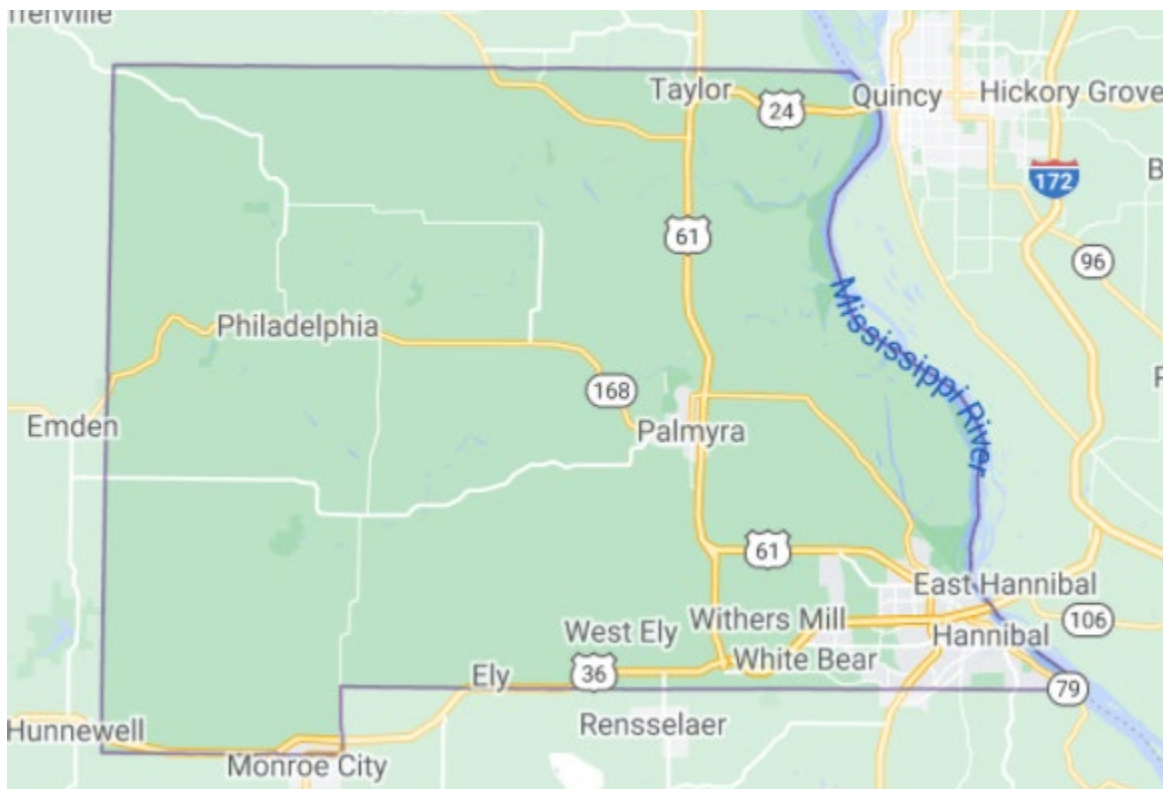


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2.1 MARION COUNTY PLANNING AREA PROFILE

Figure 2.1. Map of Marion County



Marion County’s location is in the northeastern portion of the U.S. State of Missouri. As of the 2019 American Community Survey, the population was 28,608 and the median household income was \$48,784 (39.9%). The County seat is Palmyra. Unique from most third-class counties in the state, Marion has two county courthouses, the second located in Hannibal. The county was organized December 23, 1826 and named for General Francis Marion, the "Swamp Fox," who was from South Carolina and served in the American Revolutionary War.

2.1.1 Geography, Geology and Topography

Marion County has a total of 444 square miles of which 437 square miles is land and 7.4 square miles is water.

The County is a mix of residents living in unincorporated and incorporated areas. The City of Hannibal is the largest with a population of 17,320 and the City of Palmyra is second with a population of 3,612 as of the 2019 American Community Survey. The remaining residents live in the unincorporated areas.

Marion County is a rural area with the primary land used for farming. The Fabius River watershed covers a large portion of Marion County.

2.1.2 Climate

Marion County gets an average of 39 inches of rain per year. The average snowfall is 14 inches per year. On average there are 196 sunny days per year. The average high temperature is 64 degrees, and the average low is 45 degrees. The average low in January is 19 degrees and in July the average temperature is 87 degrees.

2.1.3 Population/Demographics

Table 2.1 provides the populations for each city and the unincorporated county for 2000, 2010 and the latest population estimates or American Community Survey with the number and percentage changes. The unincorporated area population can be estimated by subtracting the populations of the incorporated areas from the overall county population.

Table 2.1. Marion County Population 2000-2010 by Jurisdiction

Jurisdiction	2000 Population	2010 Population	2019 Annual Population Estimate or ACS Population	# Change (2010-2019)	% Change (2010-2019)
Unincorporated Marion County	28,289	28,579	28,608	29	0.1%
City of Hannibal	17,757	17,821	17,320	-501	-2.8%
City of Palmyra	3,467	3,565	3,612	47	1.3%

Source: U.S. Bureau of the Census, Decennial Census, annual population estimates/ 5-Year American Community Survey 2019; *population includes the portions of these cities in adjacent counties.

Table 2.2. Marion County Population Under 5 and Over Age 65, American Community Survey

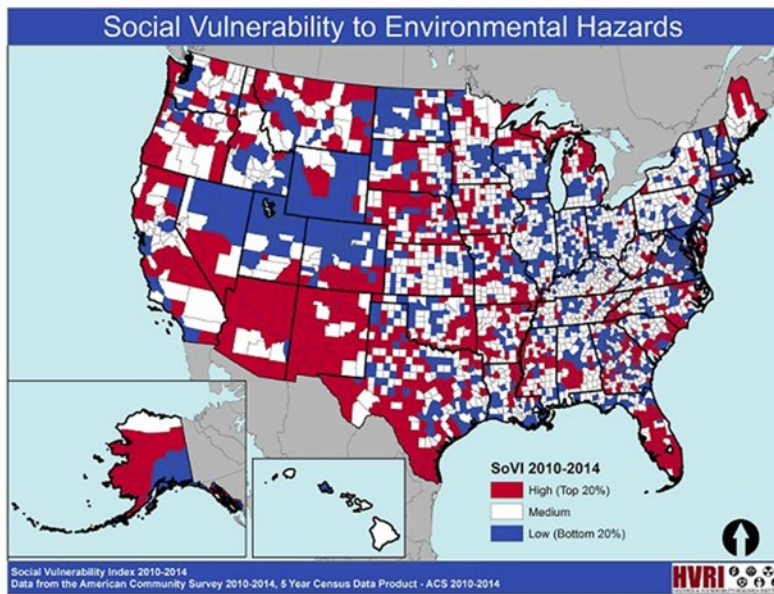
Jurisdiction	Population Under 5 Years	Population 65 Years and Over
Unincorporated Marion County	1,783	4,973
City of Hannibal	1,071	2,921
City of Palmyra	313	616

Source: 5-Year American Community Survey 2019

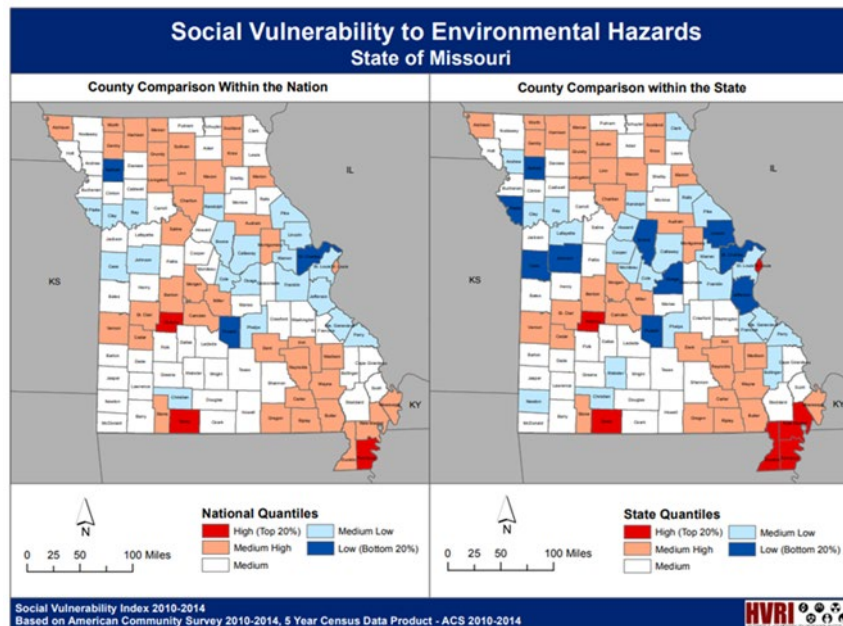
According to the 5-Year American Community Survey, 6.2% of the County’s population is under the age 5. This is slightly higher than the State of Missouri at 6.1% and 6.2% for the Nation. The 5-Year American Community Survey shows 17.4% of Marion County’s population was 65 years or older. The National percentage is 35.8% and the State of Missouri percentage is 7.4%.

