

Ionia County, MI

Risk-assessment baseline packet

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Summary

Plan status as of 2026-09-30: Approved, expires 2030-05-27. Plan: Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782), approved 2025-05-28.
Since the plan was approved on 2025-05-28: no new federal declaration.
NOAA Storm Events records since that date: 15 records (data through 2026-06-30).
Highest expected annual loss (FEMA National Risk Index, modeled total; see B1-a): Inland Flooding (\$10,793,841 a year), Tornado (\$3,631,490) and Strong Wind (\$2,146,058).
Repetitive-loss flood properties now: FMA RL 0, SRL 0 (44 CFR 77.2); any definition: 3.
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; 26067 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 2030-05-27	Plan:	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782)
Approved:	2025-05-28	Days to expiry:	1,335

What changed since your last plan (approved 2025-05-28)

New federal declarations:	none	Storm Events records since approval:	15 records (data through 2026-06-30)
Repetitive loss now:	FMA RL 0, SRL 0 (44 CFR 77.2); any definition: 3	Repeat-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: 16 rows, in the section "Plan clock: Plan status for every jurisdiction listed in this county" on the following pages.

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

Plan clock

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>	Update underway	Notes
Ionia County	County	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782)	2025-05-28	2030-05-27	1,335		this jurisdiction approved 2025-06-18
Belding city	City	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782)	2025-05-28	2030-05-27	1,335		this jurisdiction approved 2026-09-02
Clarksville village	Village	Plan 110782 approved 2025-05-28, pending adoption here; not yet eligible	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782), pending adoption here	2025-05-28 by FEMA; not yet adopted here	2030-05-27 once adopted		FEMA tracker shows a plan approvable pending adoption	Not yet eligible: adopt the approved plan.
Ionia city	City	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782)	2025-05-28	2030-05-27	1,335		this jurisdiction approved 2025-11-18
Lake Odessa village	Village	Plan 110782 approved 2025-05-28, pending adoption here; not yet eligible	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782), pending adoption here	2025-05-28 by FEMA; not yet adopted here	2030-05-27 once adopted		FEMA tracker shows a plan approvable pending adoption	Not yet eligible: adopt the approved plan.
Muir village	Village	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782)	2025-05-28	2030-05-27	1,335		this jurisdiction approved 2026-09-02
Pewamo village	Village	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782)	2025-05-28	2030-05-27	1,335		this jurisdiction approved 2025-11-18
Portland city	City	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782)	2025-05-28	2030-05-27	1,335		this jurisdiction approved 2025-11-18
Saranac village	Village	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782)	2025-05-28	2030-05-27	1,335		this jurisdiction approved 2025-11-18
Berlin township	Township	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782)	2025-05-28	2030-05-27	1,335		
Boston township	Township	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782)	2025-05-28	2030-05-27	1,335		this jurisdiction approved 2026-09-02
Campbell township	Township	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782)	2025-05-28	2030-05-27	1,335		this jurisdiction approved 2025-11-18
Easton township	Township	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782)	2025-05-28	2030-05-27	1,335		this jurisdiction approved 2026-09-02

Jurisdiction	Type	Status	Plan	Approved	Expires	Days to expiry <i>negative = days since expiry</i>	Update underway	Notes
Lyons township	Township	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782)	2025-05-28	2030-05-27	1,335		
Odessa township	Township	Plan 110782 approved 2025-05-28, pending adoption here; not yet eligible	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782), pending adoption here	2025-05-28 by FEMA; not yet adopted here	2030-05-27 once adopted		FEMA tracker shows a plan approvable pending adoption	Not yet eligible: adopt the approved plan.
Sebewa township	Township	Plan 110782 approved 2025-05-28, pending adoption here; not yet eligible	Ionia County Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 (FEMA plan 110782), pending adoption here	2025-05-28 by FEMA; not yet adopted here	2030-05-27 once adopted		FEMA tracker shows a plan approvable pending adoption	Not yet eligible: adopt the approved plan.

