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Call in: 800-320-4330 PIN: 136818#

Webinar: https://fema.connectsolutions.com/rm_hug/

Introductions

- Facilitators Introductions- Jeff Brislaw and Casey Zuzak
- Attendees Introductions

RMHUG Revival and Membership – Casey Zuzak

- For a few years, the RMHUG went dormant and we are now trying to find ways to get people involved and develop a regional support network Hazus
- How to become a member: email Casey Zuzak (casey.zuzak@fema.dhs.gov) and he will add you to the list. Know someone who is interested - forward them the calendar invite

Hazus 4.0 Review and Hazus 4.1 Release – Casey Zuzak

- Tsunami overview
 - Methodology
 - Download on MSC
- 4.1 overview, focus is to clean up bugs
 - CR and DR list (35 defect fixes and enhancements)
 - Scheduled for a September 2017 release
- Updated help desk: Hazus-support@riskmapcds.com (access to hazus experts)

FEMAs National Risk Index

- FEMA's initiative to develop a way to create a baseline of natural hazard risk across the U.S at the county and census tract level
- Hazards can be used independently to better understand the individual hazard's risk
- The NRI supports national stakeholders and multiple FEMA regional initiatives
- Data Incorporated: Hazard Data, Social Vulnerability (SoVI), Built Environment (Hazus GBS), and Community Resilience (BRIC)
- Data can be exported from the index in tabular and geospatial format



- Risk is calculated by (Hazard + Consequence) – Resilience where consequence is the addition of Social Vulnerability and Built Environment
- Beta version will be coming out soon and the final release is slotted for October

User Survey- Jeff Brislawn

- Will be sending out a simple survey on survey monkey soon
- Intent: help us understand who our membership is, areas of focus or interest, and what you want to get out of this user group
- Want this to be a valuable resource; building a collaborative user community

Open Discussion-Casey Zuzak

- Do we want to do a quarter call? Want this adobe connect platform? Does this time work for everyone?
- Reach out to facilitators to provide input for this open discussion

Trainings and Happenings – Casey Zuzak

- Successful CDMS training August 15-18 in Salt Lake City
- National HUG: September 12th
- Annual Hazus Conference: October 16th-18th in Charleston, South Carolina
- Hazus Risk Assessment Training (limited space, sign up early): November 6-9
- Next RMHUG: December 11th

If anyone is interested in presenting on the next RM HUG call, please email casey.zuzak@fema.dhs.gov.