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Summary

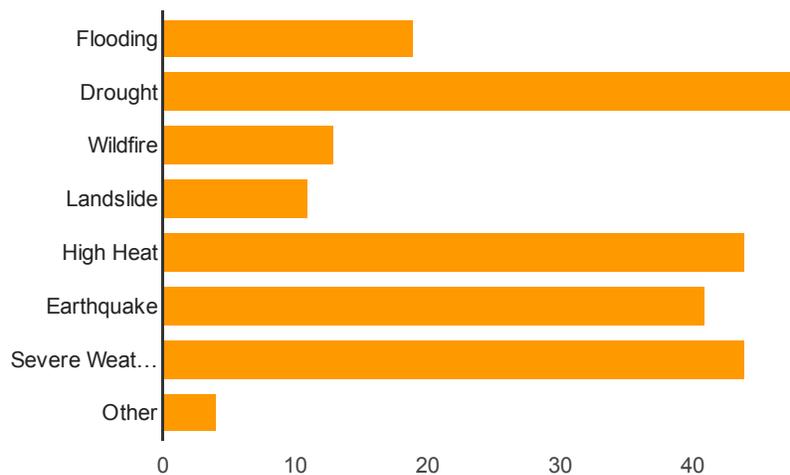
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Do you...(Check all that apply).



Live in the City of Grand Terrace	97	93.3%
Work in the City of Grand Terrace	9	8.7%
Visit the City of Grand Terrace but live and work elsewhere	5	4.8%

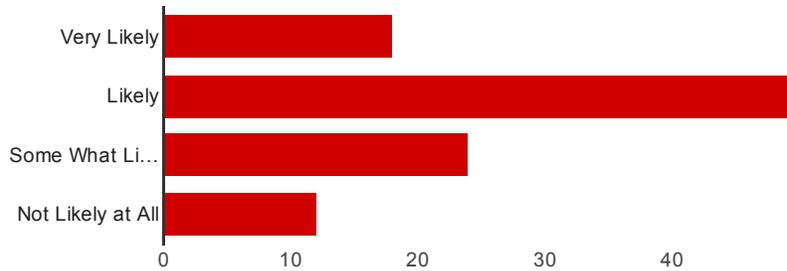
Which of the following types of natural disasters have you or someone in your household experienced in the past 20 years within the City of Grand Terrace?



Flooding	19	18.3%
Drought	48	46.2%
Wildfire	13	12.5%

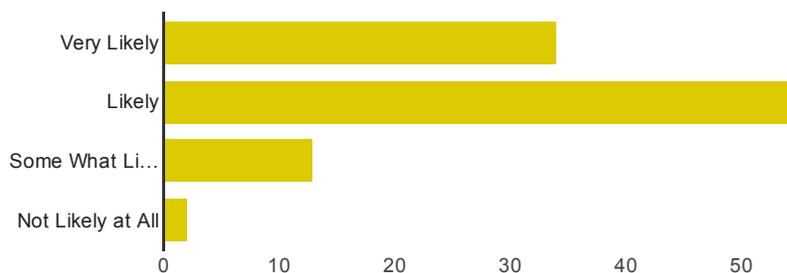
Landslide	11	10.6%
High Heat	44	42.3%
Earthquake	41	39.4%
Severe Weather	44	42.3%
Other	4	3.8%

Drought [What do you believe is the likelihood that these natural hazards will cause damage buildings or harm residents to the City of Grand Terrace? Please check ONE response for each hazard.]



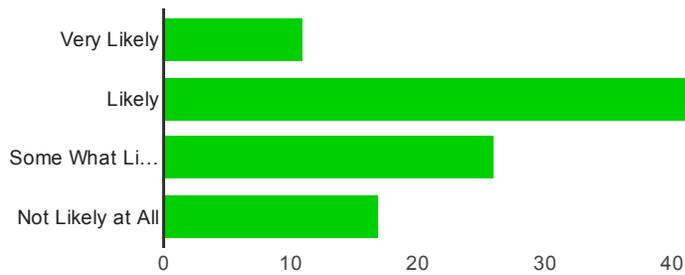
Very Likely	18	17.3%
Likely	50	48.1%
Some What Likely	24	23.1%
Not Likely at All	12	11.5%

Earthquake [What do you believe is the likelihood that these natural hazards will cause damage buildings or harm residents to the City of Grand Terrace? Please check ONE response for each hazard.]



