

10.2.14 Town of Hamptonburgh

This section presents the jurisdictional annex for the Town of Hamptonburgh.

10.2.14.1 Contacts

Primary and secondary contacts regarding this plan are identified as follows:

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10.2.14.2 Municipal Profile

Population

The population of the Town of Hamptonburgh was five thousand, five hundred sixty-one (5,561) during the 2010 census; this is an increase of 18.7% over the 2000 census of four thousand, six hundred eighty-six (4,686).

Location

The Town of Hamptonburgh is located within the northcentral portion of Orange County. It is bordered to the north by the Town of Montgomery, to the northeast by the Town of New Windsor, to the southeast by the Town of Blooming Grove, to the southwest by the Town of Goshen, and to the west by the Town of Wallkill.

Brief History

Originally granted from a patent in the early 1700s, the Town was officially established in 1830 from lands of the Towns of Goshen, Blooming Grove, and Montgomery. The name originates from an early settler, William Bull, who hailed from Wolverhampton, England.

Hamptonburgh is largely agricultural. Campbell Hall, a hamlet within the Town, is home to America's first butter factory.

Governing Body

The Town is governed by the Supervisor and a four (4) member Council Board. The titles of Highway Superintendent and Town Clerk are also elected positions.

Future Growth

The Town has a Metro-North train station, making it an easily accessible suburb for commuters to New Jersey and New York. The majority of the Town is zoned Rural Preserve and Low-Density Single-Family Residential. Review of recent Planning Board meeting minutes did not indicate any major developments. The Town's goal is to grow while sustaining the existing prevalent natural resources.

10.2.14.3 Hazard Vulnerabilities and Ranking

Risk Ranking

The Town selected the following hazards to address, seen in Table 10.2.14a. Vulnerability was decided based on frequency of occurrence and severity of impact.

Table 10.2.14a: Hazard Vulnerability by Event	
Hazard Event	Vulnerability
Flood	Moderately High
Severe Storm/ Severe Thunderstorm	Moderately High
Extreme Temperatures	Moderately High
Hurricane	Moderately High
Earthquake	Moderately Low
Tornado	Moderately Low
Winter Storm	Moderately Low
Ice Storm	Moderately Low
Drought	Moderately Low
Wildfire	Low
Ice Jam	Low
Landslide	Low

Critical Facilities

A list of community Critical Facilities was generated to aid in mitigation planning. The following table summarizes the number of these facilities within the Town of Hamptonburgh which may be impacted by any of the previously noted hazards.

This information was used to identify potential needed improvements to existing Critical Facilities. Critical facilities were identified by the Town as meeting this definition: “Any structure(s) and/or infrastructure within a community whose incapacity or destruction would:

- Have a debilitating impact on the defense or economic security of that community.
- Significantly hinder a community’s ability to recover following a disaster.”

Discretion was left up to the participating jurisdiction to select these facilities.

Table 10.2.14b: Critical Facility and Infrastructure Counts by Category			
Transportation	Government Services	Emergency Services	Educational/ Shelter and Evacuation Facilities
1	1	1	2

Locations of the government building, emergency services, and educational facilities are noted in the table below.

Table 10.2.14c: Location of CFI	
Facility Name	Address
Transportation	
Metro North	Watkins Drive
Government	
Town Hall	18 Bull Road
Emergency Services	
Campbell Hall Fire District	13 Maybrook Road
Educational/Shelter	
AHRC	28 Bull Road
Campbell Hall Rehabilitation Center	23 Kiernan Road

None of these facilities are located within the 500-year floodplain.

The Town of Hamptonburgh has two (2) critical facilities within the 500-year floodplain or the high hazard Landslide Rating¹ area. The following table identifies the structures and hazard issues.

Table 10.2.14d: Town of Hamptonburgh Critical Facilities and Infrastructure			
Critical Infrastructure	500-Yr Floodplain	Landslide Rating Area	Associated Mitigation Action
Mendelson Pond Dam	Y	N	N/A
Thomas Bull Memorial Park	Y	Y	N/A

¹ Areas with a landslide rating in of greater than 37 are considered hazardous. The data was derived from HAZUS software analysis.

