

Holmes County, FL

Risk-assessment baseline packet

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Summary

Plan status as of 2026-09-30: Approved, expires 2031-05-29. Plan: Holmes County (FEMA plan 111880), approved 2026-05-29.

Since the plan was approved on 2026-05-29: no new hazard declaration and 1 NOAA Storm Events record; details under "What changed since your last plan".

Highest expected annual loss (FEMA National Risk Index, modeled total; see B1-a): Hurricane (\$8,968,511 a year), Inland Flooding (\$2,761,447) and Tornado (\$1,225,217).

The tables that follow are organized by the items of FEMA's Local Mitigation Plan Review Tool, Element B (B1-a to B2-c); each heading says which item its tables support.

TERMS USED

EAL: expected annual loss: FEMA's modeled average yearly loss from a hazard.

NRI: FEMA's National Risk Index (version 1.20, December 2025).

NFIP: National Flood Insurance Program.

RL, SRL: repetitive loss and severe repetitive loss: flood-insured properties with repeated claims (definitions in B2-c).

FMA, HMGP: Flood Mitigation Assistance and Hazard Mitigation Grant Program, FEMA mitigation grants.

PA: FEMA Public Assistance: disaster aid to governments and some nonprofits.

Zone-level: NOAA logged the event for a National Weather Service forecast zone, which may include parts of neighboring counties.

County-coded: NOAA logged the event to this county.

FIPS: the federal code for a place; 12059 is this area.

D0 to D4: U.S. Drought Monitor categories, from abnormally dry (D0) to exceptional drought (D4).

F/EF, EFU: Fujita and Enhanced Fujita tornado ratings; EFU is an unrated tornado.

kt, CONUS: knots (1 kt is about 1.15 mph); the contiguous United States.

CFR: Code of Federal Regulations.

A4-a, E1-a: other items of FEMA's Local Mitigation Plan Review Tool (sources, and changes since the last plan).

Dollars: nominal (as reported, labeled with the year), not adjusted for inflation.

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Plan clock

Status:Approved, expires 2031-05-29Plan:Holmes County (FEMA plan 111880)

Approved:2026-05-29Days to expiry:1,702

What changed since your last plan (approved 2026-05-29)

New federal declarations: noneStorm Events records since approval: 1 record (data through 2026-06-30)

Repetitive loss now: FMA RL 4, SRL 5 (44 CFR 77.2); any definition: 22Repeat-flood change: this release sets the baseline count.

Sources: 1, 2, 4, 6 (numbered list at the end)

Plan status for every jurisdiction listed in this county

Source: 1

Jurisdiction	Type	Status	Plan	Approved	Expires	Days to expiry <i>negative = days since expiry</i>	Notes
Holmes County (unincorporated area)	Unincorporated	Approved, expires 2031-05-29	Holmes County (FEMA plan 111880)	2026-05-29	2031-05-29	1,702	
Bonifay city	City	Approved, expires 2031-05-29	Holmes County (FEMA plan 111880)	2026-05-29	2031-05-29	1,702	
Esto town	Town	Approved, expires 2031-05-29	Holmes County (FEMA plan 111880)	2026-05-29	2031-05-29	1,702	
Noma town	Town	Approved, expires 2031-05-29	Holmes County (FEMA plan 111880)	2026-05-29	2031-05-29	1,702	this jurisdiction approved 2026-06-08
Ponce de Leon town	Town	Approved, expires 2031-05-29	Holmes County (FEMA plan 111880)	2026-05-29	2031-05-29	1,702	this jurisdiction approved 2026-06-08
Westville town	Town	Approved, expires 2031-05-29	Holmes County (FEMA plan 111880)	2026-05-29	2031-05-29	1,702	this jurisdiction approved 2026-06-08
West Florida Electric Cooperative	Electric/Power Authority	Approved, expires 2031-05-29	Holmes County (FEMA plan 111880)	2026-05-29	2031-05-29	1,702	this jurisdiction approved 2026-06-08

State plan status and tribal plans in this state: see the state page.

Supports FEMA checklist item B1-a: hazard identification

Hazards NRI does not cover (local data needed)

- dam failure (incl. upstream dams)
- levee failure
- flash flood as its own subtype
- ice jams
- debris flows
- erosion (riverine and coastal)
- land subsidence and sinkholes
- expansive soils

The 18 National Risk Index hazards, ranked by expected annual loss (EAL)

Sources: 5, 6

Rank by EAL	Hazard	NRI risk rating	EAL rating	EAL buildings <i>modeled dollars per year</i>	EAL agriculture <i>modeled dollars per year</i>	Cost of expected deaths and injuries <i>FEMA's dollar value per year, not property damage</i>	EAL total (see note) <i>modeled dollars per year</i>	Storm Events records, 1996 to 2026-06-30 <i>count</i>	Storm Events coverage note
1	Hurricane	Relatively Moderate	Relatively Moderate	\$8,057,966	\$296,733	\$613,811	\$8,968,511	19	
2	Inland Flooding	Very Low	Very Low	\$2,688,051	\$49,720	\$23,676	\$2,761,447	113	
3	Tornado	Relatively Low	Relatively Low	\$379,516	\$357	\$845,344	\$1,225,217	13	
4	Cold Wave	Relatively Low	Relatively Low	\$2,005	\$54,994	\$281,688	\$338,686	3	
5	Lightning	Relatively Moderate	Relatively Moderate	\$10,795	n/a	\$306,827	\$317,622	0	No recorded events in Storm Events since 1996 (data through 2026-06-30).
6	Heat Wave	Relatively Low	Relatively Low	\$12	\$357	\$226,321	\$226,691	10	
7	Strong Wind	Relatively Low	Relatively Low	\$37,565	\$210	\$118,910	\$156,685	199	
8	Drought	Relatively Low	Relatively Low	n/a	\$88,576	n/a	\$88,576	42	
9	Earthquake	Very Low	Very Low	\$49,412	n/a	\$30,656	\$80,068		Storm Events does not record earthquakes.
10	Hail	Very Low	Very Low	\$3,498	\$1,159	\$10,473	\$15,130	11	
11	Wildfire	Very Low	Very Low	\$11,064	\$30	\$3,625	\$14,719	0	Declared 3 times; no Storm Events record of this type.
12	Winter Weather	Very Low	Very Low	\$2,311	\$10	\$3,918	\$6,239	5	
13	Ice Storm	Very Low	Very Low	\$1,839	n/a	\$227	\$2,066	0	No recorded events in Storm Events since 1996 (data through 2026-06-30).

