

Objective	Activity/Task	Time Frame					Responsible Party/Parties	Cost	Notes
		2004	2005	2006	2007	2008			
4. Ensure public safety during and after a hazard event.	1. Arrange agreements for use of possible shelter locations in village.						Disaster Coordinator	\$25 in copies, office supplies	Potential shelter locations include Presbyterian Church, Fire Department, and Amesville Elementary. Also, residents with basements can be urged to open them to those without basements in case of tornado.
	2. Maintain and update a vulnerable population database.						Mayor, village council, disaster coordinator	Mayor is paid \$20/month	The village already maintains a list of people to be checked on in emergencies. This list will be posted in the village office and updated annually.
	3. Maintain supply of drinking water at fire department for distribution as needed.						Disaster Coordinator	\$500/day for bottled water	One gallon per person per day
	4. Identify a heliport location.						Disaster Coordinator	None to village	
	5. Work with Athens County Food Pantry to coordinate use of food items as needed.						Disaster Coordinator	None to village	Food pantry branch located in Presbyterian Church
	6. Create village policy for water restrictions.						Village Council	Council members paid \$/month	
	7. Buy three-phase portable backup generator to run village water pumps in emergencies.						Village Council	\$1,500	
	8. Obtain agreement with Ames-Bern-Amesville Volunteer Fire Department for use of generators in emergencies.						Village Council, Fire Department	None to village	
	9. Obtain satellite phone for village officials' use in emergencies.						Mitigation Committee	\$650 for phone, plus \$50/month for service	To provide communications with outside if phone lines are down or substation is damaged; no cell service in Amesville.
	10. Encourage installation of cellular phone towers to provide wireless coverage in Amesville.						Mayor, Village Council, Mitigation Committee	\$25 in copies, office supplies	Letters, phone calls to cellular companies
	11. Work with Columbia Gas to develop map of gas line shut-off valves.						Disaster Coordinator	None to village	
5. Design the built and landscaped environment to minimize loss or damage from natural hazards.	1. Offer information on creating a safe shelter in homes.						Disaster Coordinator	None to village	Available from FEMA
	2. Explore the idea of dry dam construction in upland areas.						Mitigation Committee and County RPC	None to village	
	3. Explore pond construction as a way to reduce flooding.						County SWCD, Mitigation Committee and County RPC	None to village	
	4. Update the Homebuyers/Builder's Guide produced by the Athens County Soil and Water Conservation District.						County SWCD & County RPC	None to village	Village can participate in updates and receive copies from Athens County SWCD and County RPC.
	5. Explore possibility of elevating/moving village water plant.						Mitigation Committee	None to village	Potential cost is in millions of dollars.