The University of South Carolina developed an index to evaluate and rank the ability to respond to, cope with, recover from, and adapt to disasters. The index synthesizes 29 socioeconomic variables which research literature suggests contribute to reduction in a community’s ability to prepare for, respond to, and recover from hazards. SoVI ® data sources include primarily those from the United States Census Bureau.

Figure 2.2 SOVI Data Sources Map



Source: <http://artsandsciences.sc.edu/geog/hvri/sovi%C2%AE-0>



Source: http://artsandsciences.sc.edu/geog/hvri/sites/sc.edu.geog.hvri/files/attachments/MO_1014.pdf

A low number means that the county is more resilient to hazard events, and a high number means the county is less resilient. Marion County has a medium high rating.

Table 2.3. Unemployment, Poverty, Education, and Language Percentage Demographics

Jurisdiction	Total in Labor Force	Percent of Population Unemployed	Percent of Families Below the Poverty Level	Percentage of Population (High School graduate)	Percentage of Population (Bachelor's degree or higher)	Percentage of population with spoken language other than English
Unincorporated Marion County	13,672	4.6%	17.3%	39.3%	14.5%	1.2%
City of Hannibal	7,995	6.7%	18.5%	35.6%	14.3%	1.4%
City of Palmyra	1,652	3.3%	17.1%	56.4%	18.8%	1.4%
State of Missouri	3,075,492	4.6%	13.7%	31.3%	18%	6.3%
Nation	164,626,266	5.3%	13.4%	31.4%	19.8%	21.6%

Source: U.S. Census, 2019 American Community Survey, 5-year Estimates

2.1.4 History

Marion County was organized on December 23, 1826 from and was named for Revolutionary War folk hero Francis Marion. The County furnished troops for the Black Hawk War in 1832; for the Florida War in 1837; for the Mormon War in 1838; for the Mexican War in 1846; and for the Civil War in 1861.

In the late 1800's, the County was home to sixty churches, sixty-five public schools and four colleges. Unimproved land could be purchased for \$5-10.00 per acre and improved land could be acquired anywhere from \$10 to \$40 per acre.

Hannibal is located along the Mississippi River in northeast Missouri, approximately 100 miles north

of St. Louis. The community is intersected by Highway 61 (Avenue of the Saints) and Highway 36 (Chicago to Kansas City Expressway). Hannibal provides convenient, four-lane highway access to St. Louis, Kansas City, Chicago, Memphis, Des Moines, and Minneapolis.

Founded in 1819 by Moses D. Bates, the river town soon flourished as a principal docking port for steamboats, flatboats, and packet steamers traveling the upper Mississippi. By 1845, Hannibal had achieved city status and by 1860, the population had more than doubled, making it the second largest city and third commercial center in Missouri.

Early industries influencing the city's growth include pork packing, soap and candle making, coopering, and milling of lumber. As railroad transportation became less prominent, other businesses ventures took its place, including shoe manufacturing, button making, and cement production.

Hannibal has a proud list of well-known sons and daughters, including William Lear (designer of the Lear jet), Congressman William Henry Hatch, Navy Admiral Robert E. Coontz, sculptor John Rogers, Margaret Tobin (the "Unsinkable" Molly Brown), composer Egbert Van Alstyne, and artist Carroll Beckwith.

Hannibal's most-famous son is Samuel Langhorne Clemens, known worldwide as Mark Twain. At the age of four, Sam's family moved to Hannibal from his birthplace in Florida, Missouri, about thirty miles to the southwest. Many of the popular characters featured in *The Adventures of Tom Sawyer*, *The Adventures of Huckleberry Finn*, and other famous works, were based upon people Sam had known while growing up in Hannibal. Today, visitors can still tour Mark Twain's boyhood home, the Becky Thatcher house, and the famous Mark Twain Cave.

Aside from Hannibal's unique historic district, the community has grown into a thriving haven for artisans, and is included along the famous 50 Miles of Art corridor. The 50 Miles of Art corridor includes a scenic drive along Highway 79, and focuses on the growing art communities of Hannibal, Louisiana, and Clarksville, Missouri. Hannibal is home to numerous world-class artists and craftsmen.

The City of Palmyra was laid out in 1819 and incorporated in 1820. Historically, the City is best known as the location of the "Palmyra Massacre". In 1862, what some called the darkest crime of the Civil War, the "Palmyra Massacre," was committed in Palmyra. Palmyra had been occupied by the Union Army, and local men who refused to join the Union army or who had actively engaged in seditious acts were jailed in the County Jail, which was used as a federal prison during the Civil War. During a raid led by Col Porter of the Missouri Militia (southern forces) to an attempt to free those prisoners, Porter's men kidnapped a Union sympathizer, 62-year-old Andrew Allsman. The Union forces demanded that Allsman be returned within ten days or ten prisoners would be shot. It was later believed that Allsman had been killed by some of Porter's men; regardless did not return while Col. William McNeil of the Union Army made good his threat and had ten prisoners executed at the old county fairgrounds. The grounds were never again used as fairgrounds. A monument was erected in the early years of the 20th century dedicated to the ten men who were shot. The jail where the men had been held was built in 1858; it served as the county jail until 1992.

2.1.5 Occupations

Table 2.4 provides occupation statistics for the incorporated cities and county, as a whole.

Table 2.4. Occupation Statistics, Marion County, Missouri

Place	Management, Business, Science, and Arts Occupations	Service Occupations	Sales and Office Occupations	Natural Resources, Construction, and Maintenance Occupations	Production, Transportation, and Material Moving Occupations
Marion County	30.5%	19.4%	21.6%	11.7%	16.9%
City of Hannibal	28.4%	20.2%	21.8%	10.7%	18.9%
City of Palmyra	33.1%	18.3%	26.7%	8.5%	13.5%

Source: U.S. Census, 2019 American Community Survey, 5-year Estimates.

2.1.6 Agriculture

Marion County has a total of 587 farms with the total acreage of 232,558 acres. The average farm size is 396 acres which is slightly higher than the State average of 285 acres. The top crop for Marion County is corn with 71,351 acres planted. The average sales per farm was \$42,613.

2.1.7 FEMA Hazard Mitigation Assistance (HMA) Grants in Planning Area

Table 2.5. FEMA HMA Grants in County from 1993-2021

Disaster Declaration	Project Type	Sub-Grantee	Date Approved	Project Total
1822	206.2: Safe Room	Moberly Area Community College (Hannibal Campus)	2012-07-02	\$1,700,321
995	200.1: Acquisition	Marion County	1994-05-06	\$918,787
995	200.1: Acquisition	Hannibal	1994-04-05	\$1,223,477
1736	200.1: Acquisition	Hannibal	2014-06-11	\$442,230
4451	600.1: Warning Systems	Marion County	2021-01-08	\$21,000
Total				\$4,305,815

