Neponset
Bozoo
Cloverdale
Ballard
Lindside
Peterstown
Waiteville
Zenith
Raines Corner
Wikel
Rock Camp
McGlone
Crimson Springs
Assurance
Laurel Branch
Dunns
Spanishburg
Speedway
Petry
Athens
Gardner
Elgood
Kegley
Lake Shawnee
Mount Olive
Lowe (historical)
Giatto
Meyanoke
Lashmeet
Smokeless
Hiawatha
Piedmont
Pinoak
Algonquin (historical)
Micajah
Dott
Beeson
Lamar
Garwood
Covel
Herndon Heights
Herndon
Montecarlo
Egeria
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Bud
Tralee
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Hanover
North Spring
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Fanny
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Isaban
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Longpole
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Kroll Hill
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Sandy Huff
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Davy
Big Sandy
Marytown
Marine
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Hardy
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Johnston Town
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Johnson Crossroads
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Prosperity
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Harper
Mount Tabor
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Wickham
Maxscott
Clifftop
Grow
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Bolt
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Trap Hill
Fairdale
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Pinekniob
Dry Creek
Naoma
Pettry Bottom
Sundial
Edwight
Stickney
Montcoal
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Artie
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Birchton
Marfork
Eunice
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Lick Creek
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Hill Top
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Ballard
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Peterstown
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Fanrock
Fanny
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Isaban
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Laeger
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Davy
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- Municipal Boundary

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