

**Community Rating System
Activity 510 (Floodplain Management Planning)**

Progress Report on Implementation of Credited Plan

Date this Report was Prepared: February 5, 2020

Name of Community: City of Fond du Lac

Name of Plan: Fond du Lac County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2015-2020

Date of Adoption of Plan: August 18, 2015

5 Year CRS Expiration Date: May 22, 2023

1. How can a copy of the original plan or area analysis report be obtained:

The Fond du Lac County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2015-2020 is available as a pdf on the Floodplain Administration page of the City's website: www.fdl.wi.gov or follow the link: https://www.fdl.wi.gov/community-development/wp-content/uploads/sites/5/2018/12/FDLCO_HazMitigationPlan_4202018140642.pdf

2. Describe how this progress report was prepared and how it was submitted to the governing body, released to the media, and made available to the public:

The City of Fond du Lac participates in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) Community Rating System (CRS). The Community Rating System is an incentive program that recognizes and encourages floodplain management activities that exceed the minimum NFIP requirements. The CRS rating for the City of Fond du Lac affects flood insurance rates for properties in the community. This report is in response to recertification requirements for the City's continued eligibility for CRS credits, in accordance with Activity 510 (Floodplain Management Planning).

Hazard mitigation actions for the City of Fond du Lac are stated in the Fond du Lac County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2015-2020. The countywide plan describes actions to mitigate hazards, risks and vulnerabilities and established a strategy to implement the actions. The Fond du Lac County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2015-2020 was adopted by Fond du Lac County on August 18, 2015; the plan was adopted by the City of Fond du Lac on February 10, 2016.

The evaluation of mitigation activities provides a framework for monitoring the plan's effectiveness and the progress in implementation. City of Fond du Lac Community Development staff prepared this progress report with the assistance of the Director of Public Works and the City Engineer. The report is provided to the City Council, City Department Directors, and the media. The report is available for

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public access as a pdf on the Floodplain Administration page of the City's website:
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3. Provide a description of the implementation of each recommendation or action item in the action plan or area analysis report, including a statement on how the project was implemented:

The Fond du Lac County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2015-2020 identifies several mitigation strategies for the City of Fond du Lac:

- a. *Implement brine dispersal system for ice prevention on roads.
Project timetable 2015.*

Project implementation:

A salt brine dispersal system to treat primary roads prior to a snow event was implemented in 2015 and continues to be used. The salt brine promotes a safer, more environmentally friendly and cost effective road treatment, compared to using pure rock salt.

- b. *Install emergency generators for four storm pump stations.
Project timetable 2015-2018.*

Project implementation:

A four-year program to install standby power generators at stormwater pump stations is complete. Generators at the Arndt Street and Reserve Avenue locations were completed in 2016; the generators at McDermott Park and Harborview/Park Avenue were completed in 2018.

- c. *Replace nine emergency sirens city-wide.
Project timetable 2015-2019.*

Project implementation:

One emergency siren was replaced in 2015, two replacements each occurred in 2016-2017-2018, and one is planned for replacement in 2020. One additional siren will be replaced at a future date.

EMERGENCY SIRENS	LOCATION	INSTALLATION YEAR
CO1	East side of intersection McArthur/Evans	2018
CO2	610 North Rolling Meadows	2016
CO3	1445 South Hickory	2016
CO4	1333 Martin Ave	Planned for 2020
CO5	Rienzi Road, east of Country Lane	2017
CO6	Ledgewood Drive, opposite 291	2017
CO7	End of Prairie at Campus Drive	unknown

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CO8	648 North Main Street	2018
CO9	Catherine Whittier Lewis Park (3 rd Street)	2015
CO10	531 East Pioneer Road	2006
CO11	JF Ahern W Pioneer Road near FDL River	2006
CO12	Stow Street, east of Taft, south side	2007
CO13	285 North Seymour Street	2007

4. Discuss why any objectives were not reached or why implementation is behind schedule:

Mitigation strategies reflect the project timetables set forth in the Fond du Lac County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2015-2020. Projects have been completed on schedule.

5. What are the recommendations for new projects or revised recommendations?

Through zoning, development in floodplains, wetlands, and environmentally sensitive areas is kept to a minimum. New property development incorporates stormwater management measures such as stormwater detention and retention basins that provide greater flood protection.

Mitigation strategies for participating communities in the Fond du Lac County Hazard Mitigation Plan were considered in an update to the 2015-2020 plan. Hazard risk rankings were updated based on previous hazard occurrences and steering committee consensus. All hazard profiles, occurrences, and probabilities were updated. Mitigation strategies were updated to account for completed projects, updated timetables, new project additions, and some revisions.

The public was encouraged to participate in the development of the plan by attending steering committee meetings. All meetings were open to the public and meeting notices were posted at the Fond du lac City/County Government Center. A public open house was held on April 4, 2019 to provide an opportunity for review and comment on the draft plan and maps.

The Fond du Lac County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2019-2024 was conditionally approved by FEMA on November 1, 2019 and adopted by Fond du Lac County on December 17, 2019 (Resolution No. 72-19). The Fond du Lac County Board meeting, where the plan was adopted, was open to the public with time allotted for public comment. The Fond du Lac City Council will adopt the updated plan on March 11, 2020 (Resolution No. 8864). The City Council meeting is open to the public with time allotted for public comment.

The plan will be evaluated and updated at least every five years.