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	Inland Flooding	Relatively Low	Relatively Low	\$10,789,102	\$3,186	\$1,553	\$10,793,841	9	
2	Tornado	Relatively Moderate	Relatively Moderate	\$1,869,759	\$11,794	\$1,749,937	\$3,631,490	11	
3	Strong Wind	Relatively High	Relatively High	\$1,481,397	\$52,924	\$611,736	\$2,146,058	121	Includes 9 High Wind and 1 Strong Wind records (NOAA non-thunderstorm wind types, outside NRI's Strong Wind definition).
4	Cold Wave	Relatively Low	Relatively Moderate	\$483	\$358,116	\$1,241,938	\$1,600,537	0	No recorded events in Storm Events since 1996 (data through 2026-06-30).

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
5	Hail	Relatively Low	Relatively Moderate	\$489,490	\$144,160	\$30,261	\$663,911	22	
6	Ice Storm	Relatively Moderate	Relatively Moderate	\$235,056	n/a	\$20,649	\$255,704	5	
7	Heat Wave	Very Low	Very Low	\$2,451	\$3	\$154,172	\$156,626	0	No recorded events in Storm Events since 1996 (data through 2026-06-30).
8	Earthquake	Very Low	Very Low	\$89,153	n/a	\$21,658	\$110,811		Storm Events does not record earthquakes.
9	Lightning	Relatively Low	Relatively Low	\$10,545	n/a	\$82,325	\$92,871	1	
10	Winter Weather	Relatively Low	Relatively Low	\$10,105	\$2,915	\$27,695	\$40,715	62	Includes 1 Sleet record (outside NRI's Winter Weather definition).
11	Hurricane	Very Low	Very Low	\$2,633	\$17,705	\$5	\$20,344	0	No recorded events in Storm Events since 1996 (data through 2026-06-30).
12	Wildfire	Very Low	Very Low	\$8,056	\$30	\$813	\$8,899	0	No recorded events in Storm Events since 1996 (data through 2026-06-30).
13	Landslide	Relatively Low	Very Low	\$428	n/a	\$3,750	\$4,178	0	No recorded events in Storm Events since 1996 (data through 2026-06-30).
14	Drought	No Rating	No Expected Annual Losses	n/a	\$0	n/a	\$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 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, coastal flooding, 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.

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 319 (Very Low, 39.8); tract 312 (Very Low, 37.0); tract 315 (Very Low, 31.2)
Hurricane	tract 319 (Very Low, 46.0); tract 315 (Very Low, 42.1); tract 301.01 (Very Low, 41.9)
Landslide	tract 313.01 (Relatively Low, 93.2); tract 319 (Relatively Low, 93.0); tract 304.02 (Relatively Low, 89.7)
Tornado	tract 319 (Relatively High, 93.2); tract 312 (Relatively High, 91.8); tract 315 (Relatively High, 91.1)
Wildfire	tract 313.01 (Relatively Low, 72.1); tract 319 (Relatively Low, 69.3); tract 314 (Very Low, 65.3)

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 319 is Census Tract 319). 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
Cold/Wind Chill, Extreme Cold/Wind Chill	wind chill	0					Wind chill: in event narratives only (local data needed).
Frost/Freeze (outside NRI's Cold Wave definition)	crop damage	0					Temperature: in event narratives only (local data needed).
Drought	U.S. Drought Monitor scale (D0 to D4)	0					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.

