



## Emergency Management Agency

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**To: City and County Officials**

**From: Carroll County EMA**

**Date: June 21, 2021**

**Subject: Hazard Mitigation Plan Update**

To receive federal hazard mitigation funds, the county and cities must have a currently adopted hazard mitigation plan per the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000.

The previous multi-jurisdictional hazard mitigation plan was adopted in 2017 and is set to expire soon.

County EMA initiated this update in 2018, and performed the following tasks: updating hazard profiles, conducting a survey, working with city and county staff to update mitigation items, and conducting three public hearings for feedback (April 2019, October 2019, and December 2019). The county and city hazards identified in the plan include flooding, tornadoes, severe thunderstorms, tropical cyclones, winter storms, drought and wildfires, earthquakes, pandemics, hazardous spills, and dam failures.

Through the mitigation program, county and cities have received funds to upsize culverts after flooding events, put in generators in critical facilities such as water and wastewater plants, and purchase weather radios for critical facilities, among others.

This is not a static plan. If a disaster is declared that identifies new mitigation project areas, then the county or city can amend the plan to apply for the project, as was done by cities seeking funding for generators after the winter storm declaration.

The plan has been reviewed and approved by GEMA and FEMA (see attached letter).

It can be viewed on the website at: <https://ga-carrollcounty.civicplus.com/150/Emergency-Management-Agency>

If you have any questions, please contact Amy Goolsby at 770-830-5882 or [agoolsby@carrollcountyga.com](mailto:agoolsby@carrollcountyga.com).

# GEORGIA EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND HOMELAND SECURITY AGENCY

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DIRECTOR

June 18, 2021

Honorable Michelle Morgan  
Chairman  
Carroll County Board of Commissioners  
323 Newnan Street  
Room 200  
Carrollton, Georgia 30117

Dear Commissioner Morgan,

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has completed its review of the Carroll County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan for compliance with the programmatic requirements of the Federal Hazard Mitigation Planning Standards contained in 44 CFR Section 201.6(b)-(d). FEMA has determined that the Carroll County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update is compliant with Federal standards, subject to formal community adoption.

The county and each municipality must pass individual resolutions adopting the Plan. Please forward the adopted and signed resolutions to Lucy Herring, Hazard Mitigation Planning Specialist, so that we may submit them to FEMA for inclusion in your plan for formal federal review and approval. Upon submittal of a copy of the participating jurisdictions' adoption documentation as well as documentation of the final public meeting, FEMA will issue formal approval of the Carroll County Multi-jurisdictional Mitigation Plan. Should you have any questions or need additional information, please contact Lucy Herring, Hazard Mitigation Planning Specialist, at 404-635-7245.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "John V. Krolikowski".

John V. "Jack" Krolikowski  
Hazard Mitigation Deputy Manager

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Enclosure

cc: Tim Padgett, Director

Carroll County Emergency Management Agency

Carroll County Municipalities

Tim Reeve, Area Coordinator

Georgia Emergency Management and Homeland Security Agency



**FEMA**

June 15, 2021

Mr. Steven Clark  
Hazard Mitigation Manager  
Georgia Emergency Management and Homeland Security Agency  
P.O. Box 18055  
Atlanta, GA 30316-0055

Reference: Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan: Carroll County

Dear Mr. Clark:

This is to confirm that we have completed a Federal review of the draft Carroll County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan for compliance with the Federal hazard mitigation planning requirements contained in 44 CFR 201.6(b)-(d). We have determined that the Carroll County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan is now compliant with Federal requirements, subject to formal community adoption.

In order for our office to issue formal approval of the plan, Carroll County must submit adoption documentation. Upon submittal of a copy of documentation of the adoption resolution(s) to our office, we will issue formal approval of the Carroll County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan. Please have Carroll County submit a final copy of their Plan, without draft notations and tracked changes.

For further information, please do not hesitate to contact Stephen Juszczak, of the Hazard Mitigation Assistance Branch, at (229) 225-4636 or Lillian Huffman, of my staff, at (770) 220-5322.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Kristen M. Martinenza".

Kristen M. Martinenza, P.E., CFM  
Branch Chief  
Risk Analysis  
FEMA Region IV