

Miami-Dade Local Mitigation Strategy (LMS)

As part of the FY 2018-19 budget submission process, Departments will now be required to submit their Local Mitigation Strategy (LMS) project listing as part of their annual budget submission package. This is to ensure that departments are updating their LMS projects on an annual basis.

The primary purpose of the LMS is to establish an on-going process that will make hazard mitigation part of the County's annual routine. The LMS is a process whereby the County assesses its vulnerabilities to all types of hazards (i.e. hurricanes, tornados, wildfires, thunderstorms, marine hazards, floods, man-made hazards, lightening, etc.) and identifies a comprehensive list of goals, objectives, plans, programs and/or projects in an effort to decrease or eliminate the effects of those vulnerabilities, and then prioritizes the implementation of those initiatives. Most importantly, the purpose of the LMS plan is to satisfy the minimum Federal Emergency Management Agency local mitigation plan standards of acceptability to remain eligible for Federal and State disaster and non-disaster mitigation funding opportunities. The County's LMS Plan must be in accordance with the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 and must be updated every five years to remain compliant. The County's LMS is updated on an annual basis and the annual update is provided to the State by Jan 31st of each year. The County's LMS documents are posted on the County's website <http://www.miamidade.gov/fire/mitigation.asp>.

When submitting your LMS projects, please make sure these projects, if funded, are included in your Departmental capital projects listing as presented in the Proposed/Adopted budget books and if they are not funded, these projects should be included in your "Unfunded" departmental capital projects listing.

Below is a listing of departments that currently have LMS projects identified. If your departmental contact is incorrect and/or not listed, please contact the Office of Emergency Management to update. For those Departments that have **never submitted** an LMS project, please contact Cathie Perkins, Planning Bureau Manager in the Office of Emergency Management at 305.468.5429 or email her at perkins@miamidade.gov for more detailed information on how to get started. Because this process requires a detailed level of planning at the department level, it is extremely important that you start working with Cathie as soon as possible. Please keep in mind the budget submissions are due on February 12, 2018.

County Departments with active Projects on the LMS list as of January 2018

- Fire Rescue
- Libraries
- Parks Recreation and Open Spaces
- Police
- Public Housing and Community Development
- Regulatory and Economic Resources
- Transportation and Public Works
- Seaport
- Water and Sewer

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