As indicated in Section 2.8, participating municipalities did not wish to disclose the locations of public water systems facilities due to security concerns. However, they acknowledge the criticality of such facilities. While it is assumed that most municipal water systems facilities are not located within the floodplain, these jurisdictions will explore hardening/relocation opportunities for those that are located within the floodplain should such actions become necessary due to the incidence of flooding impacts.

By necessity, critical wastewater facilities are located within the 500-year floodplain due to discharge requirements and gravity-fed systems optimization. While relocation is neither desired nor feasible, participating municipalities will seek to harden these facilities where feasibly and fiscally possible.

Table 2.8a – Orange County NPDES Data lists all wastewater facilities in the County, including the Town of Hamptonburgh, with a NPDES (National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System) permit. In the case of New York State, NPDES permit listing match State Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (SPDES) permit listings.

Priority Hazard Events

The following sections detail the priority hazard events identified by the jurisdiction. Additional information about each hazard including frequency, history, and severity within Orange County is included within Section 5.0 of the main body of the Hazard Mitigation Plan (Volume I).

The probability of climate-related hazard events is generally expected to increase in the future within the Town of Hamptonburgh. This anticipated increase results from the expected increase in weather volatility associated with climate change. The Wallkill River and Moodna Creek Watersheds contribute to increased flooding occurrences.

Past occurrences of hazard events are indicated in their respective profiles below. Some hazards may not have locally available documentation of past occurrence, but are nonetheless profiled in this annex to instill future mitigation planning consideration.

Flood

The major hydrology influencing waterbodies within the Town of Hamptonburgh are the Otter Kill Creek and Wallkill River.

FEMA's Flood Insurance Mapping Program designates areas that are at risk for flooding; low flood risk are areas unlikely to flood, moderate risk are areas within the 500-year floodplain (.2% likely to flood in any given year), and high risk are areas that frequently flood, up to the 100-year flood risk zone (1% likely to flood in any given year).

Total Land Area (Acres)	100-yr Flood Risk Area	500-yr Flood Risk Area	Low Risk Flood Area
16,944	2,293 (14%)	460 (3%)	14,191

Additionally, 8.8% of the Town's improved value areas (defined as property that is either actively utilized or has been developed) are located within the high or moderate risk flood areas (91.2% is within low risk areas).

The National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) tracks properties that have had several claims. One (1) residential property in the Town of Hamptonburgh is a repetitive flood loss property. This property is also considered to be a severe repetitive loss property. See Table 8.2c for more on NFIP Repetitive Loss and Severe Repetitive Loss Properties.

The Town (ID 360617) joined NFIP on April 5, 1974. As of January 31, 2018, there are a total of thirty (30) active policies, representing \$7,218,600 in value. See the NFIP discussion in Section 10.2.14.4 below for more.

Below is a table that illustrates the value of property in the Town of Hamptonburgh that is located within the 500-year floodplain and is categorized by land use type. This table was derived from FEMA floodplain mapping and parcel data from the Orange County Property Assessor.

Type of Structure	# Structures in Hazard Area	Value of Structures (in millions)
Residential	250	\$50.0
Commercial	4	\$3.0
Industrial	0	\$0
Agricultural	20	\$5.0
Religious/Non-profit	0	\$0
Government	0	\$0
Education	0	\$0
Utilities	4	\$3.0
Dams	1	Unknown
Parks	1	Unknown
Total	280	\$61.0

Historical Occurrence:

No historical events were recorded specific to the Town of Hamptonburgh within the previous ten (10) years according to NOAA's Storm Events Database.

Extreme Temperatures

For a description of this hazard, please see section 5.1.

Historical Occurrence:

In the past ten (10) years there is no record of any Extreme Temperatures that have explicitly impacted the Town of Hamptonburgh, however, there have been a number of recorded occurrences within Orange County. The information can be found in the main body of the document.

Severe Storm/Severe Thunderstorm

For a description of these hazards, please see section 5.2.

Historical Occurrence:

In the past ten (10) years there is no record of any Severe Storms or Severe Thunderstorms that have explicitly impacted the Town of Hamptonburgh, however, there have been a number of recorded occurrences within Orange County. The information can be found in the main body of the document.

Tornado

For a description of this hazard, please see section 5.2.

Historical Occurrence:

In the past ten (10) years there is no record of any Tornadoes that have explicitly impacted the Town of Hamptonburgh, however, there have been a number of recorded occurrences within Orange County. The information can be found in the main body of the document.