Source: Federal Emergency Management Agency, 3/15/2021

2.1.8 FEMA Public Assistance (PA) Grants in Planning Area

Table 2.6. FEMA PA Grants in County from 1993-2021

Disaster Declaration	Project Type	Project Size	Applicant	Project Total
1403	ICE STORM DEBRIS REMOVAL	Small	127-99127-00	5688.1
1403	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Small	127-99127-00	19775.94
1412	ROAD & CULVERT WASHOUT	Small	127-99127-00	7587.17
1412	ROAD/CULVERT WASHOUT	Small	127-99127-00	8087.85
1412	DEBRIS REMOVAL	Small	127-99127-00	8509.75
1412	CULVERTS AND DITCH DAMAGE	Small	127-99127-00	33071.22
1412	ROAD DAMAGE	Small	127-99127-00	50162.85
1412	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Small	127-0512E-00	4043.31
1412	DEBRIS REMOVAL	Small	127-UMKA5-00	1202
1412	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Small	127-UMKA5-00	15132
1412	HEALTH & SAFETY	Small	127-UA4U9-00	13268.63
1673	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Small	127-30214-00	50226.05
1673	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Small	127-56036-00	6706.27
1673	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Large	127-99127-00	82177.68
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	8827.86
1773	BRIDGE REPAIR	Small	127-99127-00	8751.3
1773	ROAD WASHOUT / RUTTING	Small	127-U7A96-00	11840.22
1773	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Small	127-99127-00	3330
1773	ROAD / SHOULDER WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	9925.15
1773	PA PILOT-DEBRIS REMOVAL-	Large	127-30214-00	73833.51
1773	SHOULDER AND ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	12214.07
1773	ROAD / SHOULDER WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	8256.79
1773	SIDE WALK DAMAGE	Small	127-30214-00	3846.32
1773	PA PILOT - MARINA DOCK DAMAGE -	Large	127-30214-00	240477.8
1773	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Small	127-UQH6Z-00	1502.9
1773	ROAD WASHOUTS	Small	127-U7A96-00	16775.08
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	5598.18
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	8825.87
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	13214.39
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	13875.03
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	11535.31
1773	PA PILOT - DEBRIS REMOVAL	Small	127-U7A96-00	6848.77
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	45516.58
1773	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Small	127-U7A96-00	8311.03
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	7475.88
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Large	127-U7A96-00	64542
1773	DONATED RESOURCES	Small	127-0512E-00	47308.49
1773	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Large	127-30214-00	225886.3
1773	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Large	127-0512E-00	123096.7
1773	EMERGENCY PUMPING ON A USACE	Large	127-0512E-00	149552
1773	EMERGENCY PUMPING ON A USACE	Small	127-UA4U9-00	57105
1773	EMERGENCY PUMPING ON A USACE	Large	127-UA4U9-00	252504.9
1773	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Large	127-UA4U9-00	2094454
1773	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Large	127-UBOJB-00	1899872
1773	DEBRIS REMOVAL	Large	127-30214-00	64719.88
1773	PARK/CITY MARINA DAMAGE	Small	127-30214-00	5477.17

1773	DONATED RESOURCES	Small	127-30214-00	59458.4
1773	DEBRIS FROM A USACE LEVEE	Large	127-UA4U9-00	92900
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	3632.97
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	9930.36
1773	INTERIOR / EXTERIOR / BUILDING	Small	127-0775B-00	10140.97
1773	ROAD & CULVERT WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	5347.14
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	4630.16
1773	ROAD WASHOUTS	Small	127-U7A96-00	10116.41
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	7332.35
1773	ROAD WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	4040.65
1773	ROAD WASHOUTS	Small	127-U7A96-00	6474.94
1773	ROAD & CULVERT WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	8282.31
1773	ROAD & CULVERT WASHOUT	Small	127-U7A96-00	12948.7
1773	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Small	127-UBOJB-00	21985.79
1773	EMERGENCY PROTECTIVE	Small	127-0512E-00	8415
1773	DEBRIS FROM A USACE LEVEE	Small	127-30214-00	39822
1773	DEBRIS FROM A USACE LEVEE	Small	127-0512E-00	29500
1773	DEBRIS FROM A USACE LEVEE	Large	127-UBOJB-00	288241
1773	DEBRIS REMOVAL	Small	127-UBOJB-00	25861.2
1809	South River Drainage District	Small	127-UA4U9-00	39685
1809	Fabius River Drainage District - FDDDB1	Small	127-UMKA5-00	38928.75
1809	Marion Co Hwy Dept PW-10	Small	127-U7A96-00	10156.83
1809	EPM-PW-7	Small	127-U7A96-00	21717.21
1809	Road Washout - PW-3	Small	127-U7A96-00	3303.77
1809	Road Washouts PW-2	Small	127-U7A96-00	9953.64
1809	Emergency Pumping (MCDDDB1)	Small	127-0512E-00	17060
1809	Road Washouts PW-4	Small	127-U7A96-00	4341.72
1809	Gravel Road Washouts - PW-5	Small	127-U7A96-00	8734.4
1809	Road Washouts PW-6	Small	127-U7A96-00	6300.44
1809	Road Washouts PW-1	Small	127-U7A96-00	8880.86
1809	EPM-MarionB	Small	127-U7A96-00	1287
1809	Road Washouts PW-9	Small	127-U7A96-00	4797.03
1809	Gravel Road Washouts-PW-8	Small	127-U7A96-00	10052.01
1809	Road Washouts MCHD PW-11	Small	127-U7A96-00	4288.06
1847	GPMHB1 / Emergency Protective	Small	127-30214-00	2784.46
1847	GPMC1B / Emergency Response	Small	127-U7A96-00	1539.2
1847	GWP102 - County Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	13158.48
1847	GWP101 - County Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	15484.07
1847	GWP103 - County Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	12655.6
1847	GWP109 - County Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	5022.86
1847	GWP-104 - County Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	14111.38
1847	GWP 105 / County Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	7373.05
1847	GWP-107 - County Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	10631.69
1847	GWP106 - County Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	6252.97
1847	GWP-108 / County Roads 320, 323, 330,	Small	127-U7A96-00	9883.34
1847	GPMC10 / Road ROW CR150	Small	127-U7A96-00	55370.84
1934	AC-B1 1934 HANNIBAL	Small	127-30214-00	9100

1934	AC-A2-1934- Hannibal City of	Small	127-30214-00	4835.44
1934	AC-B2-1934- Hannibal City of	Small	127-30214-00	7569.77
1934	AC-A1-1934- Hannibal City of	Small	127-30214-00	6543.29
1934	AC-B1-1934-Marion County Highway	Small	127-U7A96-00	2647.28
1934	AC-CO1 - County Roads #'s 101,	Small	127-U7A96-00	37230.47
1934	AC-A3 - Nipper Park - Marina	Large	127-30214-00	79900
1934	AC-CO3 - County Roads #'s	Small	127-U7A96-00	21535.18
1934	AC-CO4 -CR #'s	Small	127-U7A96-00	16041
1934	AC-CO2 - County Roads #'s 117 - 132	Small	127-U7A96-00	22375.39
1934	AC-C07-County Rd 212 thru 224, 226	Small	127-U7A96-00	24730.1
1934	AC-C08-County Rd 229 thru 243	Small	127-U7A96-00	46066.29
1934	AC-C09 County Roads #244 thru 258	Small	127-U7A96-00	30304.65
1934	AC-C10-County Roads #259 thru #274	Small	127-U7A96-00	44718.37
1934	AC-C05-County Rd 146b, to 160	Small	127-U7A96-00	9170.81
1934	AC-C06-County Rd	Small	127-U7A96-00	17177.14
1934	AC-C016-County Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	21548.38
1934	AC-C011-County Roads 275 TO	Small	127-U7A96-00	18199.18
1934	AC-C012-County Roads From 311 to	Small	127-U7A96-00	27889.17
1934	AC-C013-County Roads 330 TO	Small	127-U7A96-00	17638.55
1934	AC-C014-County Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	9081.7
1934	AC-C015-County Roads 406 to 414,417	Small	127-U7A96-00	19665.05
1961	COH-B3 - Emergency Protective	Large	127-30214-00	78366.05
1961	MCHDB04-County Roadways	Small	127-U7A96-00	49377.81
1961	HSD-B04-Parking Lots	Small	127-U8T9T-00	21982.4
1961	PCHDB08 - Emergency Protective	Small	127-56036-00	7560.64
1961	HRMCC2 - Curbing on Hospital Parking	Small	127-0273B-00	6750
1961	HRMCB1 - Emergency Protective	Small	127-0273B-00	21273.17
4130	MCMCA01 Debris Removal	Small	127-U7A96-00	1556.73
4130	MCCH01B-Emergency Protective	Small	127-30214-00	4220
4130	MCMC03C Road Culverts	Large	127-U7A96-00	79141.57
4130	MCCH02A-Debris Removal	Large	127-30214-00	106744.7
4130	MCCH03A-Debris Removal Donated	Small	127-30214-00	4455.13
4238	PES002B Countywide Emergency	Small	127-99127-00	11468.86
4238	PES011B- Emergency Protective	Small	127-U7A96-00	3964.18
4238	FHW009B Fabius River DD Donated	Small	127-UMKA5-00	22461.22
4238	FHW011A Fabius River DD debris	Small	127-UMKA5-00	7980.11
4238	FHW010B Fabius River DD Cat B	Large	127-UMKA5-00	218476
4238	FHW013B South River Drainage District	Small	127-UA4U9-00	120022.4
4238	VPF002A - PAAP Debris Removal	Small	127-30214-00	9888.9
4238	FHW032A Marion County Drainage	Small	127-0512E-00	28500
4238	FHW016E Marion County DD	Small	127-0512E-00	1000
4238	PES014C - Gravel Road Washout	Small	127-U7A96-00	12327.34
4238	MMS020C - Road Repairs	Small	127-U7A96-00	12354.89
4238	FHW017B - Marion Co. DD. EPM	Small	127-0512E-00	105657.6
4238	MMS005C - Multiple Road Repairs	Small	127-U7A96-00	15452.99
4238	MMS009C -Various Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	18732.83
4238	MMS016C Various Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	28719.28

