

Floodplain Management Division July 2026

State Flood Hazard Mitigation Plan - Plan Update

The Nebraska Floodplain Management Division has received grant funds from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to update the State Flood Hazard Mitigation Plan. Updates are necessary to provide a plan for local communities to build on and better position Nebraska for future funding. Updates will be made to the critical facilities inventory, flood history, mitigation, and risk assessment sections, among others.

The following items summarize the Nebraska Floodplain Management Division's progress to date:

Plan Update Progress

- The Plan Update Committee Kick Off Meeting was held virtually on February 24, 2026. The presentation slides and recording of the meeting are available on the Plan web page for those who were unable to attend.
<https://dwee.nebraska.gov/floodplain/nebraska-flood-hazard-mitigation-plan>
- You will be notified as *draft* sections are available for your review and comment.
- The risk assessment tool has been run statewide, and data is being incorporated into the plan.
- A draft critical facilities database has been developed and submitted for review.

Projected Tasks for the next quarter (July through September)

- Continue updating sections of the plan and incorporating any comments received.
- Incorporate the risk assessment results into the relevant pieces of the plan.
- Continue updating the critical facilities database.

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