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Schoharie County Multi-Jurisdiction Hazard Mitigation Plan Town of Fulton

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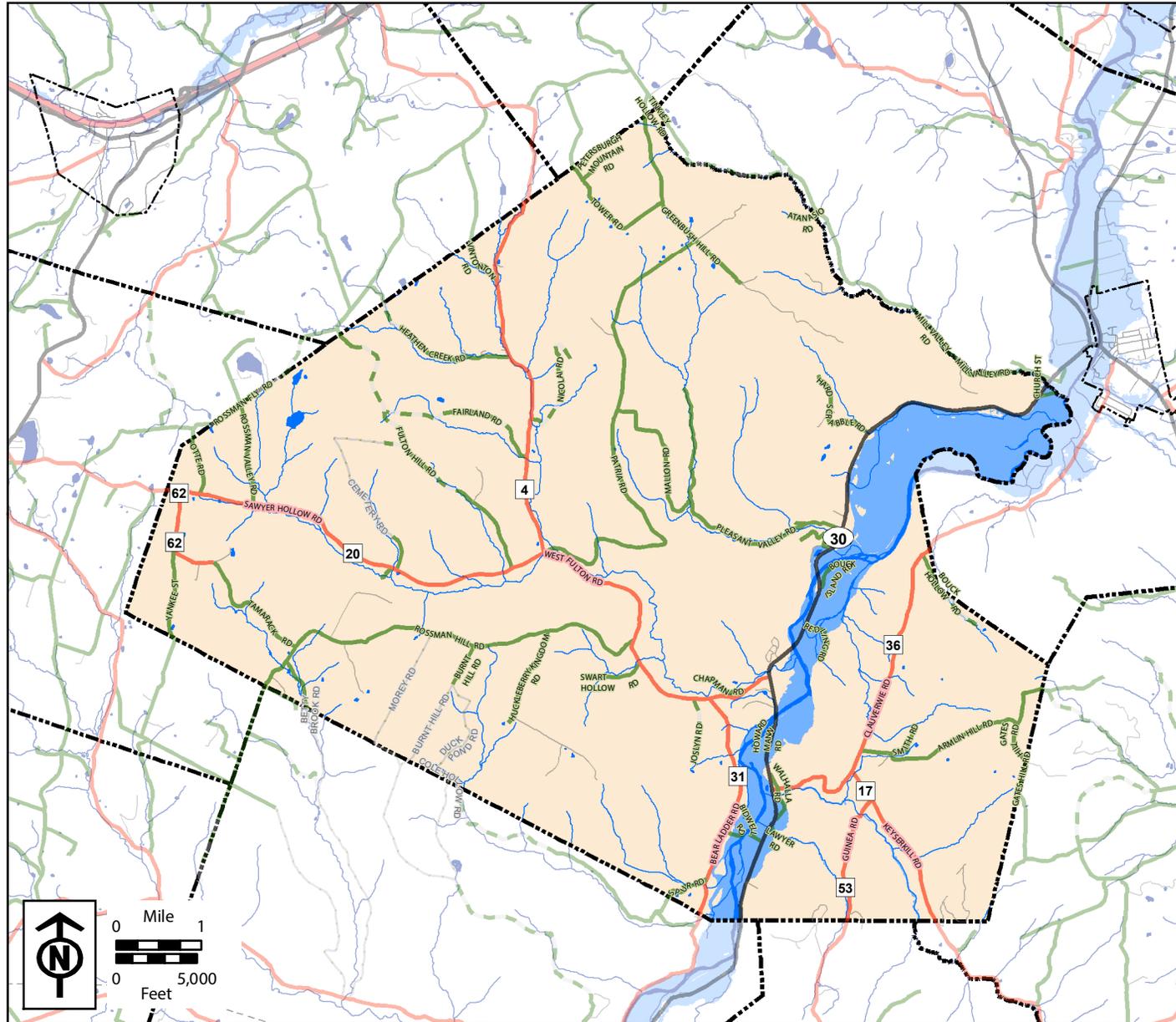
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| Flood | Hazardous Materials |
| Dam Failure | Tornado |
| Winter Storms | Wildfire |
| Ice Storms | Terrorist Act |

HAZARD MITIGATION PRIORITIES

- Consider Hazard Mitigation Goals when setting policies, preparing budgets and making land use decisions
- Review and update local Hazard Mitigation Plan provisions regularly, and at least annually
- Encourage/ promote Flood Insurance (NFIP) participation
- Encourage hazard mitigation measures for Repetitive Loss Properties in flood zones
- Promote citizen awareness and participation in hazard mitigation measures
- Coordinate Hazard Mitigation needs and activities with County Planning and Emergency Management
- Monitor changing vulnerabilities and conditions related to potential hazards

HAZARD MITIGATION GOALS AND PROJECTS

- Evaluate 36 structures in the special flood hazard area to determine if property acquisition, or the elevation and flood-proofing of structures and utilities are warranted
- Inventory floodplain structures and educate/assist property owners with measures to protect existing development; such as elevation of properties and utilities, sewer backup protection and flood-proofing. A priority site for elevation/acquisition is on Pleasant Valley Road.
- Work with the County to identify, create and maintain firebreaks on forested steep slopes near structures. Priority areas are in the Eminence
- Extension of municipal sewer and water, and related infrastructure improvements to reduce prevent flood losses
- Study, develop, and implement projects for stabilizing streambanks in locations where erosion threatens development and agriculture, particularly Pleasant Valley Creek



Repetitive Loss Property
 High Hazard Dam
 Chemical Bulk Storage
 Pipelines
 100 Year Floodplain