Hurricane/Coastal Storms

For a description of these hazards, please see section 5.3.

Historical Occurrence:

In the past ten (10) years there is no record of any Hurricanes or Coastal Storms that have explicitly impacted the Town of Hamptonburgh, however, there have been a number of recorded occurrences within Orange County. The information can be found in the main body of the document.

Drought

For a description of this hazard, please see section 5.5.

Historical Occurrence:

In the past ten (10) years there is no record of any Droughts that have explicitly impacted the Town of Hamptonburgh, however, there have been a number of recorded occurrences within Orange County. The information can be found in the main body of the document.

Earthquake

For a description of this hazard, please see section 5.7.

Historical Occurrence:

In the past ten (10) years there is no record of any Earthquakes that have explicitly impacted the Town of Hamptonburgh, however, there have been a number of recorded occurrences within Orange County. The information can be found in the main body of the document.

Winter Storm

Winter storms create damage due to snowfall and winds, with occasional sleet, freezing rain, or hail occurring. Snowfall impairs visibility, obstructs roadways and facilities, and cause tree limbs to fall and roofs to collapse due to weight. It also creates slick roadways which can be compounded further by sleet or freezing rain events.

Numerous winter storm events have affected the Town of Hamptonburgh and remain a high risk storm event.

Wildfire

Wildfires can be caused by natural hazards (lightning) but are much more often manmade, either accidental in cause or arson. These most often occur during the summer, associated with the drier conditions which allow vegetation and brush to readily burn.

According to the 2011 Orange County Hazard Mitigation Plan, the Town of Hamptonburgh wildfire risk zone is twenty-six (26) percent. No historical occurrences are noted with the Town.

While the affected areas are usually uninhabited, these events can have long term implications on the Town's resources as well as discourage the tourism industry.

Ice Jam

Ice jams occur during alternating periods of freeze and thaw and sheets of ice are transported downstream; areas of constricted flow, such as bridges, experience a build of these sheets of ice. This can result in flash flooding as the water builds up behind these jams.

There is potential for an ice jam to occur on the Wallkill River or Otter Kill Creek, though no historical occurrences are noted within the Town.

Historical Occurrence:

According to the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE), the Wallkill River has seen fifty-four (54) ice jams since 1875. Six (6) of these have occurred five (5) miles east of Hamptonburgh, in the hamlet of Phillipsburg. No further details are given.

Ice Storm

For a description of this hazard, please see section 5.8.

Historical Occurrence:

In the past ten (10) years there is no record of any ice storms that have explicitly impacted the Town of Hamptonburgh, however, there have been a number of recorded occurrences within Orange County. The information can be found in the main body of the document.

10.2.14.4 Capability Assessment

Planning and Regulatory Capability

Table 10.2.14g: Legal and Regulatory Capabilities for Town of Hamptonburgh		
Regulatory Tools for Hazard Mitigation	Description	Responsible Department/Agency
Codes and/or Ordinances	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2010 Residential Code of NYS • 2010 Fire Code of NYS • 2010 Building Code of NYS • 2010 Exiting Building Code of NYS • 2010 Energy Conservation Construction Code of NYS • 2010 Plumbing Code of NYS • 2010 Mechanical Code of NYS • 2010 Fuel Gas Code of NYS • Zoning Ordinance (2013) • Subdivision Ordinance (2013) • Floodplain Ordinance 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Building Department • Building Department • Building Department • Building Department • Building Department • Building Department • Building Department • Building Department • Planning Board • Planning Board • Planning Board
Plans, Manuals, and/or Guidelines	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Stormwater Management • Comprehensive Plan (2008) • Local Emergency Operations Plan • Continuity of Operations 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning Board • Planning Board • Planning Board • Planning Board
Studies	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • FIRM Flood Insurance Rate Maps, 2009 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Town Board/Building Department

Administrative and Technical

Table 10.2.14h: Summary of Administrative and Technical Staff Capabilities for Town of Hamptonburgh		
Staff/Resources	Ⓟ	Notes
Chief Building Official	Ⓟ	Full Time
Floodplain Administrator	Ⓟ	Full Time
Emergency Manager	Ⓟ	Highway Department
Community Planner	Ⓟ	Part Time
Civil Engineer	Ⓟ	Part Time
GIS Coordinator/HAZUS	Ⓟ	Part Time
Grant Writer	Ⓟ	-
Maintenance Programs to Reduce Risk (tree trimming, etc.)	Ⓟ	-
Mutual Aid Agreements	Ⓟ	Highway/Fire Codes

