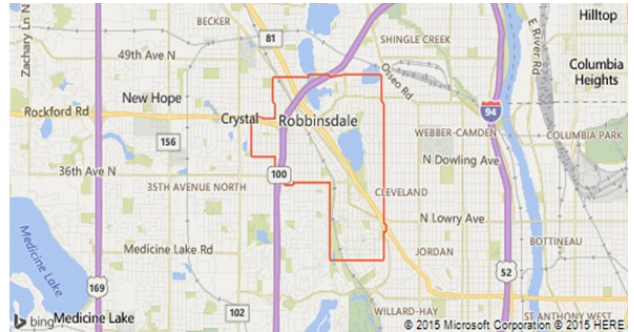


3.1.36. CITY OF ROBBINSDALE

Hennepin County- Robbinsdale

Once property of the Village of Crystal, Robbinsdale became a village on April 19, 1893 after a special election was held to dissolve the Village of Crystal. The geographical area of Robbinsdale has remained at 2.9 square miles since that time. Robbinsdale was also the first suburb of Minneapolis and was named for Andrew Robbins, an entrepreneur who purchased 90 acres of land for the purpose of making the area a suburban town. Robbinsdale is home to North Memorial Medical Center, which is one of the state's Level 1 Trauma Center and also operates "AirCare", an air medical transport service. Minnesota State Highway 100 and County Road 81 are the two main transportation routes of the city.



Latitude/Longitude: 45.024446, -93.337332
 Area: 2.98 sq. miles
 Area - Land only: 2.79 sq. miles (94%)
 Area - Water only: 0.19 sq. miles (6%)
 Population: 13,953
 Housing Units: 6,416

5 Mitigation Priority 1
 • Assist Elected Officials/ Department Heads in acquiring basic EM/FEMA knowledge with opportunity training.

1 Mitigation Priority 2
 • Update EOC- Provide ongoing training for EOC users.

1 Mitigation Priority 3
 • Retrofit water main from Minneapolis to Crystal.

School District

- 281 Robbinsdale

Vulnerability

- Monticello NPP: 29 Miles
- Functional Needs: 511
- Bridges: 29
- Historic Terrace Theater
- Broadway Court Senior Apartments: 57 Units
- Clare House: 150 Individuals
- Copperfield Hill Assisted Living

Corporate/Employer

- North Memorial Hospital: 725

Capability

- Law Enforcement
- Fire Department
- North Memorial Hospital (Trauma level 1)
 - 8 helicopters
 - 120 Ambulances
- FCC Registered Amateur Radio Licenses: 39



ROBBINSDALE MITIGATION PLAN

POC: PATRICK FOLEY

A. Robbinsdale Objectives and Actions

Goal	Minimize loss of life, injury, and damage to property, the economy, and the environment from natural and man-made hazards	
1	OBJECTIVES	ACTIONS
	1A: Retrofit/Upgrade/Repair water main from Minneapolis to Crystal	1A1: Inspect main to ensure its durability.
	1B: Provide a Mobile Command Post for use during critical incidents.	1B1: Conduct meetings with Police and Fire personnel to determine vehicle needs and capabilities. 1B2: Purchase a multi-use Command Post Vehicle for use by Police and Fire units.
	1C: Update EOC	1C1: Review current technology and make upgrades as necessary. 1C2: Provide ongoing training for EOC users.

Goal	Increase education, outreach, and awareness	
2	OBJECTIVES	ACTIONS

2A: Put information on city website providing up-to-date disaster awareness information.	2A1: Create a page and/or links on the City website related to disaster awareness and preparedness.
	2A2: Assign personnel to periodically update the website to ensure accurate and up-to-date information is available to citizens.

Goal 3	Protect natural and cultural resources	
OBJECTIVES		ACTIONS
3A: Reducing Phosphorus in Crystal Lake.	3A1: Ensure newly installed Flocculation Plant is fully operational and reducing Phosphorus according to plan and maintain a safe level.	
	3A2: Continue testing throughout year and tracking data.	

Goal 4	Identify areas of greatest impact from hazards	
OBJECTIVES		ACTIONS
4A: Monitor Burlington Northern Railway Blue Line Construction Project	4A1: Attend meetings and engage Engineers and Designers of new system throughout the construction process	
	4B: Partner with Burlington Northern to understand what Hazmat controls and response would be needed once construction completed	4B1: With chemicals being transported through the city. Create an “emergency action plan” with Burlington Northern using hazardous material release scenario.