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14	Landslide	Very Low	Very Low	\$33	n/a	\$2	\$36	0	No recorded events in Storm Events since 1996 (data through 2026-06-30).
15	Coastal Flooding	No Rating	No Expected Annual Losses	\$0	n/a	\$0	\$0	0	No recorded events in Storm Events since 1996 (data through 2026-06-30).

Total = buildings + agriculture + population equivalence; FEMA values each expected death (or 10 injuries) at \$13.7 million (2024 dollars).

NRI risk rating combines expected annual loss with social vulnerability and community resilience; EAL rating rates expected annual loss alone. Both compare this county with all U.S. counties.

Local data needed: state and local lightning, wildfire and landslide records (Storm Events records these hazards only in part).

Not applicable to this county per NRI, with no federal declaration and no Storm Events record since 1996: avalanche, tsunami and volcanic activity. That is the evidence for leaving them out of the plan.

The state hazard mitigation plan also lists hazards for this county; FEMA asks the plan to explain any hazard it leaves out.

Supports FEMA checklist item B1-b: hazard location

Affects the whole county (national data give no location within it): Cold Wave, Drought, Hail, Heat Wave, Ice Storm, Lightning, Strong Wind and Winter Weather.

Coastal Flooding and Inland Flooding: The FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map (FIRM) is the required location source for flooding. See the FEMA Flood Map Service Center (<https://msc.fema.gov>) for this county.

Hazards that vary within the county: highest-rated census tracts

Source: 5

Hazard	Highest-rated census tracts <i>NRI risk rating, score 0 to 100</i>
Earthquake	tract 9601 (Relatively Low, 41.3); tract 9604.02 (Very Low, 39.9); tract 9604.03 (Very Low, 39.5)
Hurricane	tract 9601 (Very High, 98.5); tract 9604.02 (Very High, 98.2); tract 9604.03 (Very High, 97.3)
Landslide	tract 9602.01 (Very Low, 67.5); tract 9601 (Very Low, 61.8); tract 9602.02 (Very Low, 57.7)
Tornado	tract 9601 (Relatively High, 87.0); tract 9604.02 (Relatively High, 81.1); tract 9602.01 (Relatively High, 78.0)
Wildfire	tract 9602.01 (Relatively Low, 79.5); tract 9601 (Relatively Low, 77.4); tract 9604.03 (Relatively Low, 75.4)

Up to 3 census tracts per hazard, highest National Risk Index rating first, then highest score; a tract number is the Census tract number (for example 9601 is Census Tract 9601). FEMA's Resilience Analysis and Planning Tool maps the National Risk Index for every tract: <https://www.fema.gov/emergency-managers/practitioners/resilience-analysis-and-planning-tool>

Supports FEMA checklist item B1-c: hazard extent

Extent: scale, observed range and worst recorded event per hazard

Sources: 6, 7

Hazard	Scale	Records <i>count and years</i>	Observed range	Worst recorded event	Most damaging (when different)	How it applies to jurisdictions	Note
Coastal Flood, Storm Surge/ Tide	none in data (flood depth: FIRM)	0					Flood depth: see the FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map.
Cold/Wind Chill, Extreme Cold/Wind Chill	wind chill	3 records, 2022 to 2026 (3 zone-level)	1 day to 3 days (median 1 day); 3 with a recorded value	3 consecutive days, 2022-12-24 to 2022-12-26, zone-level		Countywide (zone-level records).	
Frost/Freeze (outside NRI's Cold Wave definition)	crop damage	0					
Drought	U.S. Drought Monitor scale (D0 to D4)	42 records, 2010 to 2026 (42 zone-level)	7 days to 534 days (median 67 days); 10 with a recorded value	534 days (about 17.5 months), 2010-09-14 to 2012-02-29, a run of 18 consecutive Storm Events drought records, zone-level		Countywide (zone-level records).	Storm Events enters a drought at D2 or worse east of the Rockies and D3 or worse from the Rockies west (NWS Instruction 10-1605); NRI drought counts D3 and D4 only.
Earthquake	Modified Mercalli (local data)	0					Storm Events does not record earthquakes; the USGS earthquake catalog is the source.
Hail	hail size (inches)	12 records, 1971 to 2023	0.75 in to 1.75 in (median 0.94 in); 12 with a recorded value	1.75 in hail, 2009-02-28; same size also recorded on 1971-02-07, 1997-05-15		Event records naming jurisdictions in the plan: Bonifay city (8 records), Westville town (1 record).	
Excessive Heat, Heat	heat index (in event narratives)	10 records, 2023 (10 zone-level)	1 day to 5 days (median 4 days); 3 with a recorded value	5 consecutive days, 2023-08-11 to 2023-08-15, zone-level		Countywide (zone-level records).	
Hurricane, Tropical Storm, Tropical Depression	Saffir-Simpson	19 records, 1998 to 2024 (19 zone-level)		Strongest recorded: Hurricane record (NOAA event type 'Hurricane (Typhoon)'), 1998-09-28 to 1998-09-30, \$4,000,000 property; crops not reported (1998 dollars); NWS zone FLZ009		Countywide (zone-level records).	Storm Events files every zone of a storm's episode under the storm's type; flooding from the storm is filed as Flood or Flash Flood records.
Ice Storm	Sperry-Piltz ice scale (local data)	0					