Hazard	Scale	Records <i>count and years</i>	Observed range	Worst recorded event	Most damaging (when different)	How it applies to jurisdictions	Note
Earthquake	Modified Mercalli (local data)	0					Storm Events does not record earthquakes; the USGS earthquake catalog is the source.
Hail	hail size (inches)	37 records, 1968 to 2026	0.5 in to 2.5 in (median 1 in); 37 with a recorded value	2.5 in hail, 2023-04-04; same size also recorded on 1968-06-11	Hail, 1994-07-06, property not recorded; \$5,000,000 crops (1994 dollars)	Event records naming jurisdictions in the plan: Belding city (5 records), Clarksville village (3 records), Ionia city (3 records), Portland city (3 records), Saranac village (3 records), Lake Odessa village (2 records), Pewamo village (1 record).	
Excessive Heat, Heat	heat index (in event narratives)	0					Heat index: in event narratives only (local data needed).
Hurricane, Tropical Storm, Tropical Depression	Saffir-Simpson	0					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)	5 records, 1997 to 2019 (5 zone-level)		Ice Storm, 2019-02-05, \$5,000,000 property; \$0 crops (2019 dollars); NWS zone MIZ058		Countywide (zone-level records).	Ice thickness: in event narratives only (local data needed).
Flash Flood, Flood, Lakeshore Flood	damage and flood days (flood depth: FIRM)	9 records, 1997 to 2020 (3 zone-level)		Flood, 2013-04-17, \$7,000,000 property; \$0 crops (2013 dollars)		Event records naming jurisdictions in the plan: Ionia city (2 records), Portland city (2 records), Belding city (1 record), Muir village (1 record). Zone-level records (3) 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					Physical measure: in event narratives only (local data needed).
Lightning	annualized frequency (the measure FEMA's Local Mitigation Planning Handbook names)	1 record, 1997		Lightning, 1997-07-08, damage not reported, 1 direct injury		Event records naming jurisdictions in the plan: Lake Odessa village (1 record).	Storm Events lists lightning with damage or casualties; physical measure in event narratives only (local data needed).
High Wind and Strong Wind (outside NRI's Strong Wind definition)	wind speed (kt and mph)	10 records, 1997 to 2019 (10 zone-level)	42 kt (48 mph) to 61 kt (70 mph) (median 52 kt (60 mph)); 9 with a recorded value	61 kt (70 mph) estimated gust, High Wind, 2013-11-17; NWS zone MIZ058	High Wind, 2017-03-08, \$10,000,000 property; \$0 crops, reported for the zone (2017 dollars)	Countywide (zone-level records).	

Hazard	Scale	Records <i>count and years</i>	Observed range	Worst recorded event	Most damaging (when different)	How it applies to jurisdictions	Note
Thunderstorm Wind	wind speed (kt and mph)	158 records, 1957 to 2026	50 kt (58 mph) to 74 kt (85 mph) (median 52 kt (60 mph)); 99 with a recorded value	74 kt (85 mph), measurement type not recorded, Thunderstorm Wind, 1991-07-07	Thunderstorm Wind, 2023-08-24, \$10,000,000 property; \$0 crops (2023 dollars)	Event records naming jurisdictions in the plan: Saranac village (21 records), Ionia city (15 records), Portland city (11 records), Belding city (10 records), Lake Odessa village (10 records), Clarksville village (8 records), Pewamo village (4 records), Lyons township (3 records), Muir village (3 records).	
Tornado	Enhanced Fujita (Fujita before Feb 2007)	25 records, 1960 to 2025	F/EF0 to F/EF2 (median F/EF1); 25 with a recorded value	F2 tornado, 1967-04-21, 33 yd wide, \$250,000 property; crops not recorded (1967 dollars), 6 direct injuries	Tornado, 2015-06-22, \$3,200,000 property; \$0 crops (2015 dollars)	Event records naming jurisdictions in the plan: Clarksville village (2 records), Muir village (2 records), Lake Odessa village (1 record), Pewamo village (1 record).	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					Acres burned: in event narratives only (local data needed).
Winter Storm, Heavy Snow, Blizzard, Lake-Effect Snow, Winter Weather, Sleet	none in data (snowfall: local data)	62 records, 1997 to 2025 (62 zone-level)		Winter Storm, 2018-04-14, \$100,000 property; \$0 crops (2018 dollars); NWS zone MIZ058		Countywide (zone-level records).	Snow depth: in event narratives only (local data needed).

Storm Events records are more complete after 1996; before 1996 only Tornado (from 1950), Hail and Thunderstorm Wind (from 1955) exist. Zone-level records whose zone 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: 16 declarations covering 12 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
2024-02-08	2023-08-24	DR-4757-MI	Major disaster	Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding	Inland Flooding (primary); also designated: Tornado	PA not declared for this county	within last 5 years	
2021-07-15	2021-06-25	DR-4607-MI	Major disaster	Severe Storms, Flooding, and Tornadoes	Inland Flooding; Tornado	\$409,965.64		
2020-03-27	2020-01-20	DR-4494-MI	Major disaster	COVID-19 Pandemic	Non-natural, not counted	no Public Assistance recorded		