Fiscal Capabilities

Table 10.2.14i: Fiscal Opportunities for the Town of Hamptonburgh		
Financial Resources	Accessible or Eligible to Use (Yes, No, Don't Know)	Comments
Community Development Block Grants	No	-
Capital Improvements Project funding	Yes	Various projects
Authority to levy taxes for specific purposes	Yes	Various projects
Fees for water, sewer, gas, or electric service	Yes	Various projects
Impact fees for homebuyers or new developments/homes	Yes	Various projects
Incur debt through general obligation bonds	Yes	Bond
Federal/State Funding	Yes	FEMA, Grants

NFIP: Administrator, Vulnerability, Resources, Compliance

The Town (ID 360617) joined NFIP on April 5, 1974. As of January 31, 2018, there are a total of thirty (30) active policies, representing \$7,218,600 in value. There have been thirty-five (35) paid loss claims totaling \$584,890 since 1978 within the Town of Hamptonburgh.

The NFIP Administrator is the Code Enforcement Officer and the Town is considered to be in compliance. The Town has been maintaining NFIP participation by performing the duties and

actions that were listed in the local laws that their municipal boards adopted. (Local Law #1 of 2009)

The Town’s Floodplain Administrator has been provided a NFIP best practices incorporation guidance document and will be using it to improve local participation in NFIP standards going forward. This package of documents was provided by NYSDHSES and can be found in Appendix F - NFIP Floodplain Administrator Guidance Package.

Hazard Mitigation: Existing and Planning Mechanisms

Emergency Communications, Routes, and Shelters:

Orange County utilizes the CodeRED Emergency Communications System. The Town of Hamptonburgh has a newsletter email subscription mechanism on its website. However, the Town does not describe any other emergency communications systems on its website. The Town follows emergency route rules set by Orange County. The Town has one (1) designated emergency shelter: Orange County Ski Lodge (217 State Route 416, Montgomery, NY 12549). More information on these sites can be found in Attachment III.

Comprehensive Plan:

The Town’s Comprehensive Plan addresses natural resource concerns such as wetland and watercourses; no specific details on hazard mitigation are addressed.

Planning Mechanisms:

While this annex has provided a summary and description of existing plans, policies, and regulatory mechanisms that support hazard mitigation, the 2018 Orange County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update is intended to allow for the integration of its recommendations and data into local plans. Listed below are several planning and policy mechanisms that lend themselves to the integration of materials and objectives from this hazard mitigation plan. Columns to the right indicate whether the municipality has utilized hazard mitigation planning elements in the past (as in the aftermath of a previous local hazard mitigation plan) and whether they intend to be utilized in the future (which most, if not all, do).

Table 10.2.14j: Incorporation of Hazard Mitigation Planning into Existing and Future Planning Mechanisms		
Planning Mechanism	Has been Utilized	May be Utilized
Capital Improvement Budget: Hazard Mitigation Actions to be considered during the development of annual capital improvement plans. Compliance with Hazard Mitigation goals and objectives as well as the hazard vulnerability of site will be a consideration during the evaluation of infrastructure and facilities projects.		X
Operating Budget: Hazard Mitigation Actions to be considered within day-to-day operating budgets as funding permits.		X
Building & Zoning Ordinances: Review of the hazard mitigation plan and hazard analyses are part of the evaluation of land use, zoning, and development review ordinances and permitted processes.		X

Table 10.2.14j: Incorporation of Hazard Mitigation Planning into Existing and Future Planning Mechanisms		
Planning Mechanism	Has been Utilized	May be Utilized
Comprehensive Land Use Plan: Elements such as hazard vulnerability and hazard area extents will be considered during the development of future land use maps and other elements of comprehensive planning.		X
Human Resource Manual: Employee job descriptions may contain elements related to hazard mitigation planning and associated recommendations.		X
Grant Applications: Support for funding requests in the form of data, maps, and priority recommendations will be drawn from the hazard mitigation plan.		X
Fire Plan: Fire Plans for the municipality and local fire departments can utilize data and mapping in the hazard mitigation plan.		X
Local School Service Projects: Municipal officials and staff can explore the possibility of collaboration with local school districts to provide avenues for student community service projects as well as educational opportunities.		X
Economic Development: Local chambers of commerce and other economic development agencies can utilize the hazard mitigation plan to better inform new/expanding businesses in finding a location.		X

Summary

This Plan will be used to inform the Town’s Comprehensive Plan, Town Codes, and provide guidance on actions moving forward.