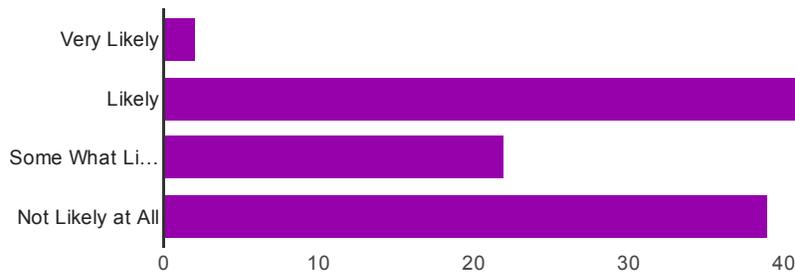
Very Likely	34	32.7%
Likely	55	52.9%
Some What Likely	13	12.5%
Not Likely at All	2	1.9%

Wildfire [What do you believe is the likelihood that these natural hazards will cause damage buildings or harm residents to the City of Grand Terrace? Please check ONE response for each hazard.]



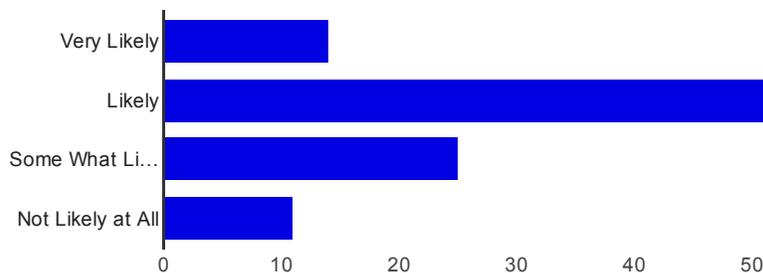
Very Likely	11	10.6%
Likely	50	48.1%
Some What Likely	26	25%
Not Likely at All	17	16.3%

Liquefaction [What do you believe is the likelihood that these natural hazards will cause damage buildings or harm residents to the City of Grand Terrace? Please check ONE response for each hazard.]



Very Likely	2	1.9%
Likely	41	39.4%
Some What Likely	22	21.2%
Not Likely at All	39	37.5%

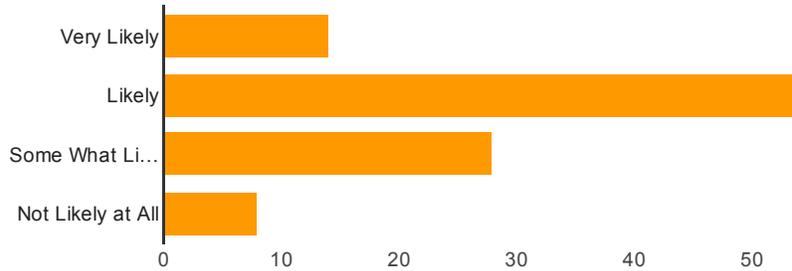
Landslide/Mudflow [What do you believe is the likelihood that these natural hazards will cause damage buildings or harm residents to the City of Grand Terrace? Please check ONE response for each hazard.]



Very Likely	14	13.5%
Likely	54	51.9%

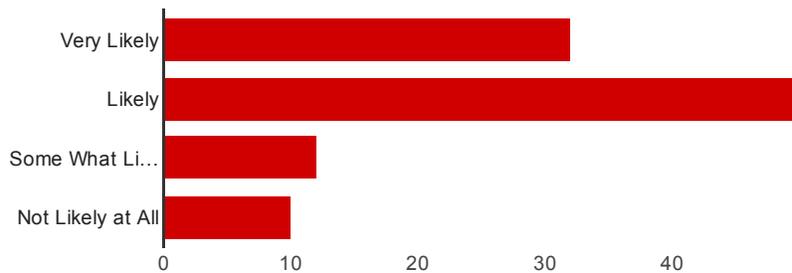
Some What Likely **25** 24%
 Not Likely at All **11** 10.6%

Severe Weather [What do you believe is the likelihood that these natural hazards will cause damage buildings or harm residents to the City of Grand Terrace? Please check ONE response for each hazard.]