Declared	Incident began	FEMA number	Type	Title	Mapped hazard	County Public Assistance		Notes
						<i>federal share obligated, nominal dollars</i>	Flags	
2020-03-13	2020-01-20	EM-3455-MI	Emergency	COVID-19	Non-natural, not counted	no Public Assistance recorded		same incident as DR-4494
2013-06-18	2013-04-16	DR-4121-MI	Major disaster	Flooding	Inland Flooding	\$101,853.16		
2005-09-07	2005-08-29	EM-3225-MI	Emergency	Hurricane Katrina Evacuation	Hurricane: evacuation support, not a local hazard event; not counted	no Public Assistance recorded		
2004-06-30	2004-05-20	DR-1527-MI	Major disaster	Severe Storms, Tornadoes, and Flooding	Inland Flooding; Tornado	PA not declared for this county		
2001-01-10	2000-12-11	EM-3160-MI	Emergency	Snow	Winter Weather	\$24,942.55		
1999-01-27	1999-01-02	EM-3137-MI	Emergency	Mi - Severe Weather 1/2 /99	Winter Weather	\$19,862.10		
1998-06-24	1998-05-29	DR-1226-MI	Major disaster	Severe Storms	Hazard not mapped (severe storm title names no single hazard); not counted	no Public Assistance recorded		
1986-09-18	1986-09-10	DR-774-MI	Major disaster	Severe Storms & Flooding	Inland Flooding	no Public Assistance recorded		
1978-01-27	1978-01-27	EM-3057-MI	Emergency	Blizzards & Snowstorms	Winter Weather	no Public Assistance recorded		
1977-02-05	1977-02-05	EM-3030-MI	Emergency	Snowstorms	Winter Weather	no Public Assistance recorded		
1976-03-19	1976-03-19	DR-495-MI	Major disaster	Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Icing & Flooding	Inland Flooding; Tornado	no Public Assistance recorded		
1975-04-26	1975-04-26	DR-465-MI	Major disaster	Severe Storms, High Winds & Flooding	Inland Flooding (primary); also designated: Strong Wind	no Public Assistance recorded		
1972-04-05	1972-04-05	DR-330-MI	Major disaster	Severe Storm & Freezing	Winter Weather	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
1956-04-05	1956-04-05	DR-53-MI	Major disaster	Tornado	Tornado
1953-06-09	1953-06-09	DR-6-MI	Major disaster	Tornado	Tornado
1953-06-02	1953-06-02	DR-4-MI	Major disaster	Tornado	Tornado

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.

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 <i>records</i>	In the 12 months before plan approval <i>records</i>	Last 5 years <i>records</i>	Declared incidents, all years <i>separate disasters</i>	Declared since approval <i>separate disasters</i>	Period	Statement
Cold Wave	0	0	0	0	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	No recorded events, 1996 to 2026-06-30, NOAA NCEI Storm Events
Drought	0	0	0	0	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	No recorded events, 1996 to 2026-06-30, NOAA NCEI Storm Events
Earthquake	0	0	0	0	0	0		Storm Events does not record earthquakes; the USGS earthquake catalog is the source.
Hail	37	1	1	6	0	0	1955 to 2026-06-30	
Heat Wave	0	0	0	0	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	No recorded events, 1996 to 2026-06-30, NOAA NCEI Storm Events
Hurricane	0	0	0	0	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	No recorded events, 1996 to 2026-06-30, NOAA NCEI Storm Events
Ice Storm	5	0	0	0	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	
Inland Flooding	9	0	0	0	7	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	
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	1	0	0	0	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	
Strong Wind	168	13	6	26	1	0	1955 to 2026-06-30	Includes 9 High Wind and 1 Strong Wind records.
Tornado	25	0	2	2	4	0	1950 to 2026-06-30	
Wildfire	0	0	0	0	0	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	No recorded events, 1996 to 2026-06-30, NOAA NCEI Storm Events
Winter Weather	62	1	0	6	5	0	1996 to 2026-06-30	Includes 1 Sleet record.

