# Local Emergency Management Plan

## 1. Emergency Management (EM) planners

These are the people who wrote and/or maintain this plan.					
Josh Arneson, Town Manager					

## 2. Municipal Emergency Operations Center (EOC)

The EOC is an organization that coordinates information, support, and response across the municipality for Incident Commanders and town officials. Its main functions are to maintain situational awareness for municipal leaders, coordinate resource and information requests, and provide public information. Who, by position, can activate the EOC?

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	Preferred EOC Positions and Duties					
EOC Director	Supervises and directs all EOC activities coordinating					
	municipal support and response					
	Staffs phones and radio					
	Tracks and answers any Requests For Information (RFI)					
	Tracks and coordinates any Requests For Support (RFS)					
	Produces and posts public information and press releases					
	Potential EOC Staff Members					
Name	Notes / Contact Information					
Josh Arneson	Town Manager, Office 802-434-5170, Work Cell-(802) 316-7563,					
	Personal Cell-(802) 282-2887					
Jay Furr	Selectboard Chair: 802-324-1536 Cell					
Dennis Gile	Fire Chief: 802-434-2002 Fire Department					
	Primary EOC Location					
Facility / Address:	Richmond Town Center. 203 Bridge St. Richmond					
Phone Numbers:	802-434-5170 and 802-434-2221					
Equipment/Notes:	Phone. Internet. Computers. Radio					
	Alternate EOC Location					
Facility / Address:	Richmond Rescue					
Phone Numbers:	802-434-2394					
Equipment/Notes:	Ambulances and medical equipment found on ambulances.					
	Phone. Internet. Radio					

### 3. Resources

Use municipal resources, mut	ual aid agreements, and loca	I purchases first to
get resources for	response as needed and ava	ailable.
Purchasing agents for emergencie	es:	
Josh Arneson – Town Manager		
Jay Furr – Selectboard Chair		
Emergency spending limits: N/A		
Businesses wi	th Standing Municipal Contra	acts
Type of Contract	Name	Contact Info
Trash	Casella	802-735-1812
Hardware	Richmond Home Supply	802-434-2887
Computer/IT Services	Simpleroute	802-881-0010
Phones and Internet	Comcast	800-556-9979
Fuel	Patterson	802-434-2616
Sand and Gravel	Hinesburg Sand and	802-482-2335
	Gravel	
Ot	her Local Resources	
Type of Resources/Skills	Name	Contact Info
Excavation	John Scott	802-434-4480
Excavation	Chris Spence	802-343-6350
Excavation	J. Hutchins	802-434-3500
Excavation	Dirt Tech	802-316-2030
Equipment Rental	Got That Rental	802-878-0404
Equipment Rental	Essex Equipment	(802) 878-5316
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- Vermont Hazardous Material (HAZMAT) Response Team (VHMRT)
- Vermont Urban Search and Rescue (USAR, VT-TF1)
- Vermont State Police and Special Teams
- Community Emergency Response Teams (CERTs)
- Swiftwater Rescue Teams
- Regional Shelter Support
- State government agency expertise / services
- Federal response agency expertise

State support the municipality will normally eventually have to pay for:

- Supplies and equipment (including sandbags)
- VTrans Equipment and Personnel
- Vermont National Guard Support

The State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC, 800-347-0488) will help coordinate any state support teams or other external resources that local responders may need.

