

# **CHAPTER FOUR: LMS INITIATIVES**

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## **Purpose**

This section of the document details the guidance for implementation of the Marion County LMS. It describes the proposed mitigation initiatives to be initiated by each of the participants in the planning process, as the necessary resources become available to do so. Through implementation of these initiatives the goals and objectives of the Marion LMS can be achieved.

## **Background**

The LMS includes a list ranking each of the projects submitted. The list guides County-wide implementation of specific mitigation projects on an annual basis. The projects included in the LMS document are eligible for a wide variety of grants and funding opportunities. Achieving a listed position enables the grant applicant to reference the LMS to the importance of that mitigation action.

## **Development and Processing of Mitigation Initiatives**

The mitigation initiatives listed in this section were derived from the step-wise approach used in the planning process. The initiatives have been identified from the results of:

- The hazard identification and vulnerability assessment process undertaken;
- The review of current local government plans, policies and codes;
- The experiences with previous disasters and emergency events.

Once proposed by a jurisdiction or organization, the initiatives are reviewed by the Mitigation Planning Subcommittee and Steering Committee of the Marion Working Group. This review is intended to identify any unintentional or unwarranted interjurisdictional impacts, inconsistencies or duplications. If there are none, the initiative is considered acceptable for incorporation into the Strategy. If concerns are raised regarding interjurisdictional impacts, inconsistencies or duplications, then the participant proposing the initiative is requested to respond with additional information or to appropriately modify the proposal.

Once an initiative is accepted for incorporation into the Strategy, any needed additional information to characterize the initiative and justify its implementation is gathered. Next a priority for implementation of the initiative is established by using standard criteria to derive a numerical priority score. The higher the score the higher the priority for implementation by the jurisdiction or organization. The steps in the process to develop and coordinate mitigation initiatives are detailed in the Working Group's Operating Procedures.

## **Format**

The format of this section is designed to facilitate formal action on the Marion LMS by local governments and other participating organizations. The decision makers for participating jurisdictions and organizations can take action to review and modify only their portion of the Strategy, as needed prior to its adoption or acceptance.

A proposed mitigation initiative must have an agency or organization that is defined as the "sponsor" of the initiative. Therefore, in the Marion LMS, all proposed mitigation initiatives identify the sponsor responsible for its implementation when resources become available to do so.

Each jurisdiction or organization participating in the planning process makes its own decisions regarding mitigation needs and priorities. Nevertheless, interjurisdictional considerations have been addressed. During the planning process, the potential for interjurisdictional impacts, inconsistencies or duplication that would be created by implementation of any initiative is considered and addressed appropriately.

## **Content**

Each initiative provides three types of information:

- Acceptance by the participant of the bylaws, procedures and other overall planning criteria adopted and utilized by the Marion Working Group for LMS Development;
- Summaries regarding the hazard identification and vulnerability assessment process undertaken for the participant's area of concern;
- A listing of the proposed mitigation initiative desired by the participant for incorporation into the Marion LMS. The list names the initiative sponsor, briefly describes its scope and intent, the anticipated cost or cost impact of the initiative, the preliminary estimated benefit to cost ratio justifying its validity for implementation, the most likely funding source for implementation, and its assigned score for priority of implementation (The higher the numeric score, the higher its priority).

The contents and the supporting decision making during the planning were developed by representatives of each of the participating jurisdictions or organizations by using a technical approach common to all participants and adopted by the Marion Working Group for LMS Development. This common technical approach is detailed in the Working Group's Operating Procedures.

# Prioritized Project List

Updated: 03/30/18

APPLICATION YEAR		MARION COUNTY, FLORIDA LOCAL MITIGATION STRATEGY PRIORITIZED PROJECT LIST 2020						
2015	2015							
2016	2016							
2017	2017							
2018	2018							
2019	2019							
Initiating Jurisdiction and Agency	ID Number	Description/Title	Pop Impacted	Hazard(s) Mitigated	Timeframe for Completion	Score	Rank	Priority
Marion County	2018-23	MCUD Back-up Solar Powered Battery Assemblies	MC	S	<1 year	36	1	1
Marion County	2018-12	Facilities Emergency Generators	A	H, S, F	1 years	32	2	2
Marion County	2018-21	MCUD Portable SCADA Antenna	A	S	<1 year	32	3	3
City of Ocala	2018-10	Security Improvements water facilities	O	H,S,F	1 year	31	4	4
City of Ocala	2018-11	Man Hole Lid Improvements	O	H,S,F	1.5 years	31	4	5
Marion County	2018-13	MC Recycling Center Back up Power	MC	H, S, F	1 years	31	4	6
Sateke Village HOA	2017-01	Emergency Generators	D	H,S,F	1 year	30	5	7
Marion County Public Schools	2019-01	Emergency Generators	O	H,S,F	<1 year	30	5	8
City of Ocala	2018-01	Fisher Park Flood Project	O	H,S,F	2 years	29	6	9
City of Ocala	2018-02	SR 464 Flood Project	O	H,S,F	2 years	29	6	10
Marion County	2018-24	MCUD Portable Lift Station Generators	MC	S	<1 year	29	6	11
City of Ocala - Fire Rescue	2018-25	Emergency Power Generators and Transfer Switches	O	H, S, F	<1 year	28	7	12
City of Ocala	2018-05	Lift Stations Flood Relief	O	H,S,F	1.6 years	26	8	13
Marion County	2018-22	MCUD Emergency Command Ctr Shutters	A	S	<1 year	26	8	14
MCSO/EOC/MC School	2018-14	Critical Facility Generator	A	H, S, F	1 years	25	9	15
Marion County	2018-20	MC Portable Pump Operation	MC	F	<1 year	24	10	16
City of Ocala	2018-09	Lift Station Improvement	O	H,S,F	1.5 years	23	11	17

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2016	2016							
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2019	2019							
Initiating Jurisdiction and Agency	ID Number	Description/Title	Pop Impacted	Hazard(s) Mitigated	Timeframe for Completion	Score	Rank	Priority
Marion County	2018-15	SW 52nd Street Flood Relief	MC	F	2.25 years	22	12	18
City of Ocala	2018-03	Heritage Hills Flood Relief	O	H,S,F	2 years	21	13	19
City of Ocala	2018-06	Brogan Pond Flood Relief	O	H,S,F	2 years	21	13	20
City of Ocala	2018-04	SE 17 Street Flood Relief	O	H,S,F	2 years	20	14	21
City of Ocala	2018-07	Lake Tuscawilla Flood Relief	O	H,S,F	2 years	19	15	22
City of Ocala	2018-08	NE 17th Road Flood Relief	O	H,S,F	2 years	19	15	23
Marion County	2018-17	Country Gardens Flood Relief	MC	F	1.85 years	19	15	24
Marion County	2018-19	NW 115th Ct Flood Relief	MC	F	3.1 years	18	16	25
Marion County	2018-16	NW 76th Ter Flood Relief	MC	F	2.6 years	17	17	26
Marion County	2018-18	SW 27th Ave Flood Relief	MC	F	4.6 years	17	18	27

Pop Impacted: A = All , MC = Marion County, O = Ocala, B = Belleview, D = Dunnellon, M = McIntosh, R = Reddick

Hazards: A = All , H = Hurricane, T = Tornado, S = Storm, F = Flood