Hazard	Scale	Records <i>count and years</i>	Observed range	Worst recorded event	Most damaging (when different)	How it applies to jurisdictions	Note
Flash Flood, Flood, Lakeshore Flood	damage and flood days (flood depth: FIRM)	113 records, 1998 to 2026 (2 zone-level)		Flash Flood, 2020-09-16, \$8,500,000 property; \$0 crops (2020 dollars)		Event records naming jurisdictions in the plan: Bonifay city (18 records), Noma town (16 records), Ponce de Leon town (5 records), Esto town (2 records). Zone-level records (2) apply countywide.	Flood depth: see the FEMA Flood Insurance Rate Map. Storm Events damage is often \$0 or blank for floods, major ones included; FEMA Public Assistance by declaration (B1-d) shows which floods cost the most.
Debris Flow	none (count and damage only)	0					
Lightning	annualized frequency (the measure FEMA's Local Mitigation Planning Handbook names)	0					Storm Events lists lightning with damage or casualties.
High Wind and Strong Wind (outside NRI's Strong Wind definition)	wind speed (kt and mph)	0					
Thunderstorm Wind	wind speed (kt and mph)	214 records, 1971 to 2026	45 kt (52 mph) to 90 kt (104 mph) (median 50 kt (58 mph)); 191 with a recorded value	90 kt (104 mph), measurement type not recorded, Thunderstorm Wind, 1990-02-22	Thunderstorm Wind, 2000-12-16, \$125,000 property; crops not reported (2000 dollars)	Event records naming jurisdictions in the plan: Bonifay city (57 records), Ponce de Leon town (27 records), Noma town (15 records), Westville town (7 records), Esto town (5 records).	
Tornado	Enhanced Fujita (Fujita before Feb 2007)	21 records, 1967 to 2025	F/EF0 to F/EF2 (median F/EF1); 20 with a recorded value	F2 tornado, 1972-06-25, 0.5 mi path length (whole path, pre-1996), 27 yd wide, \$2,500 property; crops not recorded (1972 dollars), 1 direct death, 2 direct injuries	Tornado, 2000-12-16, \$750,000 property; crops not reported (2000 dollars)	Event records naming jurisdictions in the plan: Bonifay city (4 records), Ponce de Leon town (3 records), Esto town (2 records), Westville town (2 records).	Before 1996 a tornado is listed once, under the county where it began, with its whole path's rating and length; from 1996 on, each county lists its own segment. Length is not used to rank tornadoes (see Methods).
Wildfire	acres burned (local data)	0					
Winter Storm, Heavy Snow, Blizzard, Lake-Effect Snow, Winter Weather, Sleet	none in data (snowfall: local data)	5 records, 2010 to 2026 (5 zone-level)		Heavy Snow, 2025-01-21, \$0 property; \$500,000 crops (2025 dollars); NWS zone FLZ009		Countywide (zone-level records).	

In event narratives only (local data needed): wind chill, temperature, heat index, ice thickness, acres burned and snow depth; any physical measure of debris flow and lightning.

Storm Events records are more complete after 1996; before 1996 only Tornado (from 1950), Hail and Thunderstorm Wind (from 1955) exist. Zone-level records from zones that no NWS zone-county file places in this county (mostly before 2020) are not counted here (the Methods page explains the zone matching).

Dollars are nominal (as reported), labeled with the year; not adjusted for inflation.

Supports FEMA checklist item B1-d: previous occurrences

Federal declarations for this county: 39 declarations covering 28 separate hazard incidents counted in this packet (declarations for the same incident count once; non-natural and evacuation-only declarations are not counted).

Federal disaster declarations for this county

Sources: 1, 2, 3

Declared	Incident began	FEMA number	Type	Title	Mapped hazard	County Public Assistance <i>federal share obligated, nominal dollars</i>	Flags	Notes
2024-09-28	2024-09-23	DR-4828-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Helene	Hurricane	\$283,399.99	within last 5 years	
2024-09-24	2024-09-23	EM-3615-FL	Emergency	Tropical Storm Helene	Hurricane (primary); also designated: Inland Flooding, Strong Wind	no Public Assistance recorded	within last 5 years	same incident as DR-4828
2024-08-10	2024-08-01	DR-4806-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Debby	Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded	within last 5 years	
2024-08-03	2024-08-01	EM-3605-FL	Emergency	Tropical Storm Debby	Hurricane (primary); also designated: Inland Flooding, Strong Wind, Tornado	no Public Assistance recorded	within last 5 years	same incident as DR-4806
2022-12-13	2022-11-07	DR-4680-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Nicole	Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded	within last 5 years	
2022-09-29	2022-09-23	DR-4673-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Ian	Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded	within last 5 years	
2022-09-24	2022-09-23	EM-3584-FL	Emergency	Tropical Storm Ian	Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded	within last 5 years	same incident as DR-4673
2021-08-16	2021-08-13	EM-3562-FL	Emergency	Tropical Storm Fred	Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded		
2020-09-23	2020-09-14	DR-4564-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Sally	Hurricane	\$1,035,235.64		
2020-09-15	2020-09-14	EM-3546-FL	Emergency	Hurricane Sally	Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded		same incident as DR-4564
2020-03-25	2020-01-20	DR-4486-FL	Major disaster	COVID-19 Pandemic	Non-natural, not counted	\$267,749.03		
2020-03-13	2020-01-20	EM-3432-FL	Emergency	COVID-19	Non-natural, not counted	no Public Assistance recorded		same incident as DR-4486
2019-08-30	2019-08-28	EM-3419-FL	Emergency	Hurricane Dorian	Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded		
2018-10-11	2018-10-07	DR-4399-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Michael	Hurricane	\$1,259,025.81		
2018-10-09	2018-10-07	EM-3405-FL	Emergency	Hurricane Michael	Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded		same incident as DR-4399
2017-09-10	2017-09-04	DR-4337-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Irma	Hurricane	\$25,238.16		
2017-09-05	2017-09-04	EM-3385-FL	Emergency	Hurricane Irma	Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded		same incident as DR-4337
2014-05-06	2014-04-28	DR-4177-FL	Major disaster	Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Straight-Line Winds, and Flooding	Inland Flooding; Strong Wind; Tornado	\$687,297.74		
2013-08-02	2013-07-02	DR-4138-FL	Major disaster	Severe Storms and Flooding	Inland Flooding	\$16,243,629.08		