4238	VPF001B - Emergency Protective	Small	127-30214-00	6390.43
4238	MMS004C Multiple Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	17781.76
4238	MMS018C - Various Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	31285.72
4238	MMS008C - Roads 227 - 241	Small	127-U7A96-00	21262.55
4238	MMS013C- Roads Washout	Small	127-U7A96-00	12690.99
4238	MMS014C- Roads 276-311	Small	127-U7A96-00	23683.57
4238	MMS015C - Marion County 6 Roads 112	Small	127-U7A96-00	22036.91
4238	MMS007C- Multiple Road Repairs	Small	127-U7A96-00	11385.17
4238	MMS017C Various Roads	Small	127-U7A96-00	15820.43
4238	RII001C - Bridge #0120007	Large	127-U7A96-00	111257.1
4238	MMS010C-Road Washouts	Small	127-U7A96-00	14296.83
4238	MMS006C - Road Repairs	Small	127-U7A96-00	14330.73
4238	MMS019C -Gravel Road Washouts	Small	127-U7A96-00	22483.99
4238	FHW031B - Marion Co. Drainage District	Small	127-0512E-00	2675.64
4238	MMS011C - Roads - Marion County	Small	127-U7A96-00	19198.79
4451	118576 - City of Palmyra Debris	Small	127-56036-00	12594.3
4451	122102 - Hannibal - Debris Removal	Small	127-30214-00	9583.62
4451	134008 - Clubhouse Interior - Clemens	Small	127-30214-00	15489.94
4451	130732 - South River Drainage District	Small	127-UA4U9-00	30000
4451	130781 - South River Industrial Levee	Small	127-UBOJB-00	5000
4451	117470 - City of Palmyra Utilities	Small	127-56036-00	64553
4451	118250 - City of Hannibal - Clemens	Small	127-30214-00	117280.4
4451	127192 - Drugan Creek Levee - Rip Rap	Large	127-UMKA5-00	225333.7
4451	127140 - Emergency Pumping	Large	127-UMKA5-00	301473
4451	132775 - Palmyra Utilities - Non CBCS	Large	127-56036-00	275834.2
4451	129408 - County Emergency Protective	Small	127-U7A96-00	7655.34
4451	129414 - Countywide Culverts	Small	127-U7A96-00	33330.5
4451	153133 - Fabius - Management Costs	Small	127-UMKA5-00	26340.34
4451	130183 - Marion County Drainage	Large	127-0512E-00	171401.6
4451	122104 - City of Hannibal Emergency	Large	127-30214-00	188958.2
4451	130780 - Emergency Protective	Large	127-UBOJB-00	185971.8
4451	121563 - Hannibal, City of - Donated	Small	127-30214-00	14260.91
4451	130187 - Marion County Drainage	Small	127-0512E-00	39631.57
4451	129409 - Marion County Highway	Large	127-U7A96-00	294648.3
4451	130734 - South River Drainage District -	Small	127-UA4U9-00	112970.4
4451	113986 -Permanent Repairs Storm	Small	127-30214-00	36593.24
4451	171199 - CAT Z Management Costs	Small	127-U7A96-00	16781.71
4451	163699 - South River Drainage District -	Small	127-UA4U9-00	7148.52
4451	162352 - Hannibal Management Costs	Small	127-30214-00	18395.27

Source: Federal Emergency Management Agency, 3/15/2021

2.2 JURISDICTIONAL PROFILES AND MITIGATION CAPABILITIES

2.2.1 Unincorporated Marion County

By Missouri Statute (Section 48.020.1) Marion County is defined as a 3rd Class County, meaning its assessed valuation is less than six hundred million dollars. The County seat is located in Palmyra. As a result of the addition of the Court of Common Pleas, Marion County is unique from most third class counties in that it has two courthouses the second located in Hannibal.

Marion County has eight townships, which serve today primarily as voting districts. The county government provides services such as law enforcement, judicial services, land records, tax collection, property assessment, administration of elections, construction and maintenance of road and bridges and zoning.

The County is governed by an elected board of Commissioners composed of a presiding commissioner and two associate commissioners. Other positions within Marion County's government include:

- County Assessor
- County Clerk
- County Recorder
- County Sheriff
- County Collector
- Emergency Management
- County Coordinator
- Coroner Circuit Clerk
- Public Administrator
- Prosecuting Attorney
- County Treasurer

Mitigation Initiatives/Capabilities

The County of Marion, as well as the Cities of Hannibal and Palmyra, have implemented zoning and building requirements which govern development within the County. The County also has an Emergency Manager. The Manger plans and directs disaster responses or crisis management activities, provides disaster preparedness training and prepares emergency plans and procedures for natural disasters.

The Marion County Coordinator acts as the Floodplain Manager for the County and is the principal administrator in the daily implementation of flood loss reduction activities including enforcing flood damage prevention and related policies and any of the activities related to administration of the Nation Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). The Coordinator is also responsible for overseeing zoning activities.

The County has an Emergency Operations Plan, Land Use Order, Floodplain Management Ordinance/Floodplain Development Procedures, and an Emergency Operations Plan – Hazardous Materials Response manual. Outdoor warning sirens are located strategically in Hannibal and Palmyra. The County has a “Code Red Emergency Notification System” to alert residents of the County of imminent danger.

Table 2.7. Unincorporated Marion County Mitigation Capabilities

Capabilities	Status Including Date of Document or Policy
Planning Capabilities	
Comprehensive Plan	No
Builder's Plan	No
Capital Improvement Plan	No
City Emergency Operations Plan	N/A
County Emergency Operations Plan	Yes
Local Recovery Plan	No
County Recovery Plan	No
City Mitigation Plan	N/A
County Mitigation Plan	Yes
Debris Management Plan	No
Economic Development Plan	No
Transportation Plan	No
Land-use Plan	Yes, Land Use Order
Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) Plan	No
Watershed Plan	No
Firewise or other fire mitigation plan	No
School Mitigation Plan	No
Critical Facilities Plan (Mitigation/Response/Recovery)	Yes, LEPD
Policies/Ordinance	
Zoning Ordinance	Yes
Building Code	No
Floodplain Ordinance	Yes
Subdivision Ordinance	No
Tree Trimming Ordinance	No
Nuisance Ordinance	No
Stormwater Ordinance	No
Drainage Ordinance	No
Site Plan Review Requirements	No
Historic Preservation Ordinance	No
Landscape Ordinance	No
Seismic Construction Ordinance	No
Program	
Zoning/Land Use Restrictions	Planning and Zoning
Codes Building Site/Design	No
Hazard Awareness Program	Emergency Management
National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP)	Yes
NFIP Community Rating System (CRS) program	No
National Weather Service (NWS) Storm Ready	No
Firewise Community Certification	No
Building Code Effectiveness Grading (BCEGs)	No
ISO Fire Rating	No

Capabilities	Status Including Date of Document or Policy
Economic Development Program	NEMO Economic Development
Land Use Program	No
Public Education/Awareness	No
Property Acquisition	No
Planning/Zoning Boards	Planning and Zoning
Stream Maintenance Program	No
Tree Trimming Program	No
Engineering Studies for Streams (Local/County/Regional)	No
Mutual Aid Agreements	No
Studies/Reports/Maps	
Hazard Analysis/Risk Assessment (Local)	N/A
Hazard Analysis/Risk Assessment (County)	Yes
Flood Insurance Maps	Yes
FEMA Flood Insurance Study (Detailed)	No
Evacuation Route Map	No
Critical Facilities Inventory	Yes, Tier II Facilities
Vulnerable Population Inventory	No
Land Use Map	No
Staff/Department	
Building Code Official	No
Building Inspector	No
Mapping Specialist (GIS)	No
Engineer	No
Development Planner	No
Public Works Official	No
Emergency Management Director	Yes
NFIP Floodplain Administrator	Yes
Emergency Response Team	Yes
Hazardous Materials Expert	No
Local Emergency Planning Committee	Yes
County Emergency Management Commission	No
Sanitation Department	No
Transportation Department	Yes
Economic Development Department	Yes
Housing Department	No
Historic Preservation	No
Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs)	
American Red Cross	Yes
Salvation Army	Yes
Veterans Groups	Yes
Local Environmental Organization	No
Homeowner Associations	Yes
Neighborhood Associations	No
Chamber of Commerce	Yes
Community Organizations (Lions, Kiwanis, etc.)	Yes

