

October 23, 2019

**Pasco County Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee
Local Mitigation Strategy Working Group Meeting
Pasco County EOC, 8744 Government Drive, New Port Richey, FL**

***Meeting was opened by Ian Eppig, Emergency Management Coordinator @ 2:02 pm; verified that WebEx system was functioning properly**

- **Welcome:**
 - **Role called included WebEx Meeting Attendees**
 - **Ian E. briefly went over meeting agenda**
 - **Introduced new Emergency Management staff**
 - **Sarah Salgado, Nolan Ristau will function as project coordinators while he will focus more on LMS**
 - **Introductions in EOC**
 - **Included introductions from WebEx attendees**
 - **Ian E. verified public notice posted on-line and emailed; approval of minutes from 6/12/2019 meeting**
 - **Ian motioned; Darryl Johnson seconded**
 - **Guest Speakers were introduced by Ian E. to present:**
 - **CJ Reynolds, Tampa Bay Regional Planning Committee**
 - **Reviewed PowerPoint on Regional LMS, Resiliency**
 - **Talked about Summit, January 7 – 8, 2020 at the Hilton Carillon; www.summit.tbrpc.org for additional information**
 - **Cara Sierra, Tampa Bay Regional Committee**
 - **Reviewed PowerPoint on Hazard Mitigation Planning and LMS**
 - **Integrate climate into LMS**
 - **Usually takes approximately one year from start to finish to acquire property**
 - **Alan Biddlecomb/Mary Helen Dukes – County Planning**
 - **Discussed Pasco County's resiliency initiatives and newly creating working groups**
 - **Opened floor to questions**
 - **"Smart Charities" group rep question about homeowners' insurance**
 - **Pro-active education**

- **HMGP Updates:**
 - **Forest Hills:**
 - **Unit 2 – construction still under way**
 - **Reviewing contractors for rest of project**
- **CBDG-DR Updates by Hilary Bruno**
 - **Approximately 42% of Pasco residents are considered low to moderate income**
 - **212 houses qualify under this**
- **LMS Five-year update: Completed!**
 - **Stand alone for CWPP**
 - **Will be pulling THIRA to update**
 - **Level 3 for Michael HMGP money**
- **Next meeting will be January 21, 2020 which is Annual Update Meeting where we will be ranking projects**
- **Meeting adjourned at 1529 by I. Eppig, seconded by Alan Biddlecomb and Mary Helen Duke**