Declared	Incident began	FEMA number	Type	Title	Mapped hazard	County Public Assistance	Flags	Notes
						<i>federal share obligated, nominal dollars</i>		
2009-04-21	2009-03-26	DR-1831-FL	Major disaster	Severe Storms, Flooding, Tornadoes, and Straight-Line Winds	Inland Flooding; Strong Wind; Tornado	\$2,108,653.16		
2008-08-21	2008-08-18	EM-3288-FL	Emergency	Tropical Storm Fay	Hurricane; Inland Flooding	\$1,960.91		
2005-09-05	2005-08-29	EM-3220-FL	Emergency	Hurricane Katrina Evacuation	Hurricane: evacuation support, not a local hazard event; not counted	no Public Assistance recorded		
2005-07-10	2005-07-07	DR-1595-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Dennis	Hurricane	\$130,927.73		
2004-09-16	2004-09-13	DR-1551-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Ivan	Hurricane	\$3,338,532.54		
2004-09-04	2004-09-03	DR-1545-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Frances	Hurricane	\$3,763.44		
2004-08-13	2004-08-11	DR-1539-FL	Major disaster	Tropical Storm Bonnie and Hurricane Charley	Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded		
2001-06-17	2001-06-11	DR-1381-FL	Major disaster	Tropical Storm Allison	Hurricane	\$2,997,176.62		
1999-04-27	1999-04-15	EM-3139-FL	Emergency	FI-Fires 04/15/99	Wildfire	no Public Assistance recorded		
1999-04-17	1999-04-13	FM-2255-FL	Fire management	FI-Fires 04/13/99	Wildfire	no Public Assistance recorded		
1998-09-28	1998-09-25	DR-1249-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Georges	Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded		
1998-09-25	1998-09-25	EM-3131-FL	Emergency	Hurricane Gorges	Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded		same incident as DR-1249
1998-06-18	1998-05-25	DR-1223-FL	Major disaster	Extreme Fire Hazard	Wildfire	no Public Assistance recorded		
1998-01-06	1997-12-25	DR-1195-FL	Major disaster	Severe Storms, High Winds, Tornadoes, and Flooding	Inland Flooding; Strong Wind; Tornado	no Public Assistance recorded		
1995-10-04	1995-10-04	DR-1069-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Opal	Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded		
1994-07-10	1994-07-02	DR-1035-FL	Major disaster	Severe Storms and Flooding (Tropical Storm Alberto)	Hurricane; Inland Flooding	no Public Assistance recorded		
1994-07-08	1994-07-02	EM-3114-FL	Emergency	Tropical Storm Alberto	Inland Flooding (primary); also designated: Hurricane	no Public Assistance recorded		same incident as DR-1035
1990-04-03	1990-03-16	DR-862-FL	Major disaster	Severe Storms & Flooding	Inland Flooding	PA not declared for this county		
1975-09-26	1975-09-26	DR-484-FL	Major disaster	High Winds, Heavy Rains & Flooding	Inland Flooding (primary); also designated: Strong Wind	no Public Assistance recorded		
1975-08-22	1975-08-22	DR-479-FL	Major disaster	Flooding	Inland Flooding	no Public Assistance recorded		

County Public Assistance: applicants the FEMA record places in this county, including any state agencies FEMA files there; statewide rows are listed on the state page; federal share obligated, nominal dollars.

Statewide declarations

Source: 2

Declared	Incident began	FEMA number	Type	Title	Mapped hazard
1995-08-03	1995-08-02	EM-3116-FL	Emergency	Hurricane Erin	Hurricane
1964-09-10	1964-09-10	DR-176-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Dora	Hurricane (primary); also designated: Inland Flooding
1964-09-08	1964-09-08	DR-175-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Cleo	Hurricane (primary); also designated: Inland Flooding
1962-12-17	1962-12-17	DR-141-FL	Major disaster	Abnormally High Tides	Inland Flooding
1960-09-12	1960-09-12	DR-106-FL	Major disaster	Hurricane Donna	Hurricane (primary); also designated: Inland Flooding
1960-03-23	1960-03-23	DR-97-FL	Major disaster	Severe Weather Conditions	Other, not an NRI hazard; not counted
1953-10-22	1953-10-22	DR-12-FL	Major disaster	Flood	Inland Flooding

FEMA recorded these with designated area Statewide and no county, so they are listed on every county page in the state and not counted with county rows. Local data needed: whether each one affected this county.

17 Fire Management declarations (1985-05-17 to 1998-06-28) FEMA filed as Statewide with no county; each names one local fire. Listed on the state page.

Public Assistance not placed in any Florida county: 4 rows, \$9,327,951.42; listed on the Florida state page.

Source: 3

Previous occurrences by hazard, with explicit no-event rows

Sources: 2, 6, 7

Hazard	Storm Events records, all years on file <i>(years in the Period column)</i>	Since plan approval records	In the 12 months before plan approval records	Last 5 years records	Declared incidents, all years <i>separate disasters</i>	Declared since approval <i>separate disasters</i>	Period	Statement
Coastal Flooding	0	0	0	0	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	No recorded events, 1996 to 2026-06-30, NOAA NCEI Storm Events
Cold Wave	3	0	1	3	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	
Drought	42	0	9	15	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	
Earthquake	0	0	0	0	0	0		Storm Events does not record earthquakes; the USGS earthquake catalog is the source.
Hail	12	0	0	1	0	0	1955 to 2026-06-30	
Heat Wave	10	0	0	10	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	
Hurricane	19	0	0	1	18	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	
Ice Storm	0	0	0	0	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	No recorded events, 1996 to 2026-06-30, NOAA NCEI Storm Events
Inland Flooding	113	1	0	14	11	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	