Capabilities	Status Including Date of Document or Policy
Local Funding Availability	
Apply for Community Development Block	Yes
Fund projects through Capital	Yes
Authority to levy taxes for a specific purpose	No
Fees for water, sewer, gas, or electric services	No
Impact fees for new development	Yes
Ability to incur debt through general obligation bonds	Yes
Ability to incur debt through special tax bonds	Yes
Ability to incur debt through private activities	No
Withhold spending in hazard prone areas	No

Source: Data Collection Questionnaire, 3/31/2021

2.2.2 City of Hannibal

Hannibal is a community of 17,320 people and is located on the eastern side of the County adjacent to the Mississippi River. The City is comprised of fourteen basic departments or functions which include the Executive branch (including City Council, City Clerk, Collector, Public Works and Streets, Building Inspections, Parks and Recreation, Police, Fire, Municipal Court, Library, Emergency Management, Airport, Tourism and Hannibal Board of Public Works. Under a Home Rule Charter, the City of Hannibal uses a Council/Manager form of city government. The mayor is elected at large for a three-year term and each of the six City Council members are elected, one per each ward for a staggered three-year term. Under the Council/Manager form of government, the elected Mayor and City Council set policy and overall direction for the City. The City staff, under direction of the City manager, carries out Council decisions and provides day-to-day services.

According to Census estimates Hannibal is experiencing a decline in population. The City's 2010 population was sited at 17,916 while 2015 estimates reveal a population of 17,839 a slight decline of .4%. The City of Hannibal and various departments host a variety of public education programs throughout the year. Included are an energy conservation committee, fire safety programs for senior centers and schools, a fire-starters program for youth, emergency management educational seminars, a citizen's police academy, live –shooter training for businesses sponsored by the Hannibal Police Department and tornado spotters training to name a few. Since 2011, the City has acquired 42 flood impacted properties through hazard mitigation grants. Acquisition and demolition of these sites has removed lives and properties from future endangerment. In addition, the City has acquired approximately 10 flood impacted properties outside the scope of the hazard mitigation grant program for the same purpose. In 2015, the City enacted a program called "Tornado Shelter Alternatives", whereby local churches provide basements to persons seeking a higher level of shelter during tornado watches and warnings. This program was designed to provide a greater level of safety for persons living in homes lacking basements or those residing in mobile homes. It also will provide a means of shelter for tourists and pedestrians without immediate shelter. There is only one FEMA certified storm shelter in Hannibal which is owned by the Moberly Area Community College. Due to the shortage of shelters, the Tornado Shelter Alternative is available to anyone in the community. There are approximately 16 outdoor warning sirens strategically located throughout the community. The community utilizes a public contact system called Code Red. The Code Red system, administered by the Marion County 911 dispatch, has the capability to send voice and/or text messages to every home, business, mobile phone or communications device in the County, provided members of the public have enrolled for the service. The Code Red system has been used to alert the public-school regarding tornado warnings, severe storms, missing children, and even a bank robber who was temporarily at large. Downtown buildings in Hannibal are aging and deteriorating at a rapid pace. They are at risk for failure with two collapsing within the past five years. Time and the elements have taken a toll of many of the structures and the cost of maintenance for many property owners is prohibitive.

Mitigation initiatives include:

- Flood Mitigation
- Transportation Infrastructure
- NFP Participation

Table 2.8. City of Hannibal Mitigation Capabilities

Capability	Status Including Date of Document or Policy
Planning Capabilities	
Comprehensive Plan	Yes
Builder's Plan	No
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Local Emergency Plan	Yes
County Emergency Plan	No
Local Recovery Plan	Yes
County Recovery Plan	No
Local Mitigation Plan	No
County Mitigation Plan	Yes
Local Mitigation Plan (PDM)	No
County Mitigation Plan (PDM)	No
Economic Development Plan	Yes
Transportation Plan	Yes
Land-use Plan	No
Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) Plan	No
Watershed Plan	No
Firewise or other fire mitigation plan	No
School Mitigation Plan	No
Critical Facilities Plan (Mitigation/Response/Recovery)	No
Policies/Ordinance	
Zoning Ordinance	
Building Code	Yes
Floodplain Ordinance	Yes
Subdivision Ordinance	Yes
Tree Trimming Ordinance	No
Nuisance Ordinance	No
Storm Water Ordinance	No
Drainage Ordinance	Yes
Seismic Construction Ordinance	Yes
Capability	
Site Plan Review Requirements	Yes
Historic Preservation Ordinance	No
Landscape Ordinance	No
Iowa Wetlands and Riparian Areas Conservation Plan	
Debris Management Plan	Yes
Program	
Zoning/Land Use Restrictions	Yes
Codes Building Site/Design	No
National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) Participant	Yes
NFIP Community Rating System (CRS) Participating Community	Yes
Hazard Awareness Program	No
National Weather Service (NWS) Storm Ready	Yes
Building Code Effectiveness Grading (BCEGs)	Yes
ISO Fire Rating	Yes
Economic Development Program	Yes
Land Use Program	No
Public Education/Awareness	No
Property Acquisition	No
Planning/Zoning Boards	No
Stream Maintenance Program	No
Tree Trimming Program	Yes
Engineering Studies for Streams (Local/County/Regional)	
Mutual Aid Agreements	No

Capability	Status Including Date of Document or Policy
Studies/Reports/Maps	
Hazard Analysis/Risk Assessment (Local)	Yes
Hazard Analysis/Risk Assessment (County)	No
Flood Insurance Maps	Yes
FEMA Flood Insurance Study (Detailed)	Yes
Evacuation Route Map	No
Critical Facilities Inventory	Yes
Vulnerable Population Inventory	
Land Use Map	Yes
Staff/Department	
Building Code Official	No
Building Inspector	Yes
Mapping Specialist (GIS)	No
Engineer	Yes
Development Planner	Yes
Public Works Official	Yes
Emergency Management Coordinator	Yes
NFIP Floodplain Administrator	Yes
Emergency Response Team	No
Hazardous Materials Expert	N/A
Local Emergency Planning Committee	No
County Emergency Management Commission	Yes
Sanitation Department	Yes
Transportation Department	No
Economic Development Department	Yes
Housing Department	
Historic Preservation	No
Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs)	
American Red Cross	Yes
Salvation Army	No
Veterans Groups	No
Environmental Organization	No
Homeowner Associations	Yes
Neighborhood Associations	Yes
Chamber of Commerce	
Community Organizations (Lions, Kiwanis, etc.)	
Local Funding Availability	
Ability to apply for Community Development Block Grants	Yes
Ability to fund projects through Capital Improvements funding	Yes
Authority to levy taxes for a specific purpose	Yes
Fees for water, sewer, gas, or electric services	Yes
Impact fees for new development	Yes
Ability to incur debt through general obligation bonds	Yes
Ability to incur debt through special tax bonds	No
Ability to incur debt through private activities	No
Ability to withhold spending in hazard prone areas	Yes

Source: Data Collection Questionnaire, 3/31/2021

2.2.3 City of Palmyra

Palmyra is located 12 miles northwest of Mark Twain's Hometown, Hannibal, and 17 miles southwest of Quincy, IL, a commercial center noted for its architecture and as an important stop on the "underground railway." Some residents commute to jobs in these cities but live in Palmyra because of the quality of life—a 300 acre park with baseball fields, walking trails, fishing lake, volleyball and basketball courts, swimming pool and many shelters and playgrounds; a city golf course; 12 churches; affordable and attractive housing; an active business and industrial base; two health clinics and access to two excellent regional hospitals; a senior nutrition center; a public library; and a school system often cited as one of the best in northeast Missouri. Palmyra enjoys the advantages of wholesome small-town life where extensive shopping, employment, entertainment, higher education, and transportation are just minutes away on a divided highway. Cable systems, radio and television, cell phones, newspapers, and the Internet link area residents to a national and global community.

Palmyra, seven miles west of the Mississippi River, sits on a natural rock foundation where early settlers found an endless water supply from a clear, sweet spring. Palmyra was platted in 1819, and named after Palmyra, in Syria. The settlement was designated county seat in 1827. A post office called Palmyra has been in operation since 1830.