10.2.14.5 Mitigation Strategy and Prioritization

Past, Completed, and Ongoing Initiatives

No past, completed, or ongoing initiatives have been identified by the Town.

Proposed Initiatives

Table 10.2.14k: Mitigation Actions/Projects Identified by Town of Hamptonburgh			
Action	Description	Involved Agency(ies)	Funding Source(s)
HT-1	NYS Route 207 Railroad bridge is significant impediment to emergency response. Bridge replacement.	MTA	NYS, MTA, U.S. DOT, FRA, HMPG, Member Initiatives
HT-2	NYS Route 208 Railroad bridge is significant impediment to emergency response. Bridge Replacement.	MTA	NYS, MTA, U.S. DOT, FRA, HMPG, Member Initiatives
HT-3	Twin Arch Road Railroad bridge is significant impediment to emergency response. Bridge Replacement.	MTA	NYS, MTA, U.S. DOT, FRA, HMPG, Member Initiatives

Table 10.2.14k: Mitigation Actions/Projects Identified by Town of Hamptonburgh			
Action	Description	Involved Agency(ies)	Funding Source(s)
HT-4	Otter Road repeat flooding; significant impediment to emergency response. Install stormwater drainage and elevate roadway out of floodway.	Hwy Dept., USACE, NYSDEC, Orange County	HMPG, Member Initiatives
HT-5	Twin Arch Road repeat flooding strands 50+residents; significant impediment to emergency response.	Hwy Dept., USACE, NYSDEC, Orange County	HMPG, Member Initiatives
HT-6	Acquisition of repetitive loss (RL) and severe repetitive loss (SRL) properties within municipal limits.	Town Board, Hwy Dept., Building Dept.	FEMA, NYS OEM

STAPLEE forms were completed for each of these actions. A table with these evaluations can be found in Attachment II of this jurisdictional annex.

“STAPLEE” refers to the following lenses of evaluation: social, technological, administrative, political, legal, economic, and environmental.

Future Needs

No future needs have been identified by the Town.