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Landslide	0	0	0	0	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	No recorded events, 1996 to 2026-06-30, NOAA NCEI Storm Events
Lightning	0	0	0	0	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	No recorded events, 1996 to 2026-06-30, NOAA NCEI Storm Events
Strong Wind	214	0	11	69	6	0	1955 to 2026-06-30	
Tornado	21	0	0	4	4	0	1950 to 2026-06-30	
Wildfire	0	0	0	0	3	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	No Storm Events records of this type; 3 federal declared incidents (see declarations table)
Winter Weather	5	0	1	2	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	

Notable Storm Events records

Sources: 1, 6, 7

Date	Event type	Magnitude or extent	Damage <i>nominal dollars</i>	Deaths, injuries <i>direct only</i>	Location	Flags	Why listed
2025-05-10	Tornado	EF2, 13.8 mi within this county, 600 yd wide	\$100,000 property; \$0 crops (2025 dollars)	0, 1	GRITNEY to ESTO	within last 5 years	deaths or injuries recorded
2025-01-21	Heavy Snow		\$0 property; \$500,000 crops (zone total, 2025 dollars)	0, 0	NWS zone FLZ009 (HOLMES), zone-level	within last 5 years	B1-c worst recorded: Winter Storm, Heavy Snow, Blizzard, Lake-Effect Snow, Winter Weather, Sleet
2023-08-11	Excessive Heat		\$0 property; \$0 crops (zone total, 2023 dollars)	0, 0	NWS zone FLZ009 (HOLMES), zone-level	within last 5 years	B1-c worst recorded: Excessive Heat, Heat
2022-12-24	Cold/Wind Chill		\$50,000 property; \$0 crops (zone total, 2022 dollars)	0, 0	NWS zone FLZ009 (HOLMES), zone-level	within last 5 years	B1-c worst recorded: Cold/Wind Chill, Extreme Cold/Wind Chill
2020-09-16	Flash Flood		\$8,500,000 property; \$0 crops (2020 dollars)	0, 0	PONCE DE LEON to BONIFAY		B1-c worst recorded: Flash Flood, Flood, Lakeshore Flood
2010-09-14	Drought		damage not reported	0, 0	NWS zone FLZ009 (HOLMES), zone-level		B1-c worst recorded: Drought
2009-02-28	Hail	1.75 in	\$0 property; \$0 crops (2009 dollars)	0, 0	NEW HOPE		B1-c worst recorded: Hail
2000-12-16	Tornado	F2, 3 mi within this county, 100 yd wide	\$750,000 property; crops not reported (2000 dollars)	0, 0	BONIFAY		B1-c most damaging: Tornado
1998-09-28	Hurricane (NOAA event type 'Hurricane (Typhoon)')		\$4,000,000 property; crops not reported (zone total, 1998 dollars)	0, 0	NWS zone FLZ009 (HOLMES), zone-level		B1-c worst recorded: Hurricane, Tropical Storm, Tropical Depression
1996-04-29	Thunderstorm Wind	speed not recorded	\$5,000 property; crops not reported (1996 dollars)	0, 2	BONIFAY		deaths or injuries recorded
1990-02-22	Thunderstorm Wind	90 kt (104 mph), measurement type not recorded	damage not recorded (pre-1996 record)	0, 0	location not recorded		B1-c worst recorded: Thunderstorm Wind
1972-06-25	Tornado	F2, 0.5 mi path length (whole path, pre-1996), 27 yd wide	\$2,500 property; crops not recorded (1972 dollars)	1, 2	location not recorded		deaths or injuries recorded

The full list is in the Excel file, sheet "B1-d Storm Events history" (439 rows).

Location is the place NOAA recorded, as written in its data; it need not be a jurisdiction in this plan.

Local data needed: state-declared emergencies, from your state emergency management agency (federal data do not include them).

Tribal and special-area declarations in this state are listed on the state page.

Supports FEMA checklist item B1-e: probability of future events

Probability: FEMA annualized frequency and descriptor per hazard

Sources: 5, 6

Hazard	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled) <i>unit per row</i>	Unit	In plain terms	Descriptor	Descriptor basis	NRI events or days in its record period (hail, wind and tornado are area-weighted, so can be fractional)	NRI period	Location	Note
Coastal Flooding	0.012	events per year at a location (modeled)	about 0.012 per year at a given location in the county		Storm Events records in 0 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (0%)	not shown	modeled	see B1-f	No descriptor: no Storm Events record 1996 to 2025
Cold Wave	2.06	event-days per year	about 2.06 days per year	Possible	Storm Events event-days in 2 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (6.67%)	39.1	2005-11-12 to 2024-11-12 (19 years)	countywide	
Drought	25.1	event-days per year	about 25.1 days per year	Likely	Storm Events event-days in 9 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (30%)	714	2000 to 2025 (25.25 years; D3 and D4 only)	countywide	
Earthquake	0.00101	annual probability at a location	chance a given location in the county has at least minor-damage shaking in a year: 0.101%			not shown	modeled	see B1-f	No descriptor (Storm Events does not record earthquakes).
Hail	1.04	events per year	about 1.04 per year	Highly likely	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled)	39.4 (modeled)	1986 to 2023 (38 years)	countywide	
Heat Wave	5.85	event-days per year	about 5.85 days per year	Possible	Storm Events event-days in 1 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (3.33%)	97.1	2005-11-12 to 2024-11-12 (19 years)	countywide	
Hurricane	0.211	events per year	about 1 in 5 years	Likely	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled)	64	1851 to 2024 (Atlantic)	see B1-f	NRI counts hurricane and tropical storm tracks passing within storm-force wind range; federal declarations are in B1-d.
Ice Storm	0.0212	event-days per year	about 0.0212 days per year		Storm Events event-days in 0 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (0%)	2	1946-12-31 to 2014-02-12 (67 years)	countywide	No Storm Events ice storm record, 1996 to 2025
Inland Flooding	1	event-day per year	about 1 day per year	Likely	Storm Events event-days in 15 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (50%)	28	1996 to 2023 (28 years)	see B1-f	
Landslide	0.0765	events per year (modeled)	about 1 in 13 years	Possible	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled)	not shown	modeled	see B1-f	