The first land office in northeast Missouri was established here as the frontier pushed westward. With the help of the city and Marion County, local organizations maintain the Gardner House, a former stop on the St. Louis-St. Paul stagecoach route, and the Marion County Jail, built in 1858. Gardner House, with its beautiful colonial garden, is now a museum and visitors' center. A taped narrative for a walking tour of the business and historic district is available upon request at Gardner House. The jail, used as a federal prison during the Civil War, held ten prisoners who became victims of a notorious reprisal, the "Palmyra Massacre" of 1862. The jail is currently being restored as a museum. Many local houses and buildings, including those described here, are on the National Register of Historic Places.

The old city jail, the "Calaboose," today houses a restaurant. The Palmyra Spectator, started in 1839, is the oldest continuously operating weekly newspaper in Missouri.

Mitigation initiatives include:

- NFIP Participation
- Transportation Infrastructure
- Warning Sirens
- Water Facility Generator

Table 2.9. City of Palmyra Mitigation Capabilities

Capability	Status Including Date of Document or Policy
Planning Capabilities	
Comprehensive Plan	No
Builder's Plan	No
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Local Emergency Plan	Yes, 2004
County Emergency Plan	N/A
Local Recovery Plan	No
County Recovery Plan	N/A
Local Mitigation Plan	No
County Mitigation Plan	N/A

Capability	Status Including Date of Document or Policy
Local Mitigation Plan (PDM)	No
County Mitigation Plan (PDM)	N/A
Economic Development Plan	Yes
Transportation Plan	No
Land-use Plan	Yes
Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) Plan	No
Watershed Plan	No
Firewise or other fire mitigation plan	No
School Mitigation Plan	Yes, 2019
Critical Facilities Plan (Mitigation/Response/Recovery)	No
Policies/Ordinance	
Zoning Ordinance	Yes
Building Code	Yes
Floodplain Ordinance	Yes
Subdivision Ordinance	Yes
Tree Trimming Ordinance	No
Nuisance Ordinance	Yes
Storm Water Ordinance	Yes
Drainage Ordinance	Yes
Seismic Construction Ordinance	No
Capability	
Site Plan Review Requirements	No
Historic Preservation Ordinance	No
Landscape Ordinance	No
Iowa Wetlands and Riparian Areas Conservation Plan	No
Debris Management Plan	No
Program	
Zoning/Land Use Restrictions	Yes
Codes Building Site/Design	Yes
National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) Participant	Yes
NFIP Community Rating System (CRS) Participating Community	No
Hazard Awareness Program	No
National Weather Service (NWS) Storm Ready	Yes
Building Code Effectiveness Grading (BCEGs)	No
ISO Fire Rating	Yes, 5
Economic Development Program	Yes
Land Use Program	Yes
Public Education/Awareness	No
Property Acquisition	No
Planning/Zoning Boards	Yes
Stream Maintenance Program	No
Tree Trimming Program	Yes
Engineering Studies for Streams (Local/County/Regional)	No
Mutual Aid Agreements	Yes
Studies/Reports/Maps	
Hazard Analysis/Risk Assessment (Local)	No
Hazard Analysis/Risk Assessment (County)	N/A
Flood Insurance Maps	Yes
FEMA Flood Insurance Study (Detailed)	No
Evacuation Route Map	No
Critical Facilities Inventory	Yes
Vulnerable Population Inventory	No
Land Use Map	Yes
Staff/Department	
Building Code Official	Yes
Building Inspector	Yes

Capability	Status Including Date of Document or Policy
Mapping Specialist (GIS)	Yes
Engineer	No
Development Planner	No
Public Works Official	Yes
Emergency Management Coordinator	Yes
NFIP Floodplain Administrator	Yes
Emergency Response Team	No
Hazardous Materials Expert	No
Local Emergency Planning Committee	No
County Emergency Management Commission	N/A
Sanitation Department	Yes
Transportation Department	No
Economic Development Department	Yes
Housing Department	No
Historic Preservation	No
Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs)	
American Red Cross	No
Salvation Army	No
Veterans Groups	Yes
Environmental Organization	No
Homeowner Associations	Yes
Neighborhood Associations	No
Chamber of Commerce	Yes
Community Organizations (Lions, Kiwanis, etc.)	Yes
Local Funding Availability	
Ability to apply for Community Development Block Grants	Yes
Ability to fund projects through Capital Improvements funding	Yes
Authority to levy taxes for a specific purpose	Yes
Fees for water, sewer, gas, or electric services	Yes
Impact fees for new development	No
Ability to incur debt through general obligation bonds	Yes
Ability to incur debt through special tax bonds	Yes
Ability to incur debt through private activities	No
Ability to withhold spending in hazard prone areas	Yes

Source: Data Collection Questionnaire, 3/31/2021

2.2.4 Summary of Jurisdictional Capabilities

The following table summarizes the mitigation capabilities of the county and unincorporated cities.

Table 2.10. Mitigation Capabilities Summary Table

CAPABILITIES	Uninc. Marion County	City of Hannibal	City of Palmyra
Planning Capabilities			
Comprehensive Plan	No	Yes	No
Builder's Plan	No	No	No
Capital Improvement Plan	No	Yes	Yes
Local Emergency Plan	No	Yes	Yes
County Emergency Plan	Yes	No	N/A
Local Recovery Plan	No	Yes	No
County Recovery Plan	No	No	N/A
Local Mitigation Plan	No	No	No
County Mitigation Plan	Yes	Yes	N/A
Local Mitigation Plan (PDM)	No	No	No
County Mitigation Plan (PDM)	No	No	N/A
Debris Management Plan	No	Yes	No
Economic Development Plan	No	Yes	Yes
Transportation Plan	No	No	No
Land-use Plan	Yes	No	Yes
Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) Plan	No	No	No
Watershed Plan	No	No	No
Firewise or other fire mitigation plan	No	No	No
School Mitigation Plan	No	No	Yes
Critical Facilities Plan (Mitigation/Response/Recovery)	Yes	No	No
Policies/Ordinance			
Zoning Ordinance	Yes	Yes	Yes
Building Code	No	Yes	Yes
Floodplain Ordinance	Yes	Yes	Yes
Subdivision Ordinance	No	No	Yes
Tree Trimming Ordinance	No	No	No
Nuisance Ordinance	No	No	Yes
Storm Water Ordinance	No	Yes	Yes
Drainage Ordinance	No	Yes	Yes

CAPABILITIES	Uninc. Marion County	City of Hannibal	City of Palmyra
Site Plan Review Requirements	No	Yes	No
Historic Preservation Ordinance	No	Yes	No
Landscape Ordinance	No	No	No
Seismic Construction Ordinance	No	No	No
Program			
Zoning/Land Use Restrictions	Yes	Yes	Yes
Codes Building Site/Design	No	Yes	Yes
National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) Participant	Yes	Yes	Yes
NFIP Community Rating System (CRS) Participating Community	No	Yes	No
Hazard Awareness Program	No	No	No
National Weather Service (NWS) Storm Ready	No	Yes	Yes
Building Code Effectiveness Grading (BCEGs)	No	No	No
ISO Fire Rating	No	Yes	Yes
Economic Development Program	Yes	Yes	Yes
Land Use Program	No	Yes	Yes
Public Education/Awareness	No	Yes	No
Property Acquisition	No	No	No
Planning/Zoning Boards	Yes	No	Yes
Stream Maintenance Program	No	No	No
Tree Trimming Program	No	No	Yes
Engineering Studies for Streams (Local/County/Regional)	No	No	No
Mutual Aid Agreements	No	Yes	Yes
Studies/Reports/Maps			
Hazard Analysis/Risk Assessment (Local)	No	No	No
Hazard Analysis/Risk Assessment (County)	Yes	N/A	N/A
Flood Insurance Maps	Yes	Yes	Yes
FEMA Flood Insurance Study (Detailed)	No	No	No
Evacuation Route Map	No	No	No
Critical Facilities Inventory	Yes	Yes	Yes
Vulnerable Population Inventory	No	No	No
Land Use Map	No	Yes	Yes