10.2.14.6 Hazard Area Extent and Location

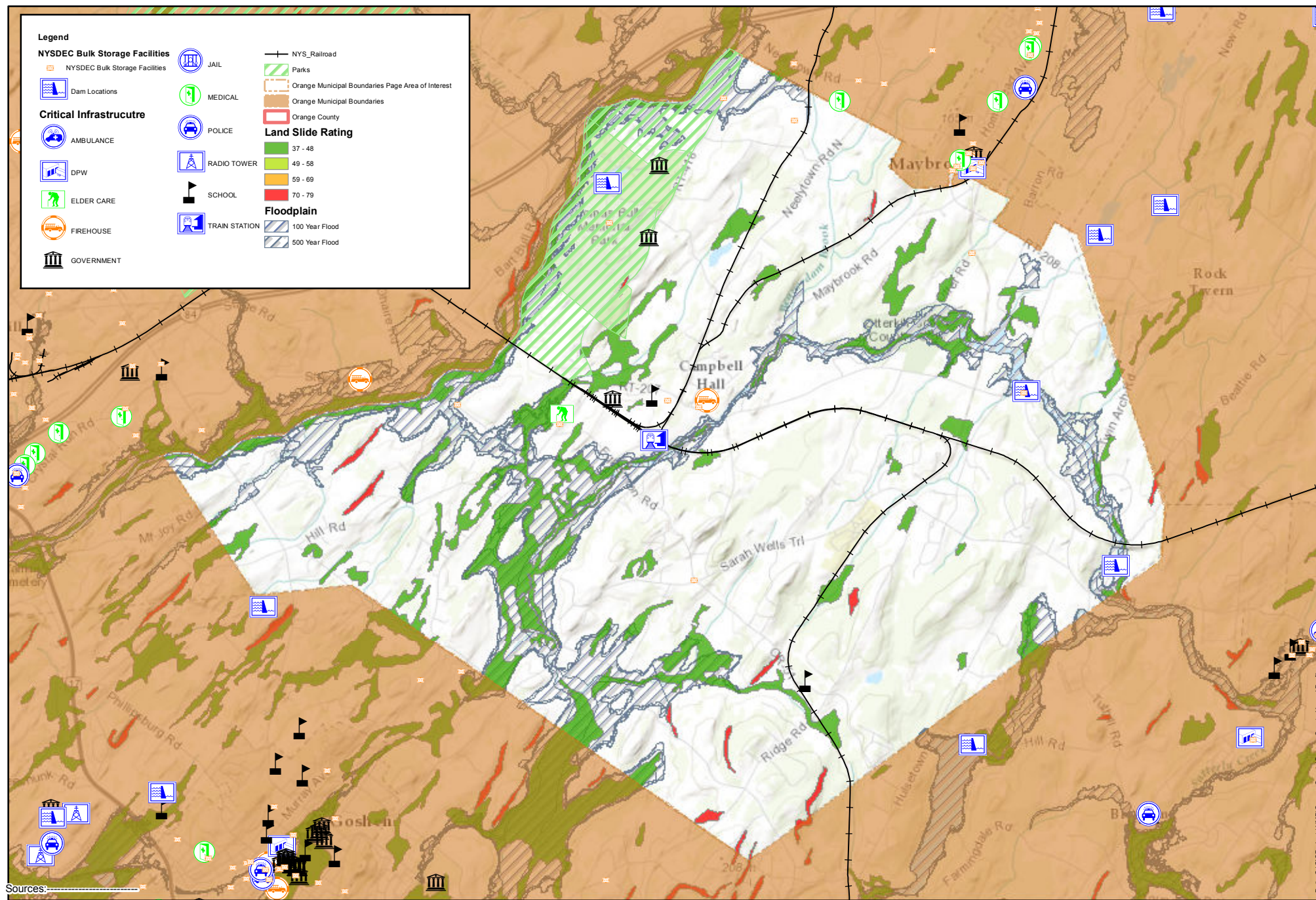
A map demonstrating the location of certain hazard areas is attached as Attachment I.

Attachment I

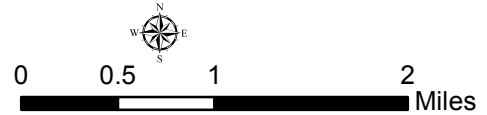
Hazard Area Extent and Location Map - Town of Hamptonburgh

Legend

NYSDEC Bulk Storage Facilities	JAIL	NYS Railroad
Dam Locations	MEDICAL	Parks
Critical Infrastructure	POLICE	Orange Municipal Boundaries Page Area of Interest
AMBULANCE	RADIO TOWER	Orange County
DPW	SCHOOL	Land Slide Rating
ELDER CARE	TRAIN STATION	37 - 48
FIREHOUSE		49 - 58
GOVERNMENT		59 - 69
		70 - 79
		Floodplain
		100 Year Flood
		500 Year Flood



Sources:



Orange County Hazard Mitigation Plan
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Attachment II

STAPLEE Mitigation Action Cost/Benefit Analysis - Town of Hamptonburgh

STAPLEE Criteria Consideration Tables
Mitigation Action Prioritization and Comparison

Jurisdiction: Town of Hamptonburgh

Action ID	Action	S	T	A	P	L	E	E	Can action be easily implemented?	Does action achieve multiple plan objectives?	Can action be quickly implemented?	Level of action benefits	Level of action overall costs	Priority ranking
		+ = benefit (favorable), - = cost (unfavorable), 0 = neutral or N/A											Levels = high, medium, or low	
HT-1	NYS Route 207 Railroad Bridge Rehabilitation / Replacement: a significant impediment to emergency response.	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	-	0	-	High	High	High
HT-2	NYS Route 208 Railroad Bridge Rehabilitation / Replacement: a significant impediment to emergency response.	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	-	0	-	High	High	High
HT-3	Twin Arch Road Railroad Bridge Rehabilitation / Replacement: a significant impediment to emergency response.	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	-	0	-	High	High	High
HT-4	Otter Road Reconstruction: repeat flooding; significant impediment to emergency response.	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	-	0	-	High	High	High
HT-5	Twin Arch Road Reconstruction: repeat flooding strands 50+ residents; significant impediment to emergency response.	+	+	-	+	+	-	+	-	0	-	High	High	High
HT-6	Acquisition of repetitive loss and severe repetitive loss properties within municipal limits	0	+	0	0	+	0	+	0	+	0	High	Medium	High