Hazard	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled) <i>unit per row</i>	Unit	In plain terms	Descriptor	Descriptor basis	NRI events or days in its record period (hail, wind and tornado are area-weighted, so can be fractional)	NRI period	Location	Note
Lightning	78.4	days per year with a strike	about 78.4 days per year	Highly likely	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled)	not shown	1995 to 2023 (29 years; CONUS)	countywide	
Strong Wind	1.69	events per year	about 1.69 per year	Highly likely	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled)	65	1986 to 2023 (38 years)	countywide	
Tornado	0.417	events per year	about 1 in 2 years	Likely	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled)	not shown	1950 to 2023 (EF2+); 1986 to 2023 (EF0-1)	see B1-f	
Wildfire	0.000772	annual probability at a location	chance a given location in the county burns in a year: 0.0772%		Storm Events records in 0 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (0%)	not shown	modeled	see B1-f	No descriptor: no Storm Events record 1996 to 2025
Winter Weather	0.37	event-days per year	about 0.37 days per year	Likely	Storm Events event- days in 4 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (13.3%)	7.02	2005-11-12 to 2024-11-12 (19 years)	countywide	

FEMA annualized frequency (modeled) is the National Risk Index v1.20 (December 2025) estimate of how often a hazard affects this county in a year; it is not recorded events divided by years, and its unit differs by hazard (events, event-days, or days with a lightning strike per year). For earthquake, wildfire, coastal flooding and tsunami the value is the chance (or number of events) at a location in the county, not across the county, so no "1 in N years" is given and the descriptor comes from Storm Events where it has a record (none for earthquake). The Methods page gives each hazard's method, from FEMA's National Risk Index Technical Documentation v1.20.

Where NRI gives event-days, the descriptor comes from the share of years with a Storm Events record; NRI's source records more events, so the two differ.

Descriptor scale used in this packet (defined per unit)

Sources: 5, 6

Unit	Descriptor	Definition
events per year	Highly likely	1 or more per year
events per year	Likely	about once in 1 to 10 years
events per year	Possible	about once in 10 to 100 years
events per year	Unlikely	less than once in 100 years
annual probability	Likely	10% to under 100% chance in a given year
annual probability	Possible	1% to under 10% chance in a given year
annual probability	Unlikely	under 1% chance in a given year
event-days (share of years)	Highly likely	event-days recorded in 90% or more of years
event-days (share of years)	Likely	event-days recorded in 10% to under 90% of years
event-days (share of years)	Possible	event-days recorded in some years but under 10% of years
lightning strike-days	Highly likely	cloud-to-ground strikes on 1 or more days per year

Intensity bands: historical frequency (Storm Events)

Source: 6

Hazard	Band	Years	Events <i>county-coded records</i>	Years in period	Events per year <i>events / years</i>
Hail	1.00-1.99 in	1996 to 2025	5	30	0.167
Hail	2.00 in+	1996 to 2025	0	30	0
Thunderstorm Wind (counted as NRI Strong Wind)	50-64 kt	1996 to 2025	163	30	5.43
Thunderstorm Wind (counted as NRI Strong Wind)	65 kt+	1996 to 2025	16	30	0.533
Thunderstorm Wind (counted as NRI Strong Wind)	unmeasured or below 50 kt	1996 to 2025	13	30	0.433
Tornado	EF0-1	1996 to 2025	11	30	0.367
Tornado	EF2-3	1996 to 2025	2	30	0.0667
Tornado	EF4-5	1996 to 2025	0	30	0
Tornado	unrated (EFU)	1996 to 2025	0	30	0

The bands show how often events of each severity were recorded in this county, to profile how severe events have been (FEMA's probability item asks for the range of intensities).

Hail smaller than 1 inch is not counted: on 2010-01-05 the National Weather Service raised its severe-hail threshold from 3/4 inch to 1 inch, so smaller reports became less common after 2009 (NWS Service Change Notice 09-52). NRI hail frequency uses a 0.75 inch threshold.

Optional: future conditions. Not a required item in the 2025 FEMA Local Mitigation Planning Policy Guide; some states ask for it. The federal Climate Mapping for Resilience and Adaptation (CMRA) site gives county exposure to future climate conditions (<https://resilience.climate.gov/>).

Supports FEMA checklist item B1-f: hazards that vary across jurisdictions

Range of census tract risk within the county

Source: 5

Hazard	Tracts <i>rated of all</i>	NRI risk score, 0 to 100			Tracts by rating
		Min	Median	Max	
Coastal Flooding	0 of 7				No Rating 7
Cold Wave	7 of 7	36.9	54.5	66.2	Relatively Moderate 4, Relatively Low 3
Drought	7 of 7	76.4	88.4	93.0	Relatively Moderate 2, Relatively Low 4, Very Low 1
Earthquake	7 of 7	20.7	29.5	41.3	Relatively Low 1, Very Low 6
Hail	7 of 7	22.9	33.7	41.6	Relatively Low 1, Very Low 6
Heat Wave	7 of 7	31.8	53.4	63.4	Relatively Moderate 1, Relatively Low 6
Hurricane	7 of 7	89.0	96.7	98.5	Very High 3, Relatively High 3, Relatively Moderate 1
Ice Storm	7 of 7	1.6	2.6	17.9	Very Low 7
Inland Flooding	7 of 7	0.8	43.8	55.8	Relatively Moderate 2, Relatively Low 4, Very Low 1
Landslide	7 of 7	24.5	52.9	67.5	Very Low 7
Lightning	7 of 7	81.5	94.2	96.9	Very High 1, Relatively High 6

Hazard	Tracts <i>rated of all</i>	NRI risk score, 0 to 100			Tracts by rating
		Min	Median	Max	
Strong Wind	7 of 7	42.5	64.8	74.3	Relatively Moderate 5, Relatively Low 2
Tornado	7 of 7	58.6	75.9	87.0	Relatively High 4, Relatively Moderate 3
Wildfire	7 of 7	51.3	74.7	79.5	Relatively Low 6, Very Low 1
Winter Weather	7 of 7	24.3	32.8	40.5	Relatively Low 7

Drought: Agriculture is all of NRI's expected annual loss for this hazard in the county, so the tract range mostly reflects where crop and livestock value is.