CAPABILITIES	Uninc. Marion County	City of Hannibal	City of Palmyra
Staff/Department			
Building Code Official	No	Yes	Yes
Building Inspector	No	Yes	Yes
Mapping Specialist (GIS)	No	No	Yes
Engineer	No	Yes	No
Development Planner	No	No	No
Public Works Official	No	Yes	Yes
Emergency Management Coordinator	Yes	Yes	Yes
NFIP Floodplain Administrator	Yes	Yes	Yes
Emergency Response Team	Yes	Yes	No
Hazardous Materials Expert	No	No	No
Local Emergency Planning Committee	Yes	No	No
County Emergency Management Commission	No	N/A	N/A
Sanitation Department	No	No	Yes
Transportation Department	Yes	Yes	No
Economic Development Department	Yes	Yes	Yes
Housing Department	No	No	No
Historic Preservation	No	Yes	No
Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs)			
American Red Cross	Yes	No	No
Salvation Army	Yes	Yes	No
Veterans Groups	Yes	Yes	Yes
Environmental Organization	No	No	No
Homeowner Associations	Yes	No	Yes
Neighborhood Associations	No	No	No
Chamber of Commerce	Yes	Yes	Yes
Community Organizations (Lions, Kiwanis, etc.)	Yes	Yes	Yes
Financial Resources			
Apply for Community Development Block Grants	Yes	Yes	Yes
Fund projects through Capital Improvements funding	Yes	Yes	Yes
Authority to levy taxes for specific purposes	No	Yes	Yes

CAPABILITIES	Uninc. Marion County	City of Hannibal	City of Palmyra
Fees for water, sewer, gas, or electric services	No	Yes	Yes
Impact fees for new development	Yes	Yes	No
Incur debt through general obligation bonds	Yes	Yes	Yes
Incur debt through special tax bonds	Yes	Yes	Yes
Incur debt through private activities	No	No	No
Withhold spending in hazard prone areas	No	No	Yes

Source: Data Collection Questionnaire, 3/31/2021

2.2.5 Special Districts

Marion County is served by Marion County Emergency Services (911). Administered by an elected Board of Directors consisting of 7 members, Marion County Emergency Services provides the 911 Dispatch Center and various communications equipment for the planning area. MCES frequently promotes 911 education at public events, safety fairs, and schools.

- Mitigation initiatives include Emergency Communications

Marion County is served by Marion County Ambulance District. Administered by a Board of Directors consisting of 6 members. With 3 ambulance bases and an administration/training site, MCAD provides community wide AED training, hands-only CPR, and first aid. The Ambulance District also partners with the University of Missouri to host a satellite location for EMT and Paramedic training.

- Area Served: 444 square miles in Marion, plus a portion of Ralls County
- Area Make-Up: Suburban, industrial, rural and agricultural
- Population Served: 28,530 (2019)
- Calls Per Year: 5,000 Emergency and 800 Inter-facility Transfers
- Type of Service: Emergency & Non-Emergency Ambulances
 - 7 - Advanced Life Support Ambulances (4 units on duty 24 hours each day, 3 units in reserve)
 - 1 - Specialty Care Pediatric/Neonate Transport (Partnership with SSM Cardinal Glennon)
- Specialty Response Vehicles and Equipment
 - 1 - Utility Vehicle (Kawasaki Mule)
 - 1 - Training / Education Trailer
 - 1 - Mobile Disaster Unit
 - 5 - Advanced Life Support Rapid Response Vehicles
- Mitigation initiatives include Emergency Communications

Marion County is served by the Fabius River Drainage District. The District is organized pursuant to Chapter 244 RSMo and has a 5-member Board of Supervisors who serve 5-year terms. The District holds bi-monthly Board meetings and an annual landowner meeting where the status of the District's flood protection and potential flood risks are discussed. The District includes approximately 17 miles of levees and is home to agricultural, residential, commercial, and industrial properties. The District is located on Missouri side of the Mississippi River across from Quincy, Illinois and is traversed by U.S. Route 24, U.S. Route 61, and a railroad.

- Mitigation initiatives include Flood Mitigation

Marion County is served by the South River Drainage District and is administered by a 6-member Board of Directors, with 5 members being elected with voting rights, and 1 member approved with no voting rights. The District has an Emergency Flood Protection Plan that was developed in 2015.

- Mitigation initiatives include Flood Mitigation

2.2.6 Public School District Profiles and Mitigation Capabilities

The Public Schools within the planning area are:

- Hannibal Public School District #60
- Palmyra R-I School District

- Marion County R-II School District

All Public Schools listed above participated in the plan update.

Figure 2.3 Hannibal Public School District #60



Missouri School Directory

[Missouri School Directory \(map\)](#) (Maps are provided purely for reference, please contact county authorities to obtain official school district boundary information.)

Hannibal 60 (064-075)

Phone: 573-221-1258	4650 Mcmasters Avenue
Fax: 573-221-2994	4650 Mcmasters Avenue
E-mail: sjohnson@hannibal60.com	Hannibal, MO 63401-2244
County-District Code: 064-075	Supervisory Area: I
County: Marion	MSIP: Accredited
Congressional District: 06	Assessed Valuation: \$0
House District: 40 , 5	Tax Levy: \$0.0000
Senate District: 18	

	Enrollment (Prior Year)				
	Schools	Cert. Staff	Residents	Non-Res.	Total
Elementary Schools	6	159	1,740	0	1,740
Middle Schools	1	78	872	0	872
Jr. High Schools	0	0	0	0	0
High Schools	1	94	994	0	994
Total	8	331	3,606	0	3,606

Name	Title	Yrs in District
Dr. Mark Bross	Pres. of Bd.	
Mr. Rich W Stilley	Secy. of Bd.	
Mrs. Susan R Johnson	Supt.	28
Mrs. Martha L Astorino	Secy. To Supt.	12
Mr. Rich Stilley	Business Mgr.	8
Mrs. Angie M Odom	Coord. Lib. Serv.	21
Mr. Shawn V Brown	Asst. Supt.	31
Mrs. Whitney E Holliday	Coord. Parent As Teachers	28
Mr. Mike C Vaia	Coord. Specl. Serv.	15
Mrs. Megan Karr	Asst. Supt.	25
Mr. Shawn Brown	Prof. Dev. Chairperson	

Hannibal Sr. High (1050)

4500 Mcmasters Avenue 4500 Mcmasters Avenue Hannibal, MO 63401-2242 **Grade Span:** 09-12
 Phone: 573-221-2733 Fax:573-221-9511

Principal: Mr. Ted W Sampson (15 years in district)
E-mail: tsampson@hannibal.k12.mo.us

Hannibal Career & Tech. Center (1100)

4550 Mcmasters Avenue 4550 Mcmasters Avenue Hannibal, MO 63401-2242
Phone: 573-221-4430 Fax:573-221-7971

Grade Span: 09-12**Principal:** Mr. Brent Meyer (10 years in district)**E-mail:** bdmeyer@hannibal.k12.mo.us

Hannibal Middle (3000)

4700 Mcmasters Avenue 4700 Mcmasters Avenue Hannibal, MO 63401-2246
Phone: 573-221-5840 Fax:573-221-7779

Grade Span: 06-08**Principal:** Mr. Matt Nimmo (6 years in district)**E-mail:** mnimmo@hannibal.k12.mo.us

A. D. Stowell Elem. (4020)

500 Union 500 Union Hannibal, MO 63401-5111
Phone: 573-221-0980 Fax:573-221-2994

Grade Span: K-05**Principal:** Mr. Cory Bennett (2 years in district)**E-mail:** CBENNETT@HANNIBAL60.COM

Eugene Field Elem. (4060)

1405 Pearl St. Hannibal, MO 63401-4151
Phone: 573-221-1050 Fax:573-221-0545

Grade Span: K-05**Principal:** Dr. Kelsey R Whitley (8 years in district)**E-mail:** KWHITLYEY@HANNIBAL60.COM

Mark Twain Elem. (4080)

2800 Bird St. Hannibal, MO 63401-2933
Phone: 573-221-0768 Fax:573-221-3726

Grade Span: K-05**Principal:** Mrs. Karen S Wheelan (31 years in district)**E-mail:** kwheelan@hannibal.k12.mo.us

Oakwood Elem. (4090)

3716 Market St. Hannibal, MO 63401-5444
Phone: 573-221-2747 Fax:573-221-3753

Grade Span: K-05**Principal:** Mrs. Denise L Hudson (21 years in district)**E-mail:** dHUDSON@hannibal.k12.mo.us

Veterans Elem. (5010)

790 N Veterans Road Hannibal, MO 63401-6757
Phone: 573-221-0649 Fax:573-221-1349

Grade Span: K-05**Principal:** Mrs. Brooke V Kelly (17 years in district)**E-mail:** bkelly@hannibal.k12.mo.us

Early Childhood Center (7500)

544 N Veterans Rd 544 N Veterans Rd Hannibal, MO 63401-6757
Phone: 573-221-3054 Fax:573-221-0519

Grade Span: PK-PK**Principal:** Ms. Kindra Szarka (17 years in district)**E-mail:** kszarka@hannibal60.com

Source: <https://apps.dese.mo.gov/MCDS/home.aspx?categoryid=1&view=2> (School Directory by District)

- Mitigation initiatives include a Safe Room/Storm Shelter

Figure 2.4 Palmyra R-I School District



Missouri School Directory

[Missouri School Directory \(map\)](#) (Maps are provided purely for reference, please contact county authorities to obtain official school district boundary information.)

