

Wheeler County Commissioners Court Adoption

NOTICE OF A PUBLIC HEARING ON THE ADOPTION OF THE WHEELER COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

The Wheeler County Commissioners Court will conduct a public hearing before considering final adoption of the recently completed 2025 Wheeler County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update on September 22, 2025 at 9:00 a.m. in the Commissioners Court Chambers at the Wheeler County Courthouse located at 401 S. Main St. Wheeler, Texas. This plan incorporates mitigation actions intended to minimize the impacts of certain natural hazards on the residents of the County.

The Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, as amended, requires that local governments develop, adopt, and update natural hazard mitigation plans in order to receive certain federal assistance. A Mitigation Action Team (MAT) comprised of representatives from Wheeler County, City of Mobeetie, City of Shamrock, City of Wheeler, Fort Elliott CISD, Kelton ISD, Shamrock ISD, and Wheeler ISD, was convened to assess the risks from and vulnerabilities to natural hazards that are endemic to the Wheeler County area, and to make recommendations on mitigating the effects of such hazards. The former hazard mitigation plan was adopted in 2018, and should be updated with FEMA at least every five (5) years.

A copy of the Wheeler County plan update is now available for review in the County Judge's office, City Halls, ISD Administration Building, or it may be reviewed online at:

<https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1hAFpK0q6xGMX03vYdr8MrGC6prAreKWe?usp=sharing>

The meeting is open to the public and members of the community are encouraged to attend to offer feedback and comment.