Rated tracts only: No Rating (score 0.0), Not Applicable and Insufficient Data tracts are counted but not used for the minimum, median and maximum.

The score ranks a tract against all U.S. tracts (100 = highest). The rating is FEMA's category for the tract's risk value, computed differently, so the two can disagree.

Frequency data for cold wave, drought, hail, heat wave, ice storm, lightning, strong wind and winter weather are county-wide or coarse (49 km grid or NWS zone), the same for every jurisdiction; the tract range mostly reflects where buildings and people are (crop and livestock value where a line above names agriculture).

Each jurisdiction (starting figures from federal data)

Sources: 1, 3, 4, 6

Jurisdiction	Type	Plan status	Repetitive loss	Public Assistance to this jurisdiction	Event records naming this place
			<i>FMA RL and SRL (44 CFR 77.2); repeat-flood, any definition</i>	<i>FEMA records matched by applicant name; federal share obligated, nominal dollars</i>	<i>all years; since its plan</i>
Holmes County (unincorporated area)	Unincorporated	Approved, expires 2031-05-29	FMA RL 3, SRL 5; any 20	\$26,122,783.12	0 total; 0 since its plan
Bonifay city	City	Approved, expires 2031-05-29	FMA RL 1, SRL 0; any 2	\$625,117.70	87 total; 0 since its plan
Esto town	Town	Approved, expires 2031-05-29	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	\$99,144.79	9 total; 0 since its plan
Noma town	Town	Approved, expires 2031-05-29	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	\$80,385.13	31 total; 1 since its plan
Ponce de Leon town	Town	Approved, expires 2031-05-29	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	\$22,592.12	35 total; 0 since its plan
Westville town	Town	Approved, expires 2031-05-29	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	\$6,635.15	10 total; 0 since its plan

Repetitive-loss counts are for whole NFIP communities, which can extend beyond this county (see the note in B2-c).

School districts and special districts get a plan clock row only.

County Public Assistance in B1-d also includes applicants filed under the county that are not jurisdictions in this plan (for example state agencies, special districts and nonprofits), so the jurisdiction rows add up to less.

Supports FEMA checklist items B2-a and B2-b: vulnerability and potential impacts

Local data needed

The table below gives county-level starting figures; the plan describes impacts for each jurisdiction and its own assets.

- Critical facilities and lifelines per hazard
- A problem statement per jurisdiction per hazard
- Changes in development in hazard-prone areas since the last approval, or a statement of none (E1-a)
- Future assets

County-level starter: exposure, expected annual loss and damage since the plan

Sources: 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7

Hazard	Building exposure <i>modeled dollars</i>	Agriculture exposure <i>modeled dollars</i>	Population exposed <i>people</i>	EAL buildings <i>modeled dollars per year</i>	EAL agriculture <i>modeled dollars per year</i>	Cost of expected deaths and injuries <i>FEMA's dollar value per year, not property damage</i>	EAL as % of exposure <i>buildings; agriculture where noted</i>	Storm Events damage since 2026-05-29 <i>county-coded records, property plus crops, nominal dollars</i>	Zone-level damage since plan <i>property plus crops, reported for the zone</i>	Public Assistance since plan <i>nominal dollars; see note</i>	Note
Coastal Flooding	\$225,165,191	n/a	1,276	\$0	n/a	\$0	0%				
Cold Wave	\$3,140,166,459	\$36,318,066	19,618	\$2,005	\$54,994	\$281,688	under 0.0001%				
Drought	n/a	\$11,367,229	n/a	n/a	\$88,576	n/a	0.779% (agriculture)				NRI has no building exposure for this hazard; agriculture shown
Earthquake	\$5,484,077,479	n/a	19,653	\$49,412	n/a	\$30,656	0.000901%				
Hail	\$3,140,166,459	\$36,318,066	19,618	\$3,498	\$1,159	\$10,473	0.000111%				
Heat Wave	\$3,140,166,459	\$36,318,066	19,618	\$12	\$357	\$226,321	under 0.0001%				
Hurricane	\$3,140,166,459	\$36,318,066	19,618	\$8,057,966	\$296,733	\$613,811	0.257%				
Ice Storm	\$3,135,889,685	n/a	19,578	\$1,839	n/a	\$227	under 0.0001%				
Inland Flooding	\$3,139,524,048	\$4,527,220	1,863	\$2,688,051	\$49,720	\$23,676	n/a (see note)	\$0			NRI counts the full building value of any census block with some flood loss; this is not the value of buildings in the floodplain. Use local FIRM overlays for B2-a/B2-b.
Landslide	\$7,920,826	n/a	47	\$33	n/a	\$2	0.000418%				
Lightning	\$3,140,166,459	n/a	19,618	\$10,795	n/a	\$306,827	0.000344%				
Strong Wind	\$3,140,166,459	\$36,318,066	19,618	\$37,565	\$210	\$118,910	0.0012%				
Tornado	\$3,140,166,459	\$36,318,066	19,618	\$379,516	\$357	\$845,344	0.0121%				

Hazard	Building exposure <i>modeled dollars</i>	Agriculture exposure <i>modeled dollars</i>	Population exposed <i>people</i>	EAL buildings <i>modeled dollars per year</i>	EAL agriculture <i>modeled dollars per year</i>	Cost of expected deaths and injuries <i>FEMA's dollar value per year, not property damage</i>	EAL as % of exposure <i>buildings; agriculture where noted</i>	Storm Events damage since 2026-05-29 <i>county-coded records, property plus crops, nominal dollars</i>	Zone-level damage since plan <i>property plus crops, reported for the zone</i>	Public Assistance since plan <i>nominal dollars; see note</i>	Note
Wildfire	\$237,244,692	\$5,043,398	3,276	\$11,064	\$30	\$3,625	0.00466%				
Winter Weather	\$3,140,166,459	\$36,318,066	19,618	\$2,311	\$10	\$3,918	under 0.0001%				

Totals since 2026-05-29 (Storm Events through 2026-06-30): 1 county-coded records, 1 with a damage value recorded (including \$0), \$0; 0 zone-level records, 0 with a damage value recorded (including \$0), \$0 reported for the zone; Public Assistance: no counted declaration since the plan.