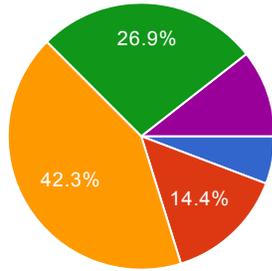
Very Likely **14** 13.5%
 Likely **54** 51.9%
 Some What Likely **28** 26.9%
 Not Likely at All **8** 7.7%

Hight Heat [What do you believe is the likelihood that these natural hazards will cause damage buildings or harm residents to the City of Grand Terrace? Please check ONE response for each hazard.]



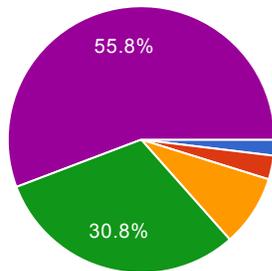
Very Likely **32** 30.8%
 Likely **50** 48.1%
 Some What Likely **12** 11.5%
 Not Likely at All **10** 9.6%

Please indicate how you feel about the following statement: Information about the risks from natural hazards is readily available and easy to locate.



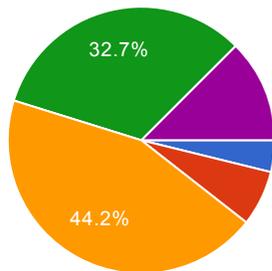
Somewhat Agree **28** 26.9%
 Strongly Agree **11** 10.6%

Please indicate how you feel about the following statement: It is my responsibility to educate myself and take actions that will reduce my exposure to the risks from natural hazards.



Strongly Disagree **2** 1.9%
 Disagree **3** 2.9%
 Neutral **9** 8.7%
 Agree **32** 30.8%
 Strongly Agree **58** 55.8%

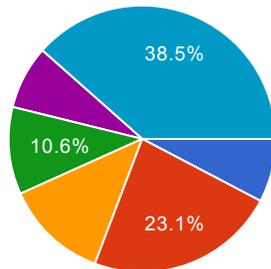
Please indicate how you feel about the following statement: It is the responsibility of government (local, state and federal) to provide education and programs that promote citizen actions that will reduce exposure to the risks from natural hazards.



Strongly Disagree **4** 3.8%
 Disagree **7** 6.7%
 Neutral **46** 44.2%
 Agree **34** 32.7%

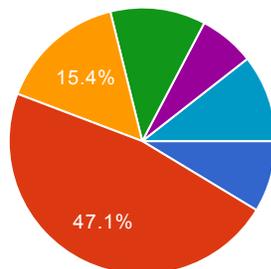
Strongly Agree **13** 12.5%

How much money would you be willing to spend at one time to protect your home or business from natural hazards? (For example, by flood proofing a basement, performing seismic upgrades, or doing dry weed abatement for fire risk) The answers will help the City of Grand Terrace staff to find applicable hazard mitigation grant programs requiring local funding match.



