

Coastal Bend Mitigation Action Plan Annual Update



Council Presentation
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History

- As part of the Community Rating System (CRS), the City is required to provide an annual update to the Coastal Bend Mitigation Action Plan (CBMAP).
- The CRS rewards communities that are doing more than the National Flood Insurance Program to help their citizens prevent or reduce flood losses.
- The City receives points for flood protection activities. The accumulated points makeup our class rating that determines what percentage of a premium reduction properties will receive.



History

- The Coastal Bend Mitigation Action Plan (MAP) was adopted by the Coastal Bend Council of Governments in 2006 with the intent to maintain a process that leads to hazard mitigation actions.
 - State and local governments are required to develop a hazard mitigation plan as a condition of receiving certain types of non-emergency disaster assistance per the Pre-Disaster Mitigation Program (Section 203 of the Stafford Act, 42 U.S.C. 5133).
 - Representatives from seven county areas located in South Texas contribute to the MAP.
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Overview

- The mitigation activities are geared towards:
 - Reducing loss of life and injury
 - Reducing disruptions to essential public services and infrastructure
 - Reducing economic impacts to residents
 - Reducing losses to civic, cultural and environmental resources



MAP Scope

- The City has 25 mitigation action items
- 16 items have been completed
 - (4 projects have been completed in FY14-15)
- 6 Projects are on-going
- 3 have not been started