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Critical Incident Stress Management	-	 N/A	 N/A	N/A	ounci	Hydraulic Excavator, Large Mass	N/A	 N/A	 N/A	N/A	1
Team Mobile Communications Center						Excavation Hydraulic Excavator, Medium Mass Excavation	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Mobile Communications Unit			N/A	N/A		Hydraulic Excavator, Compact	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
All-Terrain Vehicles	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		Road Sweeper	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Marine Vessels	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		Snow Blower, Loader Mounted	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1
Snowmobile	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		Track Dozer	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Public Safety Dive Team						Track Loader	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
SWAT/Tactical Team	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		Trailer, Equipment Tag-Trailer	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Firefighting Brush Patrol Engine	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	Trailer, Dump	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Fire Engine (Pumper)	3					Trailer, Small Equipment	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2
Firefighting Crew Transport				N/A		Truck, On-Road Dump	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	4
Aerial Apparatus, Fire						Truck, Plow	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	7
Foam Tender			N/A	N/A		Truck, Sewer Flusher	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Hand Crew				1	Mutual Aid	Truck, Tractor Trailer	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
HAZMAT Entry Team	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		Water Pumps, De-Watering					
Engine Strike Team		1	N/A	N/A		Water Pumps, Drinking Water Supply - Auxiliary Pump					
Water Tender (Tanker)						Water Pump, Water Distribution					
Fire Boat				N/A		Water Pump, Wastewater					
Aerial Lift - Articulating Boom	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		Water Truck				N/A	
Aerial Lift - Self Propelled, Scissor, Rough Terrain	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		Wheel Dozer	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Aerial Lift - Telescopic Boom	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		Wheel Loader Backhoe	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Aerial Lift - Truck Mounted	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		Wheel Loader, Large	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Air Compressor	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1	Wheel Loader, Medium	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1
Concrete Cutter/Multi-Processor for Hydraulic Excavator	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	3	Wheel Loader, Small	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Electronic Boards, Arrow	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		Wheel Loader, Skid Steer	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1
Electronic Boards, Variable Message Signs	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		Wheel Loader, Telescopic Handler	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Floodlights	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	8	Wood Chipper	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Generator	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	4	Wood Tub Grinder	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
Grader	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	1		•	•	•		•

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 \*Information about the NIMS Typed resources can be found at: <a href="https://rtlt.preptoolkit.fema.gov">https://rtlt.preptoolkit.fema.gov</a>
\*Additional resource information is available on the FEMA Reimbursable Equipment List:
<a href="https://www.fema.gov/assistance/public/schedule-equipment-rates">https://www.fema.gov/assistance/public/schedule-equipment-rates</a>

# 4. Public Information and Warning

During a significant emergency, the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) and Incident Command Posts (ICPs) will coordinate and manage public information, both by producing accurate, timely reports and by tracking what is publicly reported to minimize confusion and help ensure a positive public response.

response.	
VT-Alert message - State: Other VT-Alert managers:	Vermont Emergency Management: 800-347-0488
Important Local Websites / Social Media channels:	www.richmondvt.gov Front Porch Forum – social email service
Local Newspaper, Radio, TV:	Newspapers: Times Ink. Burlington Free Press, Seven Days, Williston Observer Television: WCAX ch 3, Local 22/44 chs 22 and 44, NBC5 ch5 Radio: WDEV 550am, WVMT 620
Public Notice locations:	Second Floor entrance to Town Center, 203 Bridge St. First Floor/Parking lot level entrance to Town Center, 203 Bridge St. Post Office bulletin board, 205 Bridge St. Richmond Free Library bulletin board, 201 Bridge St.
services in cooperation with a large num entities. 2-1-1 collects and maintains a c	nont system that provides 24x7x365 information and referral ober of state and local government and community based database of local resource information and is available to take and instruct them in relation to emergency events, and to refer acovery resource, if necessary.

To provide information for 2-1-1 Dial 211 or (802) 652-4636

## 5. Vulnerable Populations

If necessary, the EOC may contact organizations and facilities, below, that serve vulnerable populations to identify residents who are at risk based on the emergency. If there are residents at risk or in danger, the EOC should monitor their status and if required coordinate support for them until their situation stabilizes.

Name / Notes	Contact Info
CARE (Citizen Assistance Registration for Emergencies)	(Supporting PSAP)

Richmond Elementary School	125 School Street, Richmond	Jeremy Rector, Principal	434-2461
Camels Hump Middle School	173 School Street, Richmond	Gretchen Muller, Principal	434-2188
Little Tots Academy	21 Farr Road, Richmond	General manager	434-3891
Richmond Terrace senior living facility	220 Thompson Road, Richmond	General manager	434-6030
Sterling House assisted living facility	61 Farr Road, Richmond	General manager	434-7181
Mount Mansfield Unified Union School District	10 River Rd, Jericho, VT 05465	John Alberghini, Superintendent	434-2128

### 6. Shelters

During some emergencies, the EOC will monitor or coordinate support for residents who are displaced due to property or infrastructure damage.

