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**GREEN RIVER AREA DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT
HAZARD MITIGATION COUNCIL**

January 22, 2020

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The Green River Area Development District (GRADD) Hazard Mitigation Council met on Wednesday, January 22, 2020, at 10:00 a.m., at the GRADD office in Owensboro, Kentucky. The following persons were in attendance:

MEMBERS PRESENT

Jeremy Moore, Webster County EM
Ted Self, City of Corydon
Trey Pedley, OMPC
Greg Noel, Union County EM
Buzzy Newman, City of Henderson
Vicki Hughes, City of Island
Charlie Shields, Ohio County EM
Patsy Mayfield, City of Whitesville
Andy Ball, Daviess County EM
Jesse Johnson, City of Livermore
Matthew Warren, OMPC

Al Mattingly, Daviess County Fiscal Court
Kenny Garrett, Henderson County EM
George Chinn, City of Hartford
Vicky Connor, Daviess County EM
Betty Howard, City of Sacramento
Jason Geary, City of Hartford
Pat Hardesty, KY EM
Lelan Hancock, City of Owensboro
Tyler Gentry, City of Sturgis
Cindy Carr, City of Sturgis
Seth Lawson, State Farm

GUESTS PRESENT

Sandra Pinel, CISA
Joe Kendall, CISA
Chandra Woolums, CISA

Drew Andrews, USGS
Jennifer Alvey, GRADD
Blake Edge, GRADD

I. CALL TO ORDER

Jeremy Moore called the meeting to order and welcomed those in attendance.

David Johnston, Chairman ■ Brad Schneider, Vice Chairman ■ Al Mattingly, Jr., Secretary ■ Steve Henry, Treasurer ■ Jiten Shah, Executive Director

II. OLD BUSINESS

A. Approval of Minutes

The minutes of the July 10, 2019, meeting of the GRADD Hazard Mitigation Council were presented for approval.

A motion was made by Pat Hardesty and seconded by Betty Howard to approve the minutes of the July 10, 2019, meeting of the GRADD Hazard Mitigation Council. A vote was taken and the motion carried.

III. NEW BUSINESS

A. Nominating Committee

The nominating committee recommended Jeremy Moore and Buzzy Newman serve as chairman and vice-chairman, respectively for another term.

A motion was made by Trey Pedley and seconded by Kenny Garrett to approve the nominating committee's recommendation of chairman and vice-chairman. A vote was taken and the motion carried.

B. 2021 Hazard Mitigation Plan Update

Blake Edge gave an update on the plan process to-date. He discussed the value of the plan for each jurisdiction in the GRADD region and the planning strategy for the update process. Mr. Edge presented the timeline of the process, which began in the fall of 2019 with the risk assessment, and is currently in the mitigation strategy phase of the community meetings. The plan will be completed for review in the summer of 2020 and will be ready for adoption by each community in the fourth quarter of 2020.

C. Seismic Study

Drew Andrews presented an update of the seismic study currently being performed for the GRADD region. He discussed project goals and deliverables for participants in the study and mentioned the timeline of the project. Mr. Andrews will have some final mapping complete to present at the July Hazard Mitigation Council meeting.

D. Pilot Project Update

Dr. Sandra Pinel and Chandra Woolums gave an update on the Pilot Project with the Department of Homeland Security, FEMA, KY Emergency Management, University of Kentucky, and GRADD. This project is studying the dependencies and resiliency of the area infrastructure. Dr. Pinel discussed the process to-date and gave an overview of the study's scope

of work. The first community meeting to discuss the project and do a trial run with data will take place this week in Whitesville. The goal of the project is a repeatable process that can be used by other units of government around the United State.

IV. OTHER BUSINESS AND OPEN DISCUSSION

None.

V. ADJOURNMENT

With no further business to come before the council, the meeting was adjourned.

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