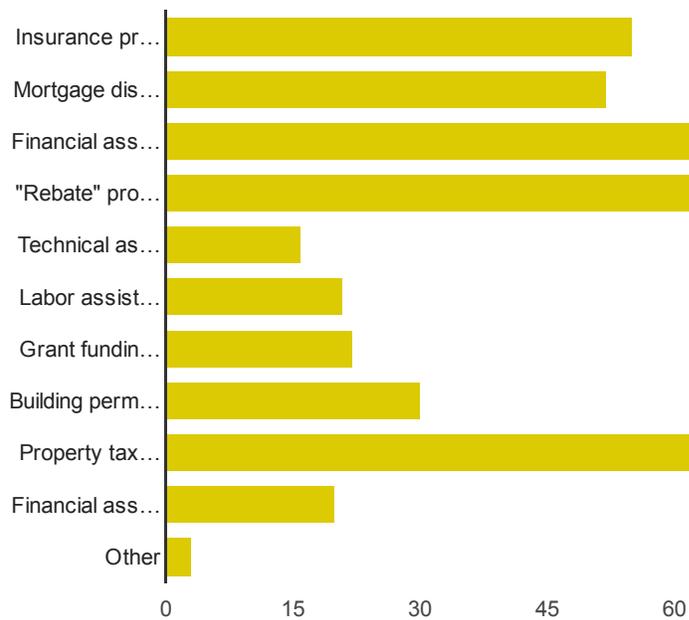
Not willing to spend money on this	8	7.7%
Less than \$250	24	23.1%
\$250 - \$499	13	12.5%
\$500 - \$1,000	11	10.6%
More than \$1,000	8	7.7%
Not Sure	40	38.5%

How much money would you be willing to spend each year to protect your home or business from natural hazards in the form of flood and/or earthquake insurance? The answers will help the City of Grand Terrace staff to find applicable hazard mitigation grant programs requiring local funding match.



Not willing to spend money on this	9	8.7%
Less than \$250	49	47.1%
\$250 - \$499	16	15.4%
\$500 - \$1,000	12	11.5%
More than \$1,000	7	6.7%
Not Sure	11	10.6%

Which of the following incentives would encourage you to protect your home against natural hazards? (Check all that apply)



Insurance premium discount	55	52.9%
Mortgage discount or Low Interest Loan	52	50%
Financial assistance for property upgrades or equipment	62	59.6%
"Rebate" program	75	72.1%
Technical assistance	16	15.4%
Labor assistance	21	20.2%
Grant funding that requires "cost share"	22	21.2%
Building permit fee reduction or waiver	30	28.8%
Property tax break or incentive	68	65.4%
Financial assistance for equipment	20	19.2%
Other	3	2.9%

Retrofit and strengthen essential facilities such as police and fire facilities, schools and hospitals. [What protection methods do you believe the City, County, State or Federal agencies should be using in order to reduce damage and disruption from hazard events within the City of Grand Terrace? (Please check ONE answer for each statement). This information will assess community beliefs on developing hazard mitigation programs and strategies.]



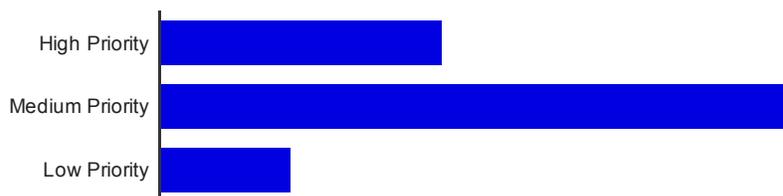
High Priority	81	77.9%
Medium Priority	16	15.4%
Low Priority	7	6.7%

Retrofit infrastructure such as roads, bridges, drainage facilities, water supply, waste water and power supply facilities. [What protection methods do you believe the City, County, State or Federal agencies should be using in order to reduce damage and disruption from hazard events within the City of Grand Terrace? (Please check ONE answer for each statement). This information will assess community beliefs on developing hazard mitigation programs and strategies.]



High Priority	82	78.8%
Medium Priority	16	15.4%
Low Priority	6	5.8%

Fund projects such as flood walls, drainage improvements, fuel breaks, and bank stabilization projects. [What protection methods do you believe the City, County, State or Federal agencies should be using in order to reduce damage and disruption from hazard events within the City of Grand Terrace? (Please check ONE answer for each statement). This information will assess community beliefs on developing hazard mitigation programs and strategies.]



