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**McHenry County Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan Public Meeting**

WOODSTOCK, IL – A public meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 26<sup>th</sup>, at 7:00 pm in the McHenry County Administration Building, 667 Ware Road in Woodstock, to review the McHenry County Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan. The public is welcome to come review the plan and provide comment. The plan will also be available on the McHenry County website for review and comment.

The McHenry County Hazard Mitigation Plan will identify activities that can be undertaken by both the government and the private sector to reduce the safety hazards, health hazards, and property damage caused by floods, severe summer and winter storms, tornadoes, and other natural hazards. Upon adoption by the County Board, McHenry County and the participating municipalities and townships will be eligible for natural hazard mitigation funds through the Illinois Emergency Management Agency and the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

For more information, please contact Barry Valentine and 815/338-6400 or [blvalent@co.mchenry.il.us](mailto:blvalent@co.mchenry.il.us).

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