



CITY COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

DATE: April 3, 2023

FROM: Casey Welborn, Assistant Fire Chief

AGENDA ITEM: Consideration and possible action to approve Resolution No. 2023-03, adopting the Denton County Hazard Mitigation Action Plan.

SUMMARY:

- The Plan is updated approximately every five (5) years through Denton County and FEMA
- The Council adopted the County's previous Plan in 2016 by Resolution #02-02-16
- This Plan allows the City of Sanger to be eligible for financial assistance in a disaster
- By participating, Sanger can apply for grants provided by FEMA
- Staff provided the following mitigation actions to the County's Plan
 - Retrofit and/or build additional fire station on the East side of the railroad track with necessary equipment such as ATV to ensure emergency response during severe weather events
 - Retrofit and/or build additional fire station on West side of I-35 with necessary equipment such as ATV to ensure emergency response during severe weather events
 - Acquire and install generators with hard wired quick connections at all critical facilities
 - Upgrade/ Rebuild subgrade and repave several streets within city-limits
 - Implement individual tornado safe room rebate program
 - Purchase of a CASA (WX) Weather Radar System
 - Continue to promote use of Code Red system and public education program through utilizing media, social media, bulletins, flyers, etc. to educate citizens of hazards that can threaten the area and mitigation measures to reduce injuries, fatalities, and property damages
 - Improve drainage throughout city. Reconstruct creek waterways to correct drainage issues
 - Conduct soil analysis to determine the scope, impact, and extent of expansive soils
 - Conduct earthquake assessment study to determine the potential for earthquakes to affect public facilities and utilities

FISCAL INFORMATION:

Budgeted: N/A

Amount: N/A

GL Account: N/A

RECOMMENDED MOTION OR ACTION:

Staff recommends approval

ATTACHMENTS:

Resolution