Attachment III

**Hazard Mitigation Worksheets -
Town of Hamptonburgh**

Mitigation Actions and Strategy Detail Worksheet

Action Worksheet	
Name of Jurisdiction	TN OF Hampton BURGENT
Name of Hazard Mitigation Plan	
Potential Actions/Projects (not being implemented at this time)	
Action/Project Number	
Name of Action/Project	NYS RT 207 RR. BRIDGE
Summary of Evaluation: Benefits (losses avoided), estimated costs, and other factors considered	SIGNIFICANT IMPROVEMENT TO EMERGENCY RESPONSE
Plan for Implementation	
Responsible Organization	MTA (STATE)
Action/Project Priority	HIGH
Potential Funding Sources	STATE OF N.Y. M.T.A. U.S. DOT
Other assisting organizations, entities, etc.	—
Local planning mechanisms to be used in project/action implementation, if any	—
Progress Report	
Date of status report	
Report of progress	
Evaluation of effectiveness	

Mitigation Actions and Strategy Detail Worksheet

Action Worksheet	
Name of Jurisdiction	TM OF HAMPTONBURGH
Name of Hazard Mitigation Plan	
Potential Actions/Projects (not being implemented at this time)	
Action/Project Number	
Name of Action/Project	OTHER RD.
Summary of Evaluation: Benefits (losses avoided), estimated costs, and other factors considered	REPERT FLOODING 2000' IMPENDING EMERGENCY RESPONSE 4 mil. project
Plan for Implementation	
Responsible Organization	TOH
Action/Project Priority	HIGH
Potential Funding Sources	HAZARD MITIGATION GRANT/MEMBER IN
Other assisting organizations, entities, etc.	ARMY CORP, DEC. COUNTY OF ORANGE
Local planning mechanisms to be used in project/action implementation, if any	FLOOD PLAIN COORDINATOR STORM WATER MANAGEMENT
Progress Report	
Date of status report	
Report of progress	
Evaluation of effectiveness	

Orange County
Multi-Jurisdictional All Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan
Emergency Shelter Questionnaire

Name of Your Municipality:	<u>Town of Hamptonburgh</u>
Common Name of Your Emergency Shelter:	<u>Orange County Ski Lodge</u>
Street Address of Your Emergency Shelter:	<u>217 State Route 416</u>
	<u>Montgomery, NY 12549</u>
Name of the Owner of Your Emergency Shelter:	<u>County of Orange</u>
Name of the Regular Occupant of Your Emergency Shelter:	<u>Orange County Department of Parks</u>

Name of Jurisdiction: _____

**RESOLUTION
TO AUTHORIZE THE ACCEPTANCE AND ADOPTION OF THE
MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE FOR
ORANGE COUNTY, NEW YORK**

WHEREAS, the Orange County Department of Emergency Services, with the assistance from Barton & Loguidice, D.P.C., has gathered information and prepared the Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update for Orange County, New York; and

WHEREAS, the Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update for Orange County, New York has been prepared in accordance with the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 and Title 44 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Part 201; and

WHEREAS, Title 44 CFR, Chapter 1, Part 201.6(c)(5) requires each local government participating in the preparation of a Multi-Jurisdictional Mitigation Plan or Plan Update to accept and adopt such plan; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Hamptonburgh, has reviewed the 2016 Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update for Orange County, has found the document to be acceptable, and as a local unit of government, has afforded its citizens an opportunity to comment and provide input regarding the Plan Update and the actions included in the Plan;

WHEREAS, the Town of Hamptonburgh, will consider the Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update for Orange County during the implementation and updating of local planning mechanisms, and will incorporate the hazard assessment data, hazard vulnerabilities, and mitigation actions in these mechanisms, where applicable;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town of Hamptonburgh, as a participating jurisdiction, adopts the Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update for Orange County, New York, dated May 2016.

This resolution was thereupon declared duly adopted on _____.

(Supervisor)

(Clerk)