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THE

FINAL  
PLAN



LOCAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

2025

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## Plan Purpose

- Identify all natural hazards facing the Town
- Rank natural hazards according to local vulnerabilities
- Develop strategies to reduce risk posed by these hazards

The Local Hazard Mitigation Plan outlines a long-term strategy to reduce natural disaster losses and break the cycle of disaster damage, reconstruction, and repeated damage.

On June 2, 2026, the Federal Emergency Management Agency formally approved the 2025 Benson, Vermont Local Hazard Mitigation Plan. This renders the plan effective for five years, with an expiration date of June 1, 2031/

The local Planning Team is committed to involving the public in every step of the Plan development process, including the showcase of the formally approved Plan. A summary of public engagement activities and results are available for viewing in Appendix C.

## Thank You For Your Input

Your continued involvement matters to us. To ensure the Plan remains current and relevant, the Benson will conduct annual evaluation and monitoring. This will include seeking public comments from the whole community on plan implementation and modifying as needed.

View the FEMA approved Plan at the Town Office or online at:

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