# Spontaneous Sheltering

- Determine the approximate number of people who need sheltering
- Call the State EOC / Watch Officer at 800-347-0488 and request support
- Track the status of residents who need shelter until their situation stabilizes

Regional Shelter						
Location / Address:						
Opening Contact:	State EOC, 800-347-0488; American Red Cross, 833-583-3111					
Phone Numbers:						
Primary Local Shelter						
Location / Address:	Camels Hump Middle School. 173 School St., Richmond					
Facility Contact(s):	Gretchen Muller					
Phone Numbers:	434-2188					
Shelter Manager:						
Staff Requirements:						
Services:	Warm Overnight Food Prep					
Notes:						
	Capacity: Post Impact Capacity 252, Evacuation Capacity 504					
	Generator? No					
	Pets Allowed? Yes.					
	Has Red Cross Agreement					
	Alternate Local Shelter					
Location / Address:	Richmond Elementary School					
Facility Contact(s):	Jeremy Rector					
Phone Numbers:	802-434-2461					
Shelter Manager:						
Staff Requirements:						
Services:	Warm Overnight Food Prep					
Notes:						
	Capacity: Post Impact Capacity 375, Evacuation Capacity 750 Generator? No Pets Allowed? Yes					
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Has Red Cross Agreement
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	Alternate Local Shelter
Location / Address:	Town Center
Facility Contact(s):	Josh Arneson
Phone Numbers:	802-434-5170
Shelter Manager:	
Staff Requirements:	
Services:	Warm/Cool Day Use Only
Notes:	
	Capacity: 100? Generator? No Pets Allowed? Yes

#### Annexes (Optional, create and letter as needed)

Annex 1: Housing and Employment, (Figure 1.2 from 2017 All-Hazards Mitigation Plan)

Annex 2: Critical Facilities (Figure 1.4 from 2017 All-Hazards Mitigation Plan) Annex 3: River Corridors and Floodplains, (Figure 2.1 from 2017 All-Hazards Mitigation Plan)

See the Vermont Emergency Management (VEM) web site at http://vem.vermont.gov for samples and examples of annexes, such as: forms; delegations of authority; debris plans; incident-specific plans, checklists, and matrices; animal disaster references; etc.

# **Contact Information**

		Phone number	ers - indicate Mot		
Position	Name	Primary	Alternate	Alternate	E-mail
	Lo	cal Emergency Ma	nagement Team		
EMD	Josh Arneson	802-316-7563 Work Cell	802-282-2887 Personal Cell	802-434-5170 Work	jarneson@richmondvt.gov
EM Coordinator					
	Loc	al Response Orgar	nization Contacts		
Fire Chief	Dennis Gile	802-434-2002 Work	802-316-7558 Cell		richmondfiredept@richmondvt.gov
Assistant/Deputy Fire Chief	Gerald Levesque		802-310-7182 Cell		geraldlevesque@ymail.com
EMS Chief	Michael Chiarella	802-434-2394 Work			director@richmondrescue.org
Chief of Police or Constable	Benjamin Herrick - Chief	802-434-2156 Work	802-734-5755 Cell		Imuldoon@richmondvt.gov
State Police or County Sheriff	Lt. Debra Munson Williston Barracks	802-878-7111 Work			Debra.Munson@Vermont.gov
Local Dispatch Center	Captain Lance Burnham	802-878-7111 Work			Lance.burnham@Vermont.gov
		Local Public Wor	ks Contacts		
Road Foreman	Pete Gosselin	802-316-7562 Cell	802-434-2631 Work		pgosselin@richmondvt.gov
Road Commissioner					
Town Garage		802-434-2631 Work			
Drinking Water Utility	Allen Carpenter	802-316-7559 Cell	802-434-2178 Work		acarpenter@richmondvt.gov
Wastewater Utility	Allen Carpenter	802-316-7559 Cell	802-434-2178 Work		acarpenter@richmondvt.gov
Road Foreman	Pete Gosselin	802-316-7562 Cell	802-434-2631 Work		pgosselin@richmondvt.gov
Road Commissioner					

