



Hazard Mitigation Plan Public Meeting

Date: Oct 10, Weds., 7:00 p.m.
Plainfield Town Hall
304 Main Street

Plainfield residents and local businesses, as well as those of neighboring communities, are encouraged to attend and provide their feedback.

Help Plainfield prepare to weather natural disasters. **ATTEND THE MEETING AND RESPOND TO THE SURVEY** on the reverse and deliver to the Town Offices, or take it online here:



<https://tinyurl.com/PlainfieldHazard>

ARE YOU READY FOR WEATHER EXTREMES?

The Town of Plainfield is undergoing a planning effort to:

- assess the risks the town may face from natural hazards, such as flooding
- identify action steps that can be taken to prevent damage to property and loss of life, and
- prioritize funding for mitigation efforts to reduce or eliminate the long-term risk to human life and property.

Plainfield 2018 Hazard Mitigation Plan
Community Stakeholder Survey

The Town of Plainfield is producing its first **Hazard Mitigation Plan** with assistance from the Pioneer Valley Planning Commission and funding from the Massachusetts Executive Office of Energy and Environmental Affairs (EOEEA). Your participation is an important part of the planning process! Thank you for taking the time to complete this short survey, and please spread the word about the HMP to your neighbors and friends. *Please return completed surveys to Howard Bronstein at the Town Offices.*

1. Have you ever experienced a natural disaster in Plainfield such as a severe wind storm, flood, wildfire, or other type of natural disaster? (Circle one)

Yes No

2. If you answered "Yes" above, which natural disasters have you experienced? (Circle all that apply)

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| Drought | Severe Winter Weather/ Blizzard/
Ice Storm | Earthquake |
| Flood | Severe Storm or Hurricane | Landslide |
| Dam Failure | Extreme Temperatures | Other |
| Severe Wind/ Tornado/
Microburst | Wildfire | |

3. Please describe the event/s

4. How concerned are you about the following natural disasters affecting Plainfield in the future?

Hazard	Very Concerned	Somewhat Concerned	Neutral	Not Very Concerned	Not Concerned
Drought					
Flood					
Dam Failure					
Severe Wind/ Tornado/ Microburst					
Severe Winter Weather/Blizzard/ Ice Storm					
Severe Storm or Hurricane					
Extreme Temperatures					
Wildfire					
Earthquake					
Landslide					

5. What is the most effective way for you to receive information about how to make your household and home safer from natural disaster? (Circle all that apply)

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| Newspaper: stories, ads | Email newsletter | Online news outlets |
| TV: news, ads | Social media (eg. facebook, twitter) | Other (please specify) |
| Radio: news, ads | | |

See <http://www.pvpc.org/plans/town-plainfield-hazard-mitigation-plan> for information about the planning process.