Goal 5	Enhance hazard mitigation coordination and communication with federal, state and local governments.	
OBJECTIVES		ACTIONS
5A: Maintaining City Staff/Elected Officials that are aware of Emergency Management plans and procedures.	5A1: Require that all applicable city personnel receive training in current Emergency Management and FEMA practices.	
	5A2: Ensure that Disaster Plans are maintained and applicable city personnel are familiar with them.	
	5A3: Provide information and instructions on how they can access or enroll in classes toward state certification.	

Goal 6	Promote disaster-resistant future development	
OBJECTIVES		ACTIONS
6A: Maintain City Building Codes to ensure to most up-to-date and disaster resistant designs are used for future construction and renovations.	6A1: Require that applicable city engineers and inspectors receive adequate training in current building designs and renovation processes that provide enhanced disaster resistance.	

	6A2: Assist Elected Officials/Department Heads in reviewing and implementing building codes that promote enhanced safety and integrity of structures.
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Goal 7	Build and support local capacity and commitment to become less vulnerable to hazards
OBJECTIVES	ACTIONS
7A: Bury All Overhead Power lines	7A1: Work within the community and Xcel Energy to identify all power lines which could be buried to reduce significant power failures throughout the community.

B. Robbinsdale Mitigation Actions

Mitigation Actions (17)	Estimated Cost	Rank	Timeline
1A1: Inspect main to ensure its durability.	\$300,000	3	Short
1B1: Conduct meetings with Police and Fire personnel to determine vehicle needs and capabilities.	\$500	9	Short
1B2: Purchase a multi-use Command Post Vehicle for use by Police and Fire units.	\$400,000	15	Medium
1C1: Review current technology and make upgrades as necessary.	\$30,000	10	Short
1C2: Provide ongoing training for EOC users.	\$20,000	2	Long
2A1: Create a page and/or links on the City website related to disaster awareness and preparedness.	\$5000	12	Short
2A2: Assign personnel to periodically update the website to ensure accurate and up-to-date information is available to citizens.	\$5000	14	Long
3A1: Ensure newly installed Flocculation Plant is fully operational and reducing Phosphorus according to plan and maintain a safe level.	\$5,000	4	Short
3A2: Continue testing and tracking data.	\$10,000	17	Long
4A1: Attend meetings and engage Engineers and Designers of new system throughout the construction process	\$2000	5	Short
4B1: With chemicals being transported through the city create an "emergency action plan" with Burlington Northern using hazardous material release scenario.	\$25,000	13	Medium
5A1: Assist Elected Officials/Department Heads in acquiring basic EM/FEMA knowledge with opportunity training.	\$5000	1	Short
5A2: Ensure that Disaster Plans are maintained and applicable city personnel are familiar with them.	\$5000	6	Long
5A3: Provide information and instructions on how they can access or enroll in classes toward state certification.	\$500	7	Medium
6A1: Require that applicable city engineers and inspectors receive adequate training in current building designs and renovation processes that provide enhanced disaster resistance.	\$5000	8	Short

6A2: Assist Elected Officials/Department Heads in reviewing and implementing building codes that promote enhanced safety and integrity of structures.	\$1000	11	Short
7A1: Work within the community and Xcel Energy to identify all power lines which could be buried to reduce significant power failures throughout the community.	\$3,000,000	16	Long

C. Robbinsdale Mitigation Strategies

Priority	Goal	Objective	Action Name	Description	Project Cost	Responsible Agency (POC)	Timeline
1	5	5A	5A1	City of Robbinsdale Emergency Management	\$5000	City of Robbinsdale	Short
2	1	1C	1C2	Robbinsdale Police Department	\$20000	City of Robbinsdale	Long
3	1	1A	1A1	Robbinsdale Public Works/City of Crystal/Valley Rich	\$300,000	City of Crystal	Short
4	3	3A	3A1	Robbinsdale Engineering Department/WSB	\$5,000	City of Robbinsdale	Short
5	4	4A	4A1	Robbinsdale Public Works	\$2000	City of Robbinsdale	Short
6	5	5A	5A2	City of Robbinsdale Emergency Management	\$5000	City of Robbinsdale	Short
7	5	5A	5A3	City of Robbinsdale Emergency Management	\$500	City of Robbinsdale	Short
8	6	6A	6A1	Robbinsdale Engineering Department/ City of Robbinsdale Emergency Management	\$5000	City of Robbinsdale	Short
9	1	1B	1B1	Robbinsdale Police Department/Robbinsdale Fire Department	\$500	City of Robbinsdale	Short
10	1	1C	1C1	Robbinsdale Police Department/Robbinsdale Fire Department/ City of Robbinsdale Emergency Management	\$30,000	City of Robbinsdale	Short
11	6	6A	6A2	Robbinsdale Engineering Department/ City of Robbinsdale Emergency Management	\$1000	City of Robbinsdale	Short
12	2	2A	2A1	City of Robbinsdale Emergency Management/IT	\$5000	City of Robbinsdale	Short