		Phone numbers - indicate Mobile, Home, We				
Position	Name	Primary	Alternate	Alternate	E-mail	
	M	unicipal Governm	nent Contacts		1	
Town Administrator	N/A					
Town/City Manager	Josh Arneson	802-316-7563 Work Cell	802-282-2887 Personal Cell	802-434-5170 Work	jarneson@richmondvt.gov	
Selectboard Chair	Jay Furr	802-324-1536 Cell	802-734-0108 Work		Jay.furr@richmondvt.org	
Selectboard Alt	David Sander	802-735-3158 Cell			david.sander@richmondvt.org	
Selectboard Alt	Bard Hill	802-434-5672 Home	802-556-1653		bard.hill@richmondvt.org	
Town Clerk	Linda Parent	802-434-2221 Work	802-881-2593 Cell		lparent@richmondvt.gov	
Town Treasurer / Finance	Jim Feinson	802-318-7385 Cell			feinson@gmavt.net	
Town Health Officer	Eric Adam Wood	802-735-4702			wood.eadam@gmail.com	
Forest Fire Warden	Dennis Gile	802-434-2002	802-316-7558 Cell		richmondfiredept@richmondvt.gov	
Animal Control Officer	Andy Squires		802-363-7162 Cell		docmccoy@gmavt.net	
School Contact #1	Jeremy Rector – Richmond Elementary Principle	802-434-2461			jeremy.rector@mmuusd.org	
School Contact #2	Gretchen Muller – Camel's Hump Middle School	802-434-2188			gretchen.muller@mmuusd.org	
School District Office	John Alberghini - Superintendent	802-434-2128			john.alberghini@mmuusd.org	
		Other Con	tacts			
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# **Contact Information**

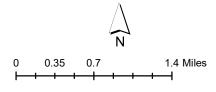
		Phone numbers - indicate Mobile, Home, Work			
Position	Name	Primary	Alternate	Alternate	E-mail

# Figure 1.2 Housing and Employment

# 2017 Richmond, Vermont All-Hazards Mitigation Plan

- Congregate Housing\*
- Mobile Home
- Multi-family
- Single Family
- Employment Locations

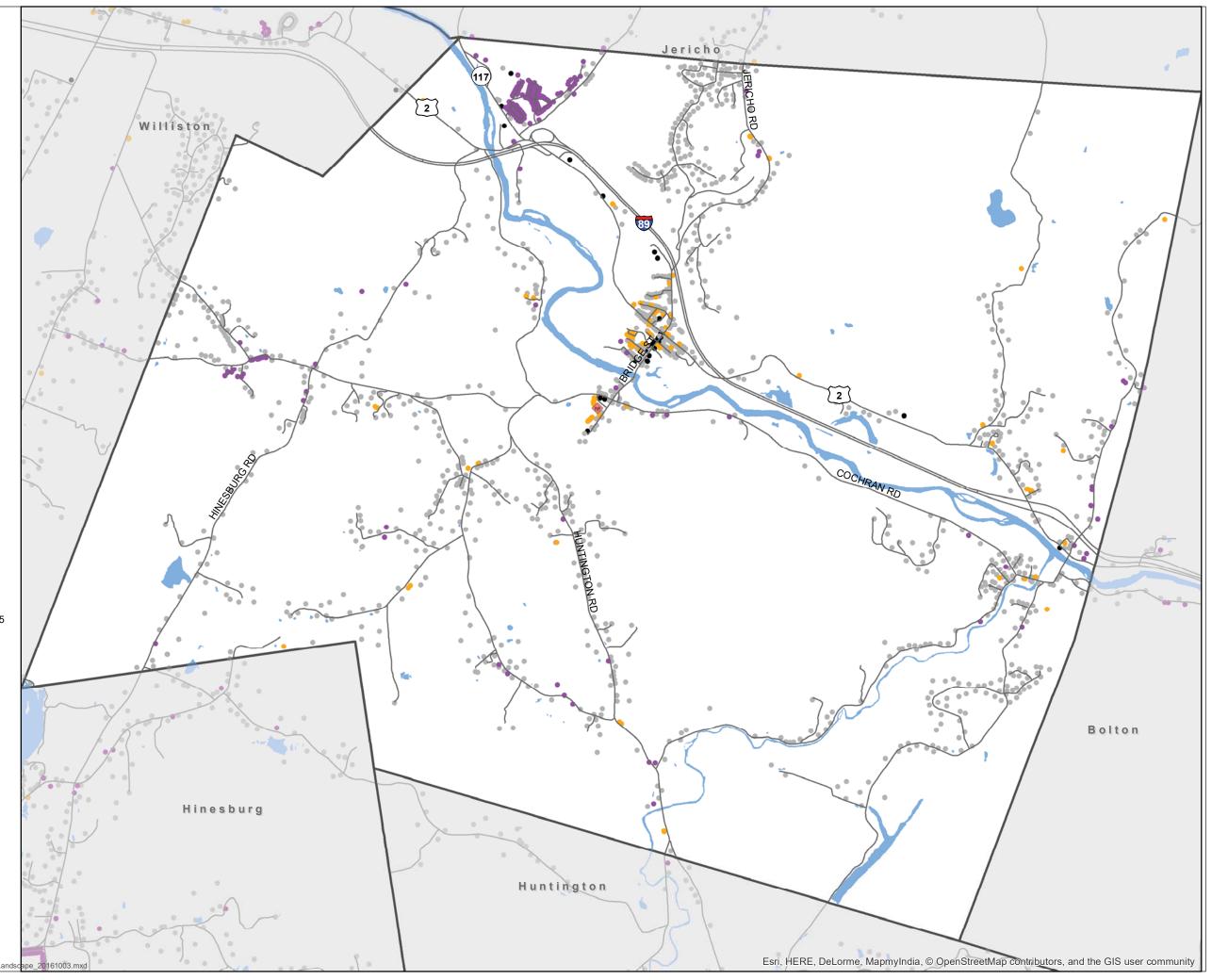
\*Congregate Housing includes: Nursing Homes, Assisted Living Residence, Therapeutic Community Residence, and Level III Residential Care Homes.

