**XYZ HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE**

**What is Hazard Mitigation?**

Hazard mitigation is defined by FEMA as any sustained actions taken to reduce or eliminate the long-term risk to human life and property from hazards.

**What are the benefits of Hazard Mitigation?**

The purpose of hazard mitigation is to break the cycle of damage – repair – damage – repair by making communities more resistant to damages during future disasters. There are two key benefits:

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Statistically, every dollar spent on mitigation equals $6.00 saved by U.S. taxpayers due to reduced damages from future occurrences. On a larger scale, for every $1 million spent on mitigation, that’s $6 million that can be spent elsewhere because it is no longer needed for disaster relief and damages.

**What hazards is XYZ county particularly vulnerable to?**

**Hazard 1:** Include basic information such as description, location and probability of future events. Can include maps, where relevant**.**

**Hazard 2:** Include basic information such as description, location and probability of future events. Can include maps, where relevant**.**

**Hazard 3:** See above. Continue on until you cover all of the hazards listed in your plan.

**What is XYZ county proposing to do to reduce risks of damages from the above hazards?**

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**Hazard 3:** See above. Continue on until you cover all of the hazards listed in your plan.

**Where can you go for more information?**

Website (if available)

 Contact person: Name

 Phone #

 Email