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
2023-08-24	Thunderstorm Wind	70 kt (81 mph) estimated gust	\$10,000,000 property; \$0 crops (2023 dollars)	0, 0	CLARKSVILLE	within last 5 years	B1-c most damaging: Thunderstorm Wind
2023-04-04	Hail	2.5 in	\$500,000 property; \$0 crops (2023 dollars)	0, 0	LAKE ODESSA	within last 5 years	B1-c worst recorded: Hail
2019-02-05	Ice Storm		\$5,000,000 property; \$0 crops, reported for the zone (2019 dollars)	0, 0	NWS zone MIZ058 (IONIA), zone-level		B1-c worst recorded: Ice Storm
2018-04-14	Winter Storm		\$100,000 property; \$0 crops, reported for the zone (2018 dollars)	0, 0	NWS zone MIZ058 (IONIA), zone-level		B1-c worst recorded: Winter Storm, Heavy Snow, Blizzard, Lake-Effect Snow, Winter Weather, Sleet
2017-03-08	High Wind	54 kt (62 mph) measured gust	\$10,000,000 property; \$0 crops, reported for the zone (2017 dollars)	0, 0	NWS zone MIZ058 (IONIA), zone-level		B1-c most damaging: High Wind and Strong Wind
2015-06-22	Tornado	EF1, 4.61 mi within this county, 100 yd wide	\$3,200,000 property; \$0 crops (2015 dollars)	0, 5	KENT CORNER to FROST CORNERS		deaths or injuries recorded
2013-11-17	High Wind	61 kt (70 mph) estimated gust	\$100,000 property; \$0 crops, reported for the zone (2013 dollars)	0, 0	NWS zone MIZ058 (IONIA), zone-level		B1-c worst recorded: High Wind and Strong Wind
2013-04-17	Flood		\$7,000,000 property; \$0 crops (2013 dollars)	0, 0	BELDING to CAMPBELL CORNERS		B1-c worst recorded: Flash Flood, Flood, Lakeshore Flood
1997-07-08	Lightning		damage not reported	0, 1	LAKE ODESSA		B1-c worst recorded: Lightning
1992-06-17	Thunderstorm Wind	61 kt (70 mph), measurement type not recorded	damage not recorded (pre-1996 record)	0, 5	location not recorded		deaths or injuries recorded
1991-07-07	Thunderstorm Wind	74 kt (85 mph), measurement type not recorded	damage not recorded (pre-1996 record)	0, 0	location not recorded		B1-c worst recorded: Thunderstorm Wind
1967-04-21	Tornado	F2, 33 yd wide	\$250,000 property; crops not recorded (1967 dollars)	0, 6	location not recorded		deaths or injuries recorded

The full list is in the Excel file, sheet "B1-d Storm Events history" (307 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
Cold Wave	2.05	event-days per year	about 2.05 days per year		event-days in 0 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (0%)	39	2005-11-12 to 2024-11-12 (19 years)	countywide	No Storm Events cold wave record, 1996 to 2025.
Drought	0	event-days per year	none modeled		event-days in 0 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (0%)	0	2000 to 2025 (25.25 years; D3 and D4 only)	countywide	No Storm Events drought record, 1996 to 2025
Earthquake	0.000752	annual probability at a location	chance a given location in the county has at least minor-damage shaking in a year: 0.0752%			not shown	modeled	see B1-f	No descriptor (Storm Events does not record earthquakes).
Hail	2.08	events per year	about 2.08 per year	Highly likely	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled)	79.1 (modeled)	1986 to 2023 (38 years)	countywide	
Heat Wave	2.21	event-days per year	about 2.21 days per year		event-days in 0 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (0%)	32	2005-11-12 to 2024-11-12 (19 years)	countywide	No Storm Events heat wave record, 1996 to 2025
Hurricane	0.0148	events per year	about 1 in 68 years	Possible	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled)	6	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	1.47	event-days per year	about 1.47 days per year	Likely (from Storm Events: 4 of 30 years)	event-days in 4 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (13.3%)	99	1946-12-31 to 2014-02-12 (67 years)	countywide	
Inland Flooding	0.321	event-days per year	about 0.321 days per year	Likely (from Storm Events: 8 of 30 years)	event-days in 8 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (26.7%)	9	1996 to 2023 (28 years)	see B1-f	
Landslide	0.128	events per year (modeled)	about 1 in 8 years	Likely	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled)	not shown	modeled	see B1-f	
Lightning	32.8	days per year with a strike	about 32.8 days per year	Highly likely	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled)	not shown	1995 to 2023 (29 years; CONUS)	countywide	
Strong Wind	3.75	events per year	about 3.75 per year	Highly likely	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled)	143	1986 to 2023 (38 years)	countywide	