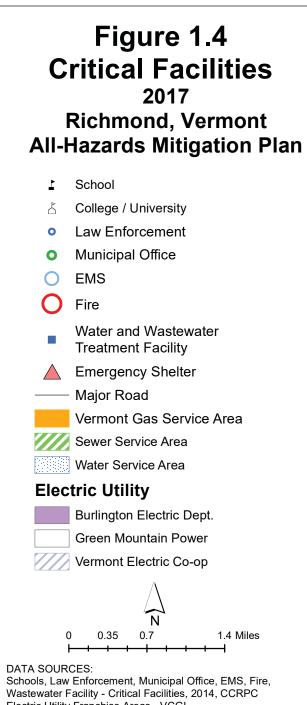


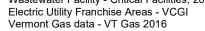
DATA SOURCES: Mobile Home, Multi-familiy, Single-family- E911,2015 Employment Locations -CCRPC, 2013 Congregate Housing-VT Dept. Aging, Independent Living, 2015





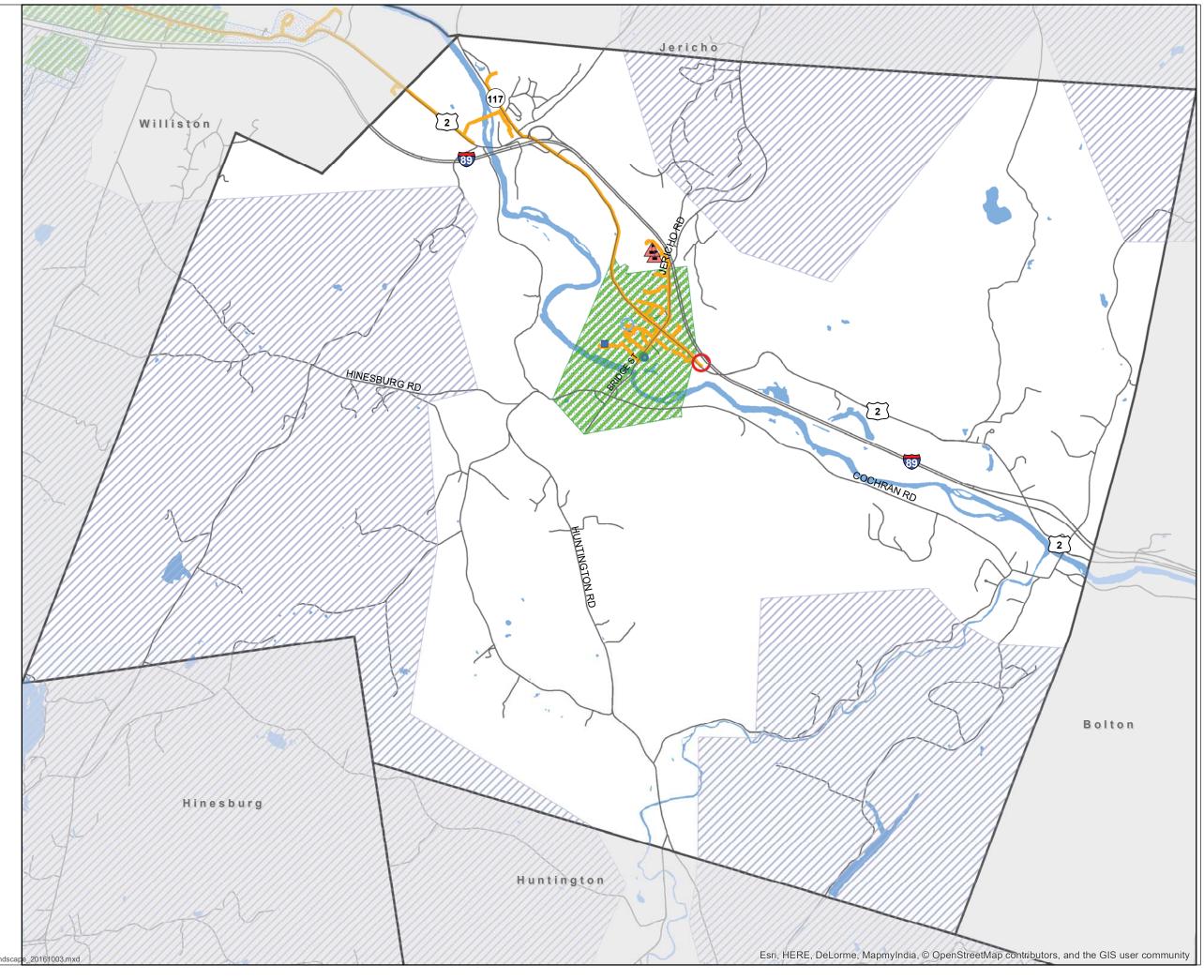












# Figure 2.1 **River Corridors and Floodplains**

# 2017 **Richmond**, Vermont **All-Hazards Mitigation Plan**

# **National Inventory of Dams**

#### DamStatus

- In Service
- Breached

**Geomorphically Incompatible Culvert** 

#### Compatibility

- △ Mostly Incompatible\*
- Fully Incompatible\*\*
- **River Corridor Protection Area** 
  - ANR River Corridor January 2015

### **Digital Flood Insurance Rate Map**

Special Flood Hazard Area (100 Year Floodplain)

View individual Municipal Regs for detail

\*Mostly incompatible 5<GC<10 % Bankfull Width + Approach Angle scores < 2 Structure mostly incompatible with current form and process, with a moderate to high risk of structure failure. Re-design and replacement planning should be initiated to improve geomorphic compatibility.

\*\*Fully incompatible 0<GC<5 % Bankfull Width + Approach Angle scores < 2 AND Sediment Continuity + Erosion and Armoring scores < 2 Structure fully incompatible with channel and high risk of failure. Re-design and replacement should be performed as soon as possible to improve geomorphic compatibility.

#### DATA SOURCES:

Dams data from US Army Corps of Engineers; Insufficient structures derived from ANR geomorphology inventories. River Corridor Protection Area equals a rivers meander belt (also known as Fluvial Erosion Hazard Area). River Corridor equals a rivers meander belt plus buffer extension. See Floodready.vermont.gov for more detail FEMA DFIRM - developed in 2011 by FEMA consultant Municipal Water Protection Buffers & Setbacks derived from municipal zoning regulations.

