

## Aroostook County 2020 Hazard Mitigation Planning Municipal Survey

Here is a link to our website with your municipalities 2016 Information:

<https://aroostookema.com/> - click on the Plan and Prepare tab, the 2016 Hazard Mitigation Plan is loaded for everyone. Section 4 has all your municipalities information.

Please update:

### **Municipality Information -**

#### **1. Community Name & Name of Individual Responding to Survey:**

TOWN OF LINNEUS

CARROLL WILLETT  
TOWN MANAGER

#### **2. Local EMA Contact or Hazard Mitigation Representative:**

**2a. Name:** CARROLL WILLETT  
TOWN MANAGER

MARK GANZEL  
FIRE CHIEF

**2b. Telephone Number:** 207-532-6182  
207-538-0768 (CELL)

207-694-4373 (CELL)

**2c. Email:** cfwillelinneus@pwless.net

linneus.fire.department.maine@gmail.com

**2d. Physical Address:** LINNEUS TOWN OFFICE, 1185 HODGDON MILLS RD., LINNEUS, ME  
1841 BANGOR ROAD  
LINNEUS, ME 04730

354 DREWS MILLS ROAD  
LINNEUS, ME 04730

#### **3. Governance (When does your Select Board, Board of Assessors or City Council, Regularly Meet? For example, the first Monday of the Month):**

SELECTMEN/ASSESSORS MEET THE 3<sup>RD</sup> WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH AT 6:30P.M.

#### **4. Please identify vulnerable populations in your municipality.**

ELDERLY INDIVIDUALS LIVING ALONE.

## **Municipality Hazard Information –**

### **5. Flooding, please identify areas in your community that are susceptible to damages from flooding and/or that have had repeated flood damages.**

BITHER BROOK CROSSING ON FOLSOM ROAD AND BURTON ROAD

BEAVER BROOK CROSSING OF SOUTH OAKFIELD ROAD

INTERSECTION OF BATES RIDGE ROAD AND DREWS MILLS ROAD; EROSION OF GRAVEL SURFACE BURTON ROAD HILL; EROSION OF GRAVEL SURFACE HEAVY RAIN EVENT AND SPRING MELT SOUTH OAKFIELD ROAD CROW HILL; GRAVEL SURFACE EROSION DURING SPRING MELT AND HEAVY RAIN EVENTS.

### **6. Severe Winter Storms, please identify areas in your community that are susceptible to severe winter storms, including ice jams and power outages.**

ALL AREAS OF THE TOWN. POWER OUTAGES FROM WIND, OVERLOADED POWER LINES-SNOW; DOWNED TREES FROM WIND, OR SNOW LOAD OR A COMBINATION OF BOTH. LOSS OF ACCESS FROM HEAVY SNOW EVENTS, PARTICULARLY ON PRIVATELY MAINTAINED ROADS SUCH AS THE SOUTH SHORE ROAD WHICH PROVIDES ACCESS TO VARIOUS HOMES ON MEDUXNEKEAG LAKE; OR THE FIRE ROAD WHICH PROVIDES ACCESS TO A FEW INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE LIVING OFF THE GRID.

### **7. Severe Summer Storms, please identify areas in your community that are susceptible to severe summer storms, including power outages, debris removal and flash flooding.**

ALL AREAS OF THE TOWN. POWER OUTAGES FROM DOWNED TREES ON POWER LINES; HIGH WIND AND HEAVY RAIN IN COMBINATION OR BY THEMSELVES. FLASH FLODDING ALONG ROADS AND CROSS CULVERTS. TREE AND BRANCH REMOVAL FROM POWER LINES AND ROADS DURING AND AFTER A STORM. REPAIR OF ROAD SURFACES, PARTICULARLY AS MENTIONED IN 5.

### **8. Wildfire/Forest Fire, please identify areas in your community that are the most susceptible to wildfires/ forest fires.**

AREA SOUTH OF THE SOUTH OAKFIELD ROAD AND THE HODGDON MILLS ROAD; ALSO THE NORTH-WEST QUARTER OF THE TOWN, WEST OF THE NEW LIMERICK ROAD. THESE AREAS ARE MORE HEAVILY COVERED WITH UNBROKEN FOREST.

### **9. Drought, please identify areas in your community that are the most susceptible to drought.**

ALL AREAS OF THE TOWN. THOSE MOST VULNERABLE ARE THE PROPERTIES THAT RELY ON SHALLOW ~~ONE~~ WELLS, OR SURFACE SPRINGS FOR WATER SUPPLY. FIRE FIGHTING CAPABILITY IS ALSO IMPACTED, AS THE FIRE DEPARTMENT RELIES ON A READY SUPPLY OF SURFACE WATER TO EFFECTIVELY FIGHT ANY FIRE.

## **Municipality Asset Inventory –**

### ***Does your municipality have:***

**A. Town Office -** YES; 1185 HODGDON MILLS ROAD, LINNEUS

**B. Fire/Rescue Department -** YES; 1811 BANGOR ROAD, LINNEUS

**C. Ambulance Service -** NO; CONTRACTED WITH HOULTON

**D. Police Department -** NO; PROVIDED BY AROOSTOOK COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE AND STATE POLICE.

**E. Public Works (Road Crew's, Salt, Sand) -** ROAD COMMISSIONER; BRUCE WARMAN  
SUMMER ROAD MAINTENANCE BY VARIOUS CONTRACTORS UNDER HIS SUPERVISION;  
WINTER ROAD MAINTENANCE CONTRACTED TO PALMER CONSTRUCTION

**F. State Highway (Maintenance Lots) -** YES; 1995 BANGOR ROAD-INACTIVE?

**G. Hospital/Health Clinic -** NO

**H. Sewage Treatment -** NO

**I. Town Water Supply -** NO

**J. Dams -** YES; MEDUXNEKEAG (DREWS) LAKE IMPOUNDMENT.