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
Tornado	0.245	events per year	about 1 in 4 years	Likely	FEMA annualized frequency (modeled)	not shown	1950 to 2023 (EF2+); 1986 to 2023 (EF0-1)	see B1-f	
Wildfire	0.0000195	annual probability at a location	chance a given location in the county burns in a year: 0.00195%		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	17.9	event-days per year	about 17.9 days per year	Likely (from Storm Events: 25 of 30 years)	event-days in 25 of 30 years, 1996 to 2025 (83.3%)	341	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	10	30	0.333
Hail	2.00 in+	1996 to 2025	2	30	0.0667
Thunderstorm Wind (counted as NRI Strong Wind)	50-64 kt	1996 to 2025	78	30	2.6
Thunderstorm Wind (counted as NRI Strong Wind)	65 kt+	1996 to 2025	2	30	0.0667
Thunderstorm Wind (counted as NRI Strong Wind)	unmeasured or below 50 kt	1996 to 2025	19	30	0.633
Tornado	EF0-1	1996 to 2025	11	30	0.367
Tornado	EF2-3	1996 to 2025	0	30	0
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	
Cold Wave	16 of 16	46.1	66.9	83.3	Relatively High 2, Relatively Moderate 13, Relatively Low 1
Drought	0 of 16				No Rating 16
Earthquake	16 of 16	2.5	19.5	39.8	Very Low 16
Hail	16 of 16	42.1	79.8	91.2	Relatively High 1, Relatively Moderate 11, Relatively Low 4
Heat Wave	16 of 16	6.6	11.5	24.2	Relatively Low 4, Very Low 12
Hurricane	16 of 16	14.6	35.6	46.0	Very Low 16
Ice Storm	16 of 16	32.7	78.9	91.0	Relatively High 1, Relatively Moderate 11, Relatively Low 3, Very Low 1
Inland Flooding	16 of 16	0.5	49.0	92.2	Relatively High 3, Relatively Moderate 5, Relatively Low 7, Very Low 1
Landslide	16 of 16	55.2	82.8	93.2	Relatively Low 9, Very Low 7
Lightning	16 of 16	18.6	29.2	46.0	Relatively Low 15, Very Low 1
Strong Wind	16 of 16	78.4	93.4	98.7	Very High 4, Relatively High 10, Relatively Moderate 2

Hazard	Tracts <i>rated of all</i>	NRI risk score, 0 to 100			Tracts by rating
		Min	Median	Max	
Tornado	16 of 16	58.4	75.2	93.2	Relatively High 8, Relatively Moderate 8
Wildfire	16 of 16	29.7	60.0	72.1	Relatively Low 2, Very Low 14
Winter Weather	16 of 16	36.4	48.0	65.2	Relatively Moderate 8, Relatively Low 8

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, 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.

Each jurisdiction (starting figures from federal data)

Sources: 1, 3, 4, 6

Jurisdiction	Type	Plan status	Repetitive loss <i>FMA RL and SRL (44 CFR 77.2); repeat-flood, any definition</i>	Public Assistance to this jurisdiction <i>FEMA records matched by applicant name; federal share obligated, nominal dollars</i>	Event records naming this place <i>all years; since its plan</i>	Notes
Ionia County	County	Approved, expires 2030-05-27		\$427,225.06	0 total; 0 since its plan	No NFIP community ID on this jurisdiction's plan row.
Belding city	City	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	\$17,495.49	16 total; 0 since its plan	
Clarksville village	Village	Plan 110782 approved 2025-05-28, pending adoption here; not yet eligible	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	no Public Assistance recorded	13 total; no approved plan	
Ionia city	City	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 2	no Public Assistance recorded	20 total; 1 since its plan	
Lake Odessa village	Village	Plan 110782 approved 2025-05-28, pending adoption here; not yet eligible	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	\$2,356.16	14 total; no approved plan	
Muir village	Village	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	\$13,290.44	6 total; 0 since its plan	
Pewamo village	Village	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	\$2,492.54	6 total; 1 since its plan	
Portland city	City	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 1	no Public Assistance recorded	16 total; 2 since its plan	
Saranac village	Village	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	\$5,275.50	24 total; 2 since its plan	
Berlin township	Township	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	no Public Assistance recorded	0 total; 0 since its plan	
Boston township	Township	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	no Public Assistance recorded	0 total; 0 since its plan	

