

# City of Sweet Home Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan Update



*Emergency preparedness and hazard mitigation planning involve preparing the individual and the community for hazards that may impact them.*

**Pleasant Valley Boat Ramp**

flow level 10-12 feet

April 8, 2019

*What concerns  
you?*



**Floods**  
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**Winter  
Storms**  
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**Earthquakes**  
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**Wind  
Storms**  
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## About the Plan

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The City of Sweet Home's existing Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan (NHMP) was updated in October of 2015. NHMPs must be updated every five years.

The City of Sweet Home is collaborating with the Oregon Department of Land Conservation and Development (DLCD) to update the NHMP. The updated NHMP will continue the City's eligibility for disaster-related funding.

A Steering Committee, chaired by the Sweet Home Community & Economic Development Director, Blair Larsen, works with DLCD staff to update the NHMP. The NHMP is targeted for completion by February 2022.

### Why engage in natural hazard mitigation planning?

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- **To avoid disasters** by reducing or eliminating long-term risk to people, property, and the environment from natural hazards.
- **To increase safety and resilience** by integrating hazard mitigation into the City's plans, programs, and policies.
- **To maintain eligibility** for disaster related funding.



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