13	4	4B	4B1	Robbinsdale Police Department/Robbinsdale Fire Department/ City of Robbinsdale Emergency Management/BNSF	\$25,000	City of Robbinsdale	Medium
14	2	2A	2A2	City of Robbinsdale Emergency Management/IT	\$5000	City of Robbinsdale	Long
15	1	1B	1B2	Robbinsdale Police Department/Robbinsdale Fire Department		City of Robbinsdale	
16	7	7A	7A1	Robbinsdale Engineering Department/ City of Robbinsdale Emergency Management/ Xcel Energy	\$3,000,000	City of Robbinsdale	Long
17	3	3A	3A2	Robbinsdale Engineering Department/WSB	\$10,000	City of Robbinsdale	Long
TOTAL					\$13,419,000.00		

D. Robbinsdale Mitigation Action Progress Report

Mitigation Strategies 2010 Progress Report Period	From Date: 2010	To Date: 2017
Project Title/Action	#1 Update and publicize city evacuation plans	
Responsible Agency	Robbinsdale Police	
Contact Name	Chief Jim Franzen	
Contact Phone/Email	jfranzen@ci.robbinsdale.mn.us – 763-531-1220	
Project Status	<input type="radio"/> Project Completed <input type="radio"/> Project Canceled <input type="radio"/> Project on Schedule <input type="radio"/> Anticipated completion date: _____ <input checked="" type="radio"/> Project is delayed Explain: <u>Reprioritized due to other projects</u>	
Summary of Project	N/A	
Name of Reviewer		

Mitigation Strategies 2010 Progress Report Period	From Date: 2010	To Date: 2017
Project Title/Action	#2 Promote safe rooms in schools and community facilities	
Responsible Agency	Robbinsdale Police	
Contact Name	Chief Jim Franzen	
Contact Phone/Email	jfranzen@ci.robbinsdale.mn.us – 763-531-1220	
Project Status	<input type="radio"/> Project Completed <input type="radio"/> Project Canceled <input checked="" type="radio"/> Project on Schedule	

	<p>X Anticipated completion date: <u>Early 2017</u></p> <p><input type="radio"/> Project is delayed Explain: _____</p>
Summary of Project	<p>Cameras in Robbinsdale Middle School were upgraded this year and School Resource Officer provided input on best locations for them. School Resource Officer meets with the three (3) schools within the City and provides information from a safety assessment stand point. Our Police Community Action Coordinator (PCAC) completes a safety assessment to the City Hall and Robbinsdale Community Center and provides safety tips. Currently working on the City Council Meeting and Chambers to upgrade in lieu of recent shooting at the New Hope City Hall.</p>
Name of Reviewer	

Mitigation Strategies 2010 Progress Report Period	From Date: 2010	To Date: 2015
Project Title/Action	#3 Continue to enforce snow removal policies and ordinances	
Responsible Agency	Robbinsdale Public Works	
Contact Name	Rob Skurka	
Contact Phone/Email	rskurka@ci.robbinsdale.mn.us – 763-442-1573	
Project Status	X Project Completed	
Summary of Project	<p>Updated how Snow Emergency plan is executed. Allow Officers more time to enforce “Snow Birds” Ordinance before plows begin to clear the streets. Focus time on actual enforcement (citations) instead of impounding vehicles. 1st Snow Emergency consists of handing out warning placards to all vehicles in violation. Proceeding Snow Emergencies Officers will cite. Will not cancel Snow Emergency until Officers cover the whole city instead of when plows are complete.</p>	
Name of Reviewer		