

# Mitigation Discussion Topics Feedback Form 1

Jurisdiction/Community: \_\_\_\_\_

How to Encourage Building or Not Building - Tools to encourage development in low risk areas and not encourage development in high risk areas.

1. Currently Transfer of Development Rights (TDRs) and Purchase of Development Rights (PDRs) are used in the county to help preserve "resource" areas (agriculture and forestry lands).

- a. Should use of these tools be expanded to discourage development in high risk hazard areas?

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- b. How could local government best fund a PDR program that seeks to decrease development in high risk areas?

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2. The county currently requires a disclosure notice be signed for development to occur in areas at risk of a lahar.

- a. Should use of disclosure notices be expanded to include areas of high risk from other hazards?

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3. Do you have other ideas on how to encourage development in low risk areas and not encourage development in high risk areas of the county?

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# Mitigation Discussion Topics Feedback Form 2

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Accommodating Floods - Floods are what built the fertile farm land of the river valleys. And the frequency of flooding is projected to increase with climate change. Our challenge is how to live with floods.

1. Should local government pursue building code and land use strategies that increase off-channel storage of flood waters and decrease impacts to built structures?

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4. Should a basin wide coordinated diking district be used to coordinate funding resources for maintenance and repair?

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1. Do you have other ideas on how to encourage development that accommodates flooding?

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# Mitigation Discussion Topics Feedback Form 3

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## Resilient Community Design

1. Current electrical network design results in many properties being without power when there is an outage even if they have solar panels installed.
  - a. Should local governments work with the utilities to develop micro networks that can temporarily separate from the larger electric grid and operate on solar power?

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2. Communities that require the use of a car to access basic services are vulnerable to isolation without services during a disaster.
  - a. Should local governments encourage land use that creates communities where you can walk to access basic services?

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1. Do you have other ideas on how to encourage development of resilient communities?

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# Mitigation Discussion Topics Feedback Form 4

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Strengthening Community Social Networks - Communities with strong social networks are better able to respond and recover from disasters.

1. Land use mix and design can encourage or discourage social networks. A few examples include walking-accessible commercial or public gathering spaces, and grouped mail boxes.
  - a. Should local governments encourage land use mix and design that would strengthen social networks?

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2. Do you have other ideas on how to strengthen social networks in communities?

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Individual and Community Preparedness - The previous plan addresses preparedness through the following tools: emergency preparedness kits, CERT programs, Map Your Neighborhood, mapping of critical transportation routes, maintaining and strengthening early warning systems, and strengthening emergency operations capacity.

1. Are there any additional actions that would help with preparedness?

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