



Monmouth County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update
Core Planning Group Meeting #3 - Progress Meeting
April 15, 2013
9:30 am and 7:00 pm
Monmouth County Agriculture Building, 4000 Kozloski Road, Freehold, NJ

AGENDA

- **Welcome and Opening Remarks**..... *Michael Oppegaard and Margaret Murnane Brooks, MCOEM*
- **Looking Back - The CPG Meeting of September 2012**.....*Anna Foley and Richard Franks*
 - **Perspectives and perceptions six months ago**
 - Some key slides from the last meeting that best reflected perceptions at that time will be highlighted as a way of highlighting how Sandy has provided a new frame of reference.
 - CPG members will be expected to listen / ask questions.
- **Looking Forward - How Sandy Lessons Learned Are Shaping Local Mitigation Strategies**
 - **9:30 am Session: Guest Speaker – Buzz Baldanza, Oceanport**
 - **7:00 pm Session: Group Discussion**
 - Perspectives of how the disaster has changed the municipal perception of the severity of the problem, the need for mitigation, and what mitigation strategies to pursue
 - **Both Sessions: Brief overview of the April 2-5 workshops (URS/FEMA)** - the importance of developing a robust mitigation strategy.
- **Be a Force of Nature in Your Own Community**.....*Anna Foley and Richard Franks, URS*
 - URS will discuss:
 - **Knowing your community's vulnerabilities and implementing hazard mitigation measures can reduce your risk and increase your community's resiliency.**
 - Inform the public about the natural hazards in their locality;
 - Provide information that can be used to mitigate the impacts; and
 - Motivate individuals and communities to take actions that will prepare them for the next disaster and share their mitigation steps with others.
 - **Outreach to the public and other stakeholders during the plan update process is required for FEMA to approve the plan for your jurisdiction**
 - See Guidance Memo 1 for more information and tips; and
 - Use the Outreach Log to document your activities.
 - CPG members (County and municipal representatives) will be expected to participate in a group discussion and share some of their outreach activities to date with the other communities.

- **Hazard Rankings Versus Projects: The Good, The Bad and The Ugly** ...*Anna Foley and Richard Franks, URS*
 - **The link between the risk assessment and mitigation strategies**
 - URS will present examples of good approaches to emulate when updating your mitigation strategies, and not-so-good approaches to try to avoid
 - CPG members will be expected to participate in group discussions that may arise.
- **SharePoint Site***Anna Foley and Richard Franks, URS*
 - <https://ieprojects.urscorp.com/clients/mcnj/SitePages/Home.aspx>
 - URS will navigate to the site (live) and provide an overview of structure and content.
 - CPG members will be expected to indicate whether they have been on the site yet, and any feedback they would like to share.
- **Facebook Page***Anna Foley and Richard Franks, URS*
 - URS will navigate to the Monmouth County Sheriff's Office Facebook Page
 - CPG members will be expected to indicate whether they have been on the site yet, and any feedback they would like to share.
- **Plan Update Worksheets - Capturing The Ebb and Flow of Information Between Communities and Plan Authors***Anna Foley and Richard Franks, URS*
 - **Recap of what was done for the 2009 Plan**
 - **Overview of what needs to be done for this Plan Update**
 - URS will discuss:
 - *Who should complete the worksheets*
 - *What will they encompass*
 - *When will they be distributed; when will they be due back*
 - *Where to get copies*
 - *How to submit responses*
 - *Why this is a necessary step of the process*
 - CPG members will be expected to listen / ask questions.
- **Questions and Answers***All*
- **Closing Remarks** *Michael Oppegaard and Margaret Murnane Brooks, MCOEM*
- **Adjourn**