Jurisdiction	Type	Plan status	Repetitive loss <i>FMA RL and SRL (44 CFR 77.2); repeat-flood, any definition</i>	Public Assistance to this jurisdiction <i>FEMA records matched by applicant name; federal share obligated, nominal dollars</i>	Event records naming this place <i>all years; since its plan</i>	Notes
Campbell township	Township	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	no Public Assistance recorded	0 total; 0 since its plan	
Easton township	Township	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	no Public Assistance recorded	0 total; 0 since its plan	
Lyons township	Township	Approved, expires 2030-05-27	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	no Public Assistance recorded	3 total; 1 since its plan	
Odessa township	Township	Plan 110782 approved 2025-05-28, pending adoption here; not yet eligible	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	no Public Assistance recorded	0 total; no approved plan	
Sebewa township	Township	Plan 110782 approved 2025-05-28, pending adoption here; not yet eligible	FMA RL 0, SRL 0; any 0	no Public Assistance recorded	0 total; no approved plan	

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

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 2025-05-28 <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
Cold Wave	\$14,339,745,721	\$493,054,031	66,764	\$483	\$358,116	\$1,241,938	under 0.0001%				
Drought	n/a	\$0	n/a	n/a	\$0	n/a					agriculture exposure is 0 in NRI
Earthquake	\$24,633,057,361	n/a	66,804	\$89,153	n/a	\$21,658	0.000362%				
Hail	\$14,339,745,721	\$493,054,031	66,764	\$489,490	\$144,160	\$30,261	0.00341%				
Heat Wave	\$14,339,745,721	\$493,054,031	66,764	\$2,451	\$3	\$154,172	under 0.0001%				
Hurricane	\$14,339,745,721	\$488,426,419	66,764	\$2,633	\$17,705	\$5	under 0.0001%				
Ice Storm	\$14,339,527,575	n/a	66,763	\$235,056	n/a	\$20,649	0.00164%				
Inland Flooding	\$14,323,600,854	\$8,205,314	1,155	\$10,789,102	\$3,186	\$1,553	n/a (see note)				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	\$212,527,689	n/a	1,049	\$428	n/a	\$3,750	0.000201%				
Lightning	\$14,339,745,721	n/a	66,764	\$10,545	n/a	\$82,325	under 0.0001%				
Strong Wind	\$14,339,745,721	\$493,054,031	66,764	\$1,481,397	\$52,924	\$611,736	0.0103%				
Tornado	\$14,339,745,721	\$493,054,031	66,764	\$1,869,759	\$11,794	\$1,749,937	0.013%				

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 2025-05-28 <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	\$5,178,611,176	\$171,911,531	24,591	\$8,056	\$30	\$813	0.000156%				
Winter Weather	\$14,339,745,721	\$493,054,031	66,764	\$10,105	\$2,915	\$27,695	under 0.0001%				

Totals since 2025-05-28 (Storm Events through 2026-06-30): 14 county-coded records, 0 with a damage value recorded (including \$0), \$0; 1 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	66,764
Building value (total, not at risk)	\$14,339,745,721
Agriculture value (total, not at risk)	\$493,054,031
NRI risk rating (all hazards)	Relatively Low
Expected annual loss, buildings and agriculture, all hazards	\$15,579,491
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)	\$3,946,494
Social vulnerability rating	Relatively Low
Community resilience rating	Very High
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)	0	Severe repetitive loss, FMA definition (44 CFR 77.2)	0
Repetitive loss, NFIP insurance definition	3	Severe repetitive loss, NFIP insurance definition	0

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	0	0	3	0	3	0	2
of which: Ionia city	0	0	2	0	2	0	1
of which: Portland city	0	0	1	0	1	0	1
Statewide, no county in FEMA's file	0	0	4	0	4	0	0

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>
Belding city	260096	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Clarksville village	261437	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Ionia city	260097	0	0	2	0	2	0	1
Lake Odessa village	260419	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Muir village	260916	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pewamo village	261445	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Portland city	260574	0	0	1	0	1	0	1
Saranac village	260421	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Berlin township	261377	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Boston township	261428	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Campbell township	261432	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Easton township	260727	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lyons township	261867	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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>
Odessa township	261441	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sebewa township	261447	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	0	0	3	0	3	0	2
2 to 4 unit residential	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
other residential	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
non-residential	0	0	0	0	0	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 3 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, organized by the items of FEMA's Local Mitigation Plan Review Tool, Element B. Each section heading names the item its tables support; the plan and FEMA's review decide whether the 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.

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