



## **City of Lake Worth Beach**

### **Floodplain Management Plan Annual Progress Report 2021**

Date this Report was Prepared: November 17, 2021

Name of Community: City of Lake Worth Beach, Florida

Name of Plan: *Palm Beach County Unified Local Mitigation Strategy 2021 (LMS)*

May 14, 2021

5 Year CRS Expiration Date: March 1, 2026

#### *1. How can a copy of the original plan or area analysis report be obtained?*

The *Palm Beach County Unified Local Mitigation Strategy*, including the items that pertain specifically to the City of Lake Worth Beach, can be accessed online at the following website:

<http://discover.pbcgov.org/publicsafety/dem/Pages/Publications.aspx>

A copy of this report can be obtained from the City of Lake Worth Building Department at the following address:

1900 Second Avenue North  
Lake Worth, FL 33461  
561-586-1650

2. *Describe how this evaluation report was prepared and how it was submitted to the governing body, released to the media, and made available to the public:*

This evaluation report was prepared by the City of Lake Worth Beach after an evaluation of pertinent projects that have been completed, are currently underway, or are being considered for implementation.

The City has a number of action items that are included in the *Palm Beach County Unified LMS*. Current action items are updated regularly, and new action items are added as deemed appropriate. This report includes a summary of the action items designated for the City of Lake Worth Beach as they currently appear on the LMS and as they are updated by more timely information.

The report will be submitted to the Commission via memorandum from the City Manager. Furthermore, it has been uploaded to the City's website, making it available to the media and the public.

3. *Provide a description of the implementation of each recommendation or action item in the action plan or area analysis report, including a statement on how the project was implemented or not implemented during the previous year:*

The LMS Prioritized Project List (PPL) dated May 14, 2021 contains 73 projects ranked from 1 through 73. The City of Lake Worth has two projects on the 2021 PPL:

Rank Nov 2020	Rank May 2021	Project Description	Status November 2020	Status November 2021
2	1	17 <sup>th</sup> Avenue South Drainage Resiliency Improvements	Project under construction with reduced scope.	Project complete with reduced scope and functioning well
3	---*	18 <sup>th</sup> Avenue North Drainage Resiliency Improvements	Applied for HMGP-Hurricane Irma Funds, but rescinded application. Project released for construction with reduced scope.	Project in construction, nearly completed. Reduced scope
7	---*	Wellesley Dr/Holy Cross Lane Drainage Resiliency Improvements	Applied for HMGP-Hurricane Irma Funds, but rescinded application. Holy cross project completed. Wellesley project released for construction with reduced scope.	Wellesley Dr. Project in construction, nearly complete. Reduced scope.
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**\*Project removed from LMS Prioritized Project List**

4. *Discuss why any objectives were not reached or why implementation is behind schedule:*

Several objectives from this list have not been implemented due to budget constraints and lack of available funding. The City is pursuing grant opportunities and potential loans to fund some of the projects and add additional projects. The projects that are in construction are currently funded and the project in design is pursuing grant opportunities.

5. *What are the recommendations for new projects or revised recommendations?*

Some new projects that have been added to the City's Capital Improvement Program include a new Public Works Complex, Standby Generators at the City's raw water wells and lift station sites, Phase 2 Radio and SCADA upgrades for water and waste water system, 10<sup>th</sup> & 13<sup>th</sup> Ave N Stormwater Upgrades, and Parrot Cove Stormwater Resilience projects.