



State of New Jersey

2011 Hazard Mitigation Plan

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The New Jersey State Hazard Mitigation Plan represents, among other things, an opportunity to generate active discussions among all levels of government, business and commerce communities and individuals; to identify risks; and to recognize mitigate actions that can be taken by the state, its counties and municipalities and individuals.

Previously approved New Jersey State Plans are:

Plan 1 – Effective April 2005 to April 2008

Plan 2 – Effective April 2008 to April 2011

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Summary of Short-Term Strategies incorporated in six month update of NJ State Hazard Mitigation Plan

- The short-term strategies described below focus on enhancements to the Plan to ensure that it is current and make the Plan more user-friendly and readily accessible to the public and local governments developing plans. These strategies all have timelines of within six months. NJOEM is the Responsible Party unless otherwise noted. FEMA Region II has offered to provide technical assistance.
- **Probability:** Enhance future probability sections with additional material for (a) wind, hail and tornado (State Climatologist); (b) coastal flooding (NJDEP); and (c) earthquake (State Geologist).

Flood Risk (NJDEP): Enhance these sections by (a) integrating flood maps into the flood probability section, (b) including additional DFIRMs and RiskMAP material, and (c) updating NFIP Claims and RL/SRL data.

Census Data: Update to 2010

Dam/Levee/Storm water: provide more detailed flood information on and dam and levee failure and storm water flooding including local drainage and/or high groundwater levels

HAZUS Earthquake Annualized Loss Studies (State Geologist): Include FEMA 366 and NYCEM study. Update NJGS study.

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| July 17, 2011 | Section 4 – Risk Assessment | <p>Risk Assessments for "Other (Human Caused) Hazards" added to NJ State Hazard Mitigation Plan as Element 4.4.14, units 4.4.14.1 through 4.4.14.11.</p> <p>Additional information on natural hazards incorporated into the Plan in Section 4.4.15.1 regarding consequences and Section 4.4.15.2 regarding the Implementation of Mitigation Strategies.</p> |
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