

# Jasper County Hazard Mitigation Plan

In April, 2009, our office was contacted by the Harry S. Truman Coordinating Council (HSTCC) to assist them with the revision of the Jasper County Hazard Mitigation Plan. The plan is designed as a tool for the County in controlling the hazardous effects of natural disasters and to improve public awareness of probable natural disasters in Jasper County. Our Board adopted the plan at the March 18, 2011 Board of Governor's meeting.

When we applied for FEMA funds to build our FEMA shelter we sent in the Board adoption resolution from 2011 in response to the question on the application as to whether we participate in a Hazard Mitigation Plan. We presume that assisted us with the application process.

The plan expires this year (May 11, 2016) and the HSTCC was contacted by SEMA to update the plan. We have been contacted again by HSTCC to have our Board of Governor's adopt the revised plan.

We have the plan here for anyone to review but we just need this Board to adopt the revised Jasper-Newton Bi-County Hazard Mitigation Plan.