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PUBLIC MEETING SCHEDULED TO DISCUSS THE PALO PINTO COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION ACTION PLAN

August 2, 2019– A public meeting to discuss the Palo Pinto County Hazard Mitigation Action Plan (HazMAP) is scheduled for Thursday, August 8th at 1PM in the Palo Pinto County Extension Office located at 221 South 5th Avenue, Palo Pinto TX 76484.

The participating jurisdictions in Palo Pinto County are updating the current multi-jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Action Plan (HazMAP) in order to create a more resilient and safer community for residents, businesses, and visitors. As natural hazards are becoming more frequent and damages more costly, mitigation actions are key to keeping the community safe. We are requesting citizen involvement in the update of the Palo Pinto County HazMAP. By completing and updating the HazMAP, participating jurisdictions are entitled to apply for future federal relief dollars to fund specific mitigation projects, designed to reduce and/or eliminate vulnerabilities resulting from disaster events throughout the county.

During the meeting, the public is invited to make comments or suggestions. Local emergency management officials will be on hand to answer any questions. All comments received from the public will be documented and considered for inclusion in the HazMAP.

This HazMAP is being completed through a cooperative effort of officials from Palo Pinto County and the cities of Gordon, Mineral Wells, Mingus, and Strawn.