FEMA does not split Public Assistance by hazard. A declaration mapped to several hazards is listed under each of them with its full amount, so the per-hazard column does not add up to the total; the unit total counts each declaration once.

NRI computes earthquake exposure on its own basis, so it exceeds the county building value in B2-a.

Supports FEMA checklist item B2-a: vulnerability (county context)

County context

Source: 5

Measure	Value
Population	19,618
Building value (total, not at risk)	\$3,140,166,459
Agriculture value (total, not at risk)	\$36,318,066
NRI risk rating (all hazards)	Relatively Low
Expected annual loss, buildings and agriculture, all hazards	\$11,736,212
Expected annual loss, population equivalence, all hazards (NRI values each statistical life at \$13.7M; a modeled value of expected deaths and injuries, not property damage)	\$2,465,481
Social vulnerability rating	Relatively Moderate
Community resilience rating	Very Low
NRI version	December 2025

FEMA's all-hazard expected annual loss adds buildings, agriculture and population equivalence; this table gives the property part and the population-equivalence part as separate rows.

Social vulnerability: higher means people are more likely to be harmed and slower to recover. Community resilience: lower means the community is less able to recover. High social vulnerability and low resilience both raise the NRI risk rating.

Supports FEMA checklist item B2-c: repetitive loss properties

Repetitive loss in this county, both definitions

Sources: 1, 4

Definition	Properties	Severe repetitive loss	Properties
Repetitive loss, FMA definition (44 CFR 77.2)	4	Severe repetitive loss, FMA definition (44 CFR 77.2)	5
Repetitive loss, NFIP insurance definition	22	Severe repetitive loss, NFIP insurance definition	5

The state NFIP coordinator's list, the source FEMA's Handbook names, often uses the NFIP insurance definition (second row).

Repeat-flood properties: county and state-level rows

Sources: 1, 4

Scope	RL, FMA <i>properties</i>	SRL, FMA <i>properties</i>	RL, NFIP <i>properties</i>	SRL, NFIP <i>properties</i>	Any category <i>properties</i>	Mitigated <i>properties</i>	Currently insured <i>properties</i>
County total	4	5	22	5	22	0	1
of which: Bonifay city	1	0	2	0	2	0	1
of which: Holmes County (unincorporated area)	3	5	20	5	20	0	0
Statewide, no county in FEMA's file	0	1	9	0	10	0	1

The statewide row counts properties FEMA's file gives with no county in this state; they are listed for reference and are not in this county's counts.

Repeat-flood properties by jurisdiction in the plan (NFIP community)

Sources: 1, 4

Jurisdiction	NFIP community ID	RL, FMA <i>properties</i>	SRL, FMA <i>properties</i>	RL, NFIP <i>properties</i>	SRL, NFIP <i>properties</i>	Any category <i>properties</i>	Mitigated <i>properties</i>	Currently insured <i>properties</i>
Holmes County (unincorporated area)	120420	3	5	20	5	20	0	0
Bonifay city	120116	1	0	2	0	2	0	1
Esto town	120630	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Noma town	120631	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ponce de Leon town	120117	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Westville town	120118	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Counts by occupancy group for each jurisdiction are in the Excel file, sheet "B2-c Jurisdictions".

Jurisdiction rows are whole NFIP communities and need not add up to the county total: a community that extends into another county is counted in full on each jurisdiction row, while the county table counts only its part in this county.

County repeat-flood properties by occupancy group

Sources: 1, 4

Occupancy group	RL, FMA <i>properties</i>	SRL, FMA <i>properties</i>	RL, NFIP <i>properties</i>	SRL, NFIP <i>properties</i>	Any category <i>properties</i>	Mitigated <i>properties</i>	Currently insured <i>properties</i>
single-family residential	3	4	21	4	21	0	1
2 to 4 unit residential	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
other residential	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
non-residential	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
not reported	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

FEMA's occupancy groups have no institutional class; institutional properties are counted in non-residential or other residential in the table by occupancy group.

FMA RL and FMA SRL are the Flood Mitigation Assistance definitions (44 CFR 77.2), the ones the FEMA Local Mitigation Planning Policy Guide cites. NFIP repetitive loss (the FEMA insurance definition) is 2 or more claims over \$1,000 in 10 years, and a property can leave that group once it is mitigated. Also shown: NFIP severe repetitive loss, any category, mitigated and currently insured. The Methods page gives the OpenFEMA field details.

Counts are aggregates of FEMA's public NFIP Multiple Loss Properties file (FEMA's data date 2026-08-02; file version 2026-08-04). No property is identified. County assignment is FEMA's geocode.

In this county 0 properties are FMA repetitive loss but not NFIP repetitive loss, and 18 properties are NFIP repetitive loss but not FMA repetitive loss.

Exact counts; no count suppression.

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What this packet is and what the plan adds

This packet is the federal data for the plan's risk assessment (the summary on page 1 says how it is organized); the plan and FEMA's review decide whether each item is met.

The plan adds what only the community has: local data on assets, critical facilities, development and each jurisdiction's impacts; local hazard history, including state-declared emergencies; the mitigation strategy; and adoption.

How the federal data are built: National Risk Index values are FEMA's model, not counts of events. Storm Events is more complete from 1996; zone-level records are placed by forecast zone, not by location in the county. Public Assistance for a jurisdiction is matched by applicant name. The Methods page gives every rule and the known edge cases.

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