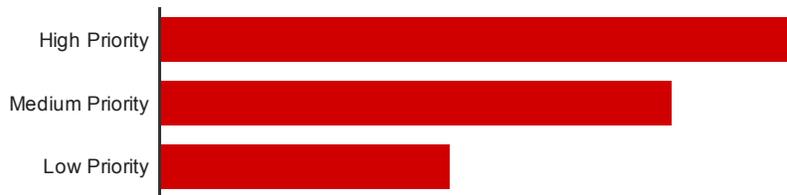
High Priority	28	26.9%
Medium Priority	63	60.6%
Low Priority	13	12.5%

Strengthen codes and regulations to include higher standards in hazard areas. [What protection methods do you believe the City, County, State or Federal agencies should be using in order to reduce damage and disruption from hazard events within the City of Grand Terrace? (Please check ONE answer for each statement). This information will assess community beliefs on developing hazard mitigation programs and strategies.]



High Priority	45	43.3%
Medium Priority	39	37.5%
Low Priority	20	19.2%

Assist vulnerable property owners with securing funding for mitigation / property protection. [What protection methods do you believe the City, County, State or Federal agencies should be using in order to reduce damage and disruption from hazard events within the City of Grand Terrace? (Please check ONE answer for each statement). This information will assess community beliefs on developing hazard mitigation programs and strategies.]



High Priority	46	44.2%
Medium Priority	37	35.6%
Low Priority	21	20.2%

Provide better public information about risk, and the exposure to hazards within Grand Terrace. [What protection methods do you believe the City, County, State or Federal agencies should be using in order to reduce damage and disruption from hazard events within the City of Grand Terrace? (Please check ONE answer for each statement). This information will assess community beliefs on developing hazard mitigation programs and strategies.]



High Priority	63	60.6%
Medium Priority	32	30.8%
Low Priority	9	8.7%

Carry out projects to restore the natural environments capacity to absorb the impacts from natural hazards. [What protection methods do you believe the City, County, State or Federal agencies should be using in order to reduce damage and disruption from hazard events within the City of Grand Terrace? (Please check ONE answer for each statement). This information will assess community beliefs on developing hazard mitigation programs and strategies.]



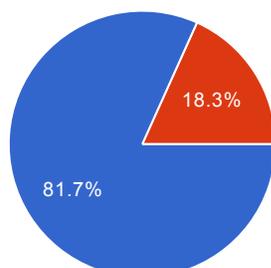
High Priority	60	57.7%
Medium Priority	34	32.7%
Low Priority	10	9.6%

Acquire emergency generators for essential government facilities and buildings identified as care and shelters. [What protection methods do you believe the City, County, State or Federal agencies should be using in order to reduce damage and disruption from hazard events within the City of Grand Terrace? (Please check ONE answer for each statement). This information will assess community beliefs on developing hazard mitigation programs and strategies.]



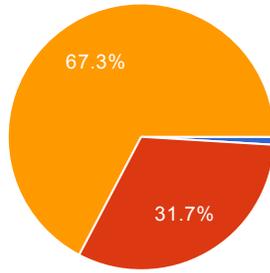
High Priority	66	63.5%
Medium Priority	28	26.9%
Low Priority	10	9.6%

Do you own or rent your home or business?



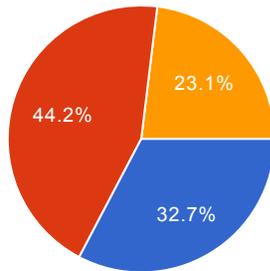
Own	85	81.7%
Rent	19	18.3%

Is your home or business located in or near a FEMA designated floodplain?



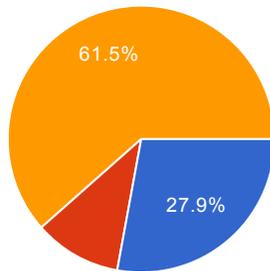
Yes	1	1%
No	33	31.7%
Not Sure	70	67.3%

Do you have flood insurance?



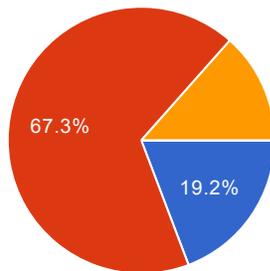
Yes	34	32.7%
No	46	44.2%
Not Sure	24	23.1%
Other	0	0%

Is your home or business located near an earthquake fault?



