

**PUBLIC PARTICIPATION NEEDED!**

# BRULE COUNTY



## HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN PUBLIC SURVEY

The Brule County Office of Emergency Management is in the process of updating the County's Hazard Mitigation Plan. Hazard mitigation planning helps local leaders better understand risks from natural hazards, promoting the development of long-term strategies to reduce the effects of disaster-related events and their negative impact on people, property, and environment. Brule County is seeking feedback from stakeholders and the public to incorporate into the plan.

### WHAT IS A HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN & WHY IS IT IMPORTANT?

The hazard mitigation plan represents Brule County's commitment to reduce risks from natural hazards, such as flooding, severe summer and winter weather, drought, and wildfires. The plan serves as a guide for local decision makers as they commit resources to reducing the effects of natural hazards, and it creates a framework for Brule County to reduce negative impacts from future disasters on lives, property, and the local economy.

## TAKE THE SURVEY

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### PUBLIC PARTICIPATION IN HAZARD MITIGATION PLANNING

Public participation in the Brule County Hazard Mitigation Plan is an opportunity for county residents to evaluate a variety of potential hazards affecting the county and it is important to the overall success of the plan. Once approved, the plan will make Brule County and the participating municipalities eligible to apply for FEMA hazard mitigation funding.

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