Palmyra R-I (064-074)

Phone: 573-769-2066	1703 S Main
Fax: 573-769-4218	P.O. Box 151
E-mail: malonek@palmyra.k12.mo.us	Palmyra, MO 63461-0151
County-District Code: 064-074	Supervisory Area: I
County: Marion	MSIP: Accredited
Congressional District: 06	Assessed Valuation: \$135,699,125
House District: 4 , 5	Tax Levy: \$4.0280
Senate District: 18	

	Enrollment (Prior Year)				
	Schools	Cert. Staff	Residents	Non-Res.	Total
Elementary Schools	1	43	431	0	431
Middle Schools	1	36	354	0	354
Jr. High Schools	0	0	0	0	0
High Schools	1	37	338	0	338
Total	3	116	1,123	0	1,123

Name	Title	Yrs in District
Mrs. Oneta Crowe	Pres. of Bd.	
Mr. Stacy Hoerr	Secy. of Bd.	
Mr. Kirt Malone	Superintendent	14
Mrs. Linda Raney	Core Data	17
Mrs. Kinsey Cissna	Special Ed Dir.	9
Mr. Brian Wosman	Athletic/Transportation Dir.	20
Mrs. Kathryn Nicholson	Pat Dir.	31
Mr. Larry Seago	Special Prog Dir	21
Mrs. Karrie Kroeger	Bookkeeper/Federal Programs	16
Mrs. Bridget Augspurg	Prof. Dev. Chairperson	

Palmyra High (1050)

1703 S Main St. P.O. Box 151 Palmyra, MO 63461-0151 **Grade Span:** 09-12
 Phone: 573-769-2067 Fax:573-769-1013
Principal: Mr. Jared M Pontius (15 years in district)
E-mail: pontiusj@palmyra.k12.mo.us

Palmyra Middle (3000)

600 W Line St. P.O. Box 151 Palmyra, MO 63461-0150 **Grade Span:** 05-08
 Phone: 573-769-2174 Fax:573-769-4227
Principal: Mr. Steven C Kerr (4 years in district)
E-mail: kerrs@palmyra.k12.mo.us

Palmyra Elem. (4020)

600 S Ashland Avenue P.O. Box 151 Palmyra, MO 63461-0151 **Grade Span:** PK-04
 Phone: 573-769-3736 Fax:573-769-4113
Principal: Mrs. Bridgette W Augspurg (1 year in district)
E-mail: augspurgb@palmyra.k12.mo.us

Source: <https://apps.dese.mo.gov/MCDS/home.aspx?categoryid=1&view=2> (School Directory by District)

- Mitigation initiatives include a Safe Room/Storm Shelter and a Generator

Figure 2.5 Marion County R-II School District



[Missouri School Directory \(map\)](#) (Maps are provided purely for reference, please contact county authorities to obtain official school district boundary information.)

Marion Co. R-II (064-072)

Phone: 573-439-5913
Fax: 573-439-5914
E-mail: jkeilholz@marion.k12.mo.us

2905 Hwy D
Philadelphia, MO 63463-0100

County-District Code: 064-072
County: Marion

Supervisory Area: I
MSIP: Accredited

Congressional District: 06
House District: 5
Senate District: 18

Assessed Valuation: \$17,988,322
Tax Levy: \$4.3455

	Schools	Cert. Staff	Enrollment (Prior Year)		Total
			Residents	Non-Res.	
Elementary Schools	1	16	105	2	107
Middle Schools	0	0	0	0	0
Jr. High Schools	0	0	0	0	0
High Schools	1	15	99	0	99
Total	2	31	204	2	206

Name	Title	Yrs in District
Mr. Craig S Spratt	Pres. of Bd.	
Mr. Jared A Stewart	Secy. of Bd.	
Mr. Jason Keilholz	Supt.	2
Mrs. Nancy Neisen	Secy. To Supt.	36
Mrs. Randi Lee Clayton	Guidance Counselor	3
Ms. Lori Shuck	Prof. Develop. Chairperson	24
Mrs. Savannah O'Bryan	Principal	8
Mr. Craig Spratt	Pres. Of Board	17
Mr. Jared Stewart	Secy. Of Board	8
Mrs. Dulcie Stewart	Bookkeeper	16
Mrs. Sydney Copenhaver	Adm Asst	2
Mrs. Brenda Graves	MOSIS Coordinator	27
Mrs. Lori Shuck	Prof. Dev. Chairperson	

Marion Co. High (1050)

2905 Highway D Philadelphia, MO 63463-0100
Phone: 573-439-5913 Fax:573-439-5914

Grade Span: 07-12

Principal: Mr. Keilholz Jason (9 years in district)
E-mail: jkeilholz@marion.k12.mo.us

Marion Co. Elem. (4020)

2905 Highway D Philadelphia, MO 63463-0100
Phone: 573-439-5913 Fax:573-439-5914

Grade Span: PK-06

Principal: Mrs. O'Bryan Savannah (4 years in district)
E-mail: sobryan@marion.k12.mo.us

Source: <https://apps.dese.mo.gov/MCDS/home.aspx?categoryid=1&view=2> (School Directory by District)

- Mitigation initiatives include a Safe Room/Storm Shelter

The Hannibal Public School District No. 60 consists of the Veterans Elementary School, A.D. Stowell Elementary, Mark Twain Elementary, Oakwood Elementary, Eugene Field Elementary, Hannibal Middle School and Hannibal High School. The Palmyra R-1 School District consists of an elementary (K-4), middle school (5-8) and high school (9-12). Also located in the County is the Marion County R-II School District located in Philadelphia which has an elementary (PK-6) and high school (7-12). Private schools in Marion County include the Holy Family Catholic School and St. John's Lutheran School, both located in Hannibal. The Moberly Area Community College also has a campus in Hannibal as does Hannibal LaGrange University, a four-year private Baptist university.

Table 2.11. Marion County School District Buildings and Enrollment Data, September 18, 2020

District Name	Building Enrolment
Hannibal Public School District #60	
Hannibal Senior High	994
Hannibal Middle School	872
Hannibal Elementary Schools (5)	1,740
Palmyra R-I School District	
Palmyra High School	338
Palmyra Middle School	354
Palmyra Elementary School	431
Marion County R-II School District	
Marion County Elementary	107
Marion County High School	99

Source: <http://mcds.dese.mo.gov/quickfacts/Pages/District-and-School-Information.aspx>, 3/15/2021

Table 2.12. Summary of Mitigation Capabilities-Hannibal #60 and Palmyra R-I

Capability	Hannibal Public School District #60	Palmyra R-I School District	Marion County R-II School District
Planning Elements			
Master Plan/ Date	Yes, Annual	Yes, 2016	No
Capital Improvement Plan/Date	Yes, 2021	Yes, 2020	No
School Emergency Plan / Date	Yes, Annual	Yes, 2019	Yes, 2020
Weapons Policy/Date	Yes	Yes, 2021	Yes, 2020
Personnel Resources			
Full-Time Building Official (Principal)	Yes	Yes	Yes
Emergency Manager	Yes	Yes	Yes
Grant Writer	No	No	No
Public Information Officer	Yes	Yes	No
Financial Resources			
Capital Improvements Project Funding	Yes	Yes	Yes
Local Funds	Yes	Yes	Yes
General Obligation Bonds	Yes	Yes	Yes
Special Tax Bonds	Yes	No	Yes
Private Activities/Donations	Yes	No	Yes
State and Federal Funds/Grants	Yes	No	Yes
Other			
Public Education Programs	Yes	Yes	Yes
Privately or Self- Insured?	N/A	N/A	N/A
Fire Evacuation Training	Yes	Yes	Yes
Tornado Sheltering Exercises	Yes	Yes	Yes
Public Address/Emergency Alert System	Yes	Yes	Yes
NOAA Weather Radios	Yes	Yes	No
Lock-Down Security Training	Yes	Yes	Yes
Mitigation Programs	No	No	No
Tornado Shelter/Saferoom	No	Yes	No
Campus Police	Yes	Yes	No

Source: Data Collection Questionnaire, 3/31/2021

