


Mitigation Action Guides: 2021-26 Weld County

Milliken (4 Projects)

I-Milliken: Convert acquired land and property in the floodplain to Open Space	
PRIORITY: High (#1)	HAZARDS ADDRESSED: Flood Hazard and Other Hazards
LOCATION: Land previously Martin Home Mobile Park-current Open Space Projects	GOALS ADDRESSED: 2
RECOMMENDATION DATE: 2021	OBJECTIVES ADDRESSED: E
TARGET COMPLETION DATE: 12/31/2023	LIFELINES: Health & Medical SUBCOMPONENTS: Public Health
ISSUE: Identify Open Space features for the previously acquired mobile home space. We are working with FEMA and our Town GOMill (Great Outdoors Milliken) Committee on options for that area with keeping the intent of the acquisition.	
RECOMMENDATION: Committee to research ideas for open space area	
ACTION:	
LEAD AGENCY: Town of Milliken Administration Dept.	EXPECTED COST: \$2,500,000
SUPPORT AGENCIES: FEMA HMGP, CDHSEM	POTENTIAL FUNDING SOURCES: FEMA HMGP 75%, CDHSEM 12.5%
PROGRESS MILESTONES;	

2-Milliken: Procurement and Installation of Tornado Sirens	
PRIORITY: High (#2)	HAZARDS ADDRESSED: Tornado/Wind Hazard
LOCATION: Town of Milliken	GOALS ADDRESSED: I
RECOMMENDATION DATE: 2021	OBJECTIVES ADDRESSED: E
TARGET COMPLETION DATE: 12/31/2022	LIFELINES: Safety & Security; Food, Water & Shelter; Health & Medical SUBCOMPONENTS: Community Safety, Shelter, Public Health
ISSUE: Warn public regarding pending tornadoes and high wind events	
RECOMMENDATION: The Town has installed a Tornado Siren at the back for the Police Station. However, looking into other sites around Town would be beneficial as well.	
ACTION: Install additional tornado sirens throughout Milliken	
LEAD AGENCY: Town of Milliken Police and Fire Department	EXPECTED COST: \$60,000 -\$100,000

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SUPPORT AGENCIES: FEMA, Colorado Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management	POTENTIAL FUNDING SOURCES: FEMA HMGP 75%, CDHSEM HMGP 12.5%.
PROGRESS MILESTONES:	

3-Milliken: Storm Water Improvements Throughout Milliken	
PRIORITY: Medium (#3)	HAZARDS ADDRESSED: Flood Hazard
LOCATION: Town of Milliken	GOALS ADDRESSED: 2
RECOMMENDATION DATE: 9/1/2021	OBJECTIVES ADDRESSED: E
TARGET COMPLETION DATE: 12/29/2021	LIFELINES: Safety and Security SUBCOMPONENTS: Community Safety
ISSUE: Identify storm drainage problem areas throughout the Town of Milliken	
RECOMMENDATION: Cherry Street Stormwater and Road Rebuild project. We are currently budgeting for the construction phase hopefully to start in early 2021 after the design is complete. Est completion for this project is Fall of 2021.	
ACTION: Construct storm drainage improvements throughout Milliken	
LEAD AGENCY: Town of Milliken Public Works	EXPECTED COST: \$20,000,000
SUPPORT AGENCIES: FEMA, Colorado Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, Colorado Water Board	POTENTIAL FUNDING SOURCES: FEMA HMGP, CDHSEM HMGP 12.5%.

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PROGRESS MILESTONES:



4-Milliken: Community Impact Study -Vulnerable Populations-Shelter Capabilities Planning

PRIORITY: High

HAZARDS ADDRESSED: All Hazards

LOCATION: Milliken

GOALS ADDRESSED: I-4

RECOMMENDATION DATE: 07.31.2021

OBJECTIVES ADDRESSED: A, B, C, D, E

TARGET COMPLETION DATE:
12.31.2021

LIFELINE: Public Safety
SUBCOMPONENT: All

ISSUE: Due to the potential impact of severe storms, long term power outages, tornados, proximity of hazmat routes and the lack of sheltering capabilities in the community; the impact by natural hazards and cascading events would require Milliken to acquire outside assistance to shelter local residents.

RECOMMENDATION: Conduct a Community Impact study to identify vulnerable areas and neighborhoods that be greatly impacted by identified high ranking natural hazards or the cascading effects of natural hazards. Identify shelter locations, that include generators, capability to sustain winds up to 200 mph, cots, blankets and maintain supplies for emergency provisions. Provide Train the Trainer course to include preparation for all hazards that could impact the community. Update Emergency planning to include early warning procedures and sheltering/shelter-in-place protocols. Harden infrastructure systems to prevent long term disruption of services and supplies. Identify and obtain grant funding for all components of above projects.

ACTION: identifying shelters and designating them as critical facilities

- providing backup power through fixed generators
- mitigating the shelters against hazards (wind, flood, fire, etc.)
- building safe rooms or shelters for identified vulnerable areas that need them

LEAD AGENCY: Town of Milliken

EXPECTED COST: Staff Time

SUPPORT AGENCIES: Weld OEM

POTENTIAL FUNDING SOURCES: TBD

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PROGRESS MILESTONES: