

MIAMI VALLEY LONG TERM DISASTER RECOVERY

The Miami Valley will build a comprehensive, long-term disaster recovery system using the National Disaster Recovery Framework (NDRF) to serve all impacted counties & jurisdictions. The NDRF provides guidance to enable recovery by defining recommended roles, responsibilities, coordination and planning among all jurisdictions. Based on decades of disaster response best practices, it focuses on how to restore, redevelop and revitalize the health, social, physical, economic, natural and environmental fabric of community and build resiliency for the future.

There are two major components of the long-term disaster recovery system, Individual Recovery and Community Recovery. Though these branches of the network must work in coordination, they are entirely separate.

The Individual Recovery branch focuses on assisting people impacted by the disaster with their personal and property recovery. The Community Recovery branch focuses on assisting local jurisdictions with planning, policy and coordination efforts designed to accomplish both economic recovery and increased resiliency.

Certainly those working in either branch of the recovery will be interested in supporting each other. Those in the Individual Recovery branch will naturally be interested in policy and planning on issues of concern to them and their work. Likewise, those in the Community Recovery branch genuinely care about helping the people who are struggling personally as a result of the disaster. Each branch will have its own full-time Disaster Recovery Manager and part of their role will be to help individuals and organizations find the best place to plug into the recovery efforts based on resources and to keep both branches of the recovery network apprised of each other's progress.

The common link between the two branches of the long term disaster recovery system will be the Disaster Recovery Managers and the Miami Valley Long Term Disaster Recovery Advisory Committee. This advisory committee will provide high-level advocacy and support for both the Individual and Community long term recovery network efforts. It will be comprised of elected officials and executive leaders from local governments, school districts, education institutions, business organizations, utility providers and community foundations.

LONG TERM INDIVIDUAL DISASTER RECOVERY NETWORK

The Long Term Individual Disaster Recovery Network, functioning currently as the Disaster Recovery Operations Group, will coordinate the efforts of critical non-profits, social service agencies and foundations to meet the recovery needs of individuals impacted by the disaster.

The recovery timeline for the Individual Network is one to three years.

The Long Term Individual Disaster Recovery Network will be led by Disaster Recovery Manager and a Board representing the involved organizations.

Within the Individual Network, well established groups will focus efforts on the following areas:

Unmet Needs

- Made up of organizations that have resources to give individuals, this group will come and go based on what they have to give

Finance

- Fiscal Sponsor
- Financial Asset Map

Housing

- Repair & Rebuild of Impacted Properties
- Construction Estimates
- Homeownership Counseling and Support
- Material Acquisition and Distribution
- Code Compliance
- Project Coordination

Disaster Case Management

- Intake and Referral
- Develop Recovery Plans
- Coordinate with Recovery Partners in Delivery of Services

Emotional & Spiritual Care

- Crisis Intervention
- Develop Faith Based Partnership Network
- Collaborate with Disaster Case Managers
- Canvas for Unmet Needs

Material Management

- In-Kind Donations
- Warehousing
- Distribution

Volunteer Management

- Identify Volunteer Opportunities
- Recruit
- Qualify and Skill Assess for Select Assignments
- Assign / Schedule
- Hospitality and Debrief

LONG TERM COMMUNITY DISASTER RECOVERY NETWORK

The Miami Valley Regional Planning Commission will be the designated leader of the Long-Term Community Disaster Recovery Network. Community Recovery engages local governments to coordinate the application for, distribution of and progress reporting for disaster aid funding from multiple federal sources.

The central focus of Community Long-Term Recovery is the intentional and strategic incorporation of mitigation actions and inclusive, comprehensive planning in recovery decision making. This results in resiliency and preparedness for future disasters.

The recovery timeline for the Community Network is one to ten years.

The Long Term Community Disaster Recovery Network will be led by Disaster Recovery Manager hired by MVRPC and a committee of representatives from impacted communities.

Within the Community Network, well established groups will focus efforts on the following areas:

Housing Planning & Policy

- Affordable Housing
- Permitting & Zoning
- Strengthen Housing Market
- Land Use Planning
- Build Inclusive & Sustainable Communities
- Mitigation Measures
- Resilient Construction Implementation
- Homeownership Programs

Community Planning and Capacity Building

- Community Assessments
- Planning, Managing and Implementing Recovery

Economic Recovery

- Business Recovery
- Economic Development
- Workforce Development
- Community Investments

Natural and Cultural Resources Recovery

- Historic Preservation
- Environmental Planning
- Green Space
- Community Well-being
- Resource Protection
- Arts/Culture/History

Health & Social Services Recovery

- Restore and Improve Health Care and Social Service Capabilities
- Increase Resilience and Sustainability
- Promote Independence and Well-being of Community Members
- Build Community

Infrastructure Systems Recovery

- Identify/Prioritize Critical Infrastructure Systems and Assets
- Create an Interagency, Inter-Jurisdictional Recovery Plan