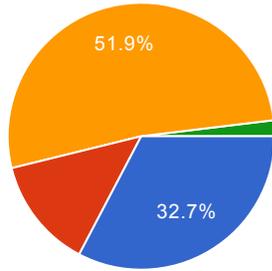
Yes	29	27.9%
No	11	10.6%
Not Sure	64	61.5%
Other	0	0%

Do you have earthquake insurance?



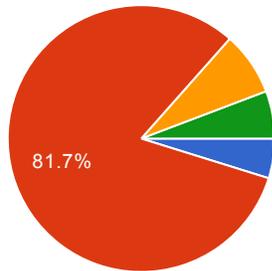
Yes	20	19.2%
No	70	67.3%
Not Sure	14	13.5%
Other	0	0%

To the best of your knowledge, does your homeowner's, renter's, or general insurance policy provide coverage for damage from natural hazards?



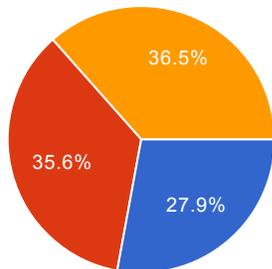
Do not have property insurance	2	1.9%
No	14	13.5%
Not Sure	54	51.9%

Have you ever had problems obtaining homeowner's or renter's insurance due to risks from natural hazards?



Never tried obtaining hazard insurance	6	5.8%
Yes	5	4.8%
No	85	81.7%
Not Sure	8	7.7%

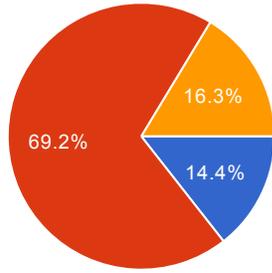
When you moved into your home, did you consider the impact a natural hazard event could have on your home?



Yes	29	27.9%
No	37	35.6%
Not Sure	38	36.5%

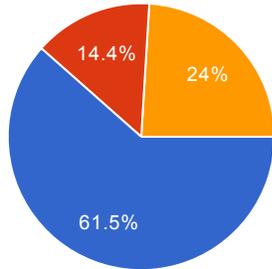
Was the presence of a natural hazard risk zone (for example, wild fire area or flood zone) disclosed to you by a real estate agent, seller or landlord before you purchased or moved into your home?

Yes	15	14.4%
No	72	69.2%
Not Sure	17	16.3%



decision on where to buy or rent a home?

sk information influence your



Yes	64	61.5%
No	15	14.4%
Not Sure	25	24%

Please provide any additional comments that you may have regarding hazard mitigation and community protection against natural disasters.

I appreciate that the city has a location where we can go and get sandbags to help with street flooding and ground retention

Thank you, City of Grand Terrace. This is very important

We've got an electric transformer that blew up in our front yard, and two canals that meet right behind our house that failed two years ago and caused major flood damage to our house. Neither was disclosed when we purchased our house.

We all need to look out for each other.

we all need to take care of our neighbors

This survey seems to be directed to homeowners. As a renter we are left to the discretion of what the management company wants to spend. We are not a concern, except regarding rent increases, not upgrades. But thank you.

The city need to do a better job cleaning drainiges and also weed control. There are times I call Grand Terrace the weed city.

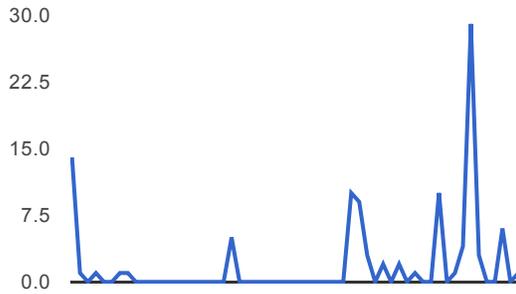
Help those that need help.

I would be willing by my vote, as well as by my money, to help the City of Grand Terrace, as well as my neighbors, to help reduce and better protect against the natural hazard areas in the City of Grand Terrace. My family and I have lived here since 1976.

