

Municipal Vulnerability Preparedness (MVP) Workshop

<u>Timeline</u>

- 1. **SUMMER 2019:** Applied for the MVP planning grant, formed a Core Group, and selected state-certified MVP consultant (Kleinfelder)
- 2. LATE SUMMER 2019: Core Group meeting to identify initial target hazards
- 3. EARLY FALL 2019: Gathered available background information
- 4. OCTOBER 29, 2019: Hold 8-hour workshop
- 5. LATE FALL 2019: Finalize workshop outcomes into a report
- 6. MARCH 2, 2020: Hold public listening session
- 7. LATE SPRING 2020: Be designated a "Climate Change Municipal Vulnerability Preparedness Community" by EOEAA
- 8. **FUTURE:** Increased funding opportunities through MVP Action grant program

Terminology

100-year storm: a storm that has a 1% chance of occurring during any given year.

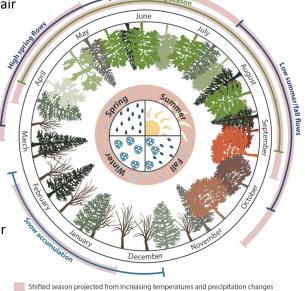
| Storm Recurrence Interval | Annual chance of occurring | Inches of Rain in 24 hours | | | | |
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| 500-year | 1/500 = 0.2% | 11.3 | | | | |
| 100-year | 1/100 = 1% | 8.27 | | | | |
| 25-year | 1/25 = 4% | 6.45 | | | | |
| 10-year | 1/10 = 10% | 5.26 | | | | |

Microburst: an intense small-scale column of sinking air (downdraft) produced by a thunderstorm or rain shower and is usually less than or equal to 2.5 miles in diameter.

Drought: Widespread drought has occurred across the region as recently as 2016, and before that in the early 2000s, 1980s, and mid-1960s. More frequent and severe droughts are expected as climate change continues to increase temperatures, raise evaporation rates, and dry out soils - even in spite of more precipitation and heavier rainfall events. More rainfall in large events could mean longer gaps with no rainfall locally.

Heat wave: Three consecutive days over 90 degrees.







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Brush Fires

Interface: has less than 50% vegetative cover

Intermix: has more than 50% vegetative cover

Heat Degree Days (HDD): is a

measurement designed to quantify the demand for energy needed to heat a building, derived from measurements of outside air temperature.

Cooling Degree Days (CDD): a

measurement designed to quantify the demand for energy needed to cool buildings.

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*Summer is considered to be the 91 days of June through August

Core Teams

| Medway's Team | Kleinfelder Team | | | | | |
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| Allison Potter | Laura Nolan | | | | | |
| Bridget Graziano | John Rahill | | | | | |
| Susan Affleck-Childs | Jill Rossini | | | | | |
| Peter Pelletier | | | | | | |