Hazard Mitigation Goals
Town of Wilmot, NH

During the 2019 update, the Committee reviewed the 2013 Wilmot Hazard Mitigation Plan goals and made no revisions. The Goals were not modified for any substantial content, as there has not been any substantial change in development. The goals for the Town of Wilmot are as follows:

1. To improve upon the protection of the general population, the citizens of the Town of Wilmot and guests, from natural and human-made hazards.

2. To reduce the potential impact of natural and man-made disasters on the Town of Wilmot's:
   - Emergency Response Capability
   - Critical Facilities
   - Infrastructure
   - Private property
   - Economy
   - Natural environment
   - Historic treasures

3. To improve the Town of Wilmot's:
   a. Emergency preparedness and communication network.
   b. Disaster response and recovery capability.

4. To identify, introduce and implement cost effective Hazard Mitigation measures so as to accomplish the Town's Goals and Objectives.

5. To work in cooperation with the State of New Hampshire's Hazard Mitigation Goals.

2018 State of NH Hazard Mitigation Plan Overarching Goals –

FOR CONSIDERATION TO ADD

- Minimize loss and disruption of human life, property, the environment, and the economy due to natural, technological, and human-caused hazards through a coordinated and collaborative effort between federal, State, and local authorities to implement appropriate hazard mitigation measures.

- Enhance protection of the general population, citizens, and guests of the State of New Hampshire before, during, and after a hazard event through **public education about disaster preparedness and resilience**, and expanded awareness of the threats and hazards which face the State

- Promote continued comprehensive hazard mitigation planning at the State and local levels to identify, introduce, and implement cost effective hazard mitigation measures.

- Address the challenges posed by **climate change** (i.e. increased extreme rain events, extreme drought) as they pertain to increasing the risk and impacts of the hazards identified within this plan.

- Strengthen **Continuity of Operations and Continuity of Government** across the State and local levels to ensure continuation of essential services.