

Goals and Objectives

Goals and Objectives provide specific direction for the city of Schuyler for reducing future hazard related losses. Goals are general guidelines that portray what Schuyler is striving to achieve. They are global and general ideas. Objectives are more specific in that they identify strategies and implementation steps that are required to achieve goals. Please review the following generic goals and objectives that are found in many Hazard Mitigation Plans:

Goal 1: Protect the Health and Safety of Residents

(Overall purpose of the plan)

Goal 2: Reduce Future Losses from Hazard Events

Objective 2.1: Provide protection for existing structures, future development, critical facilities, services, utilities and trees to the extent possible.

Objective 2.2: Develop hazard specific plans, conduct studies or assessments, and retrofit city to mitigate for hazards and minimize their impact.

Objective 2.3: Minimize and control the impact of hazard events through enacting or updating ordinances, permits, laws or regulations.

Goal 3: Increase Public Awareness and Educate on the Vulnerability to Hazards

Objective 3.1: Develop and provide information to residents and businesses about the types of hazards they are exposed to, what the effects of them may be, where they occur, and what they can do to be better prepared.

Goal 4: Improve Emergency Management Capabilities

Objective 4.1: Develop or improve City and/or County Emergency Response Plan and procedures and abilities.

Objective 4.2: Develop or improve Evacuation Plan and procedures.

Objective 4.3: Improve warning systems and ability to communicate to residents and businesses during and following a disaster or emergency.

Goal 5: Pursue Multi-Objective Opportunities Whenever Possible

Objective 5.1: When possible, use existing resources, agencies, and programs to implement the projects.

Objective 5.2: When possible implement projects that achieve several goals.

Do you agree with these Goals and Objectives for your jurisdiction? yes / no

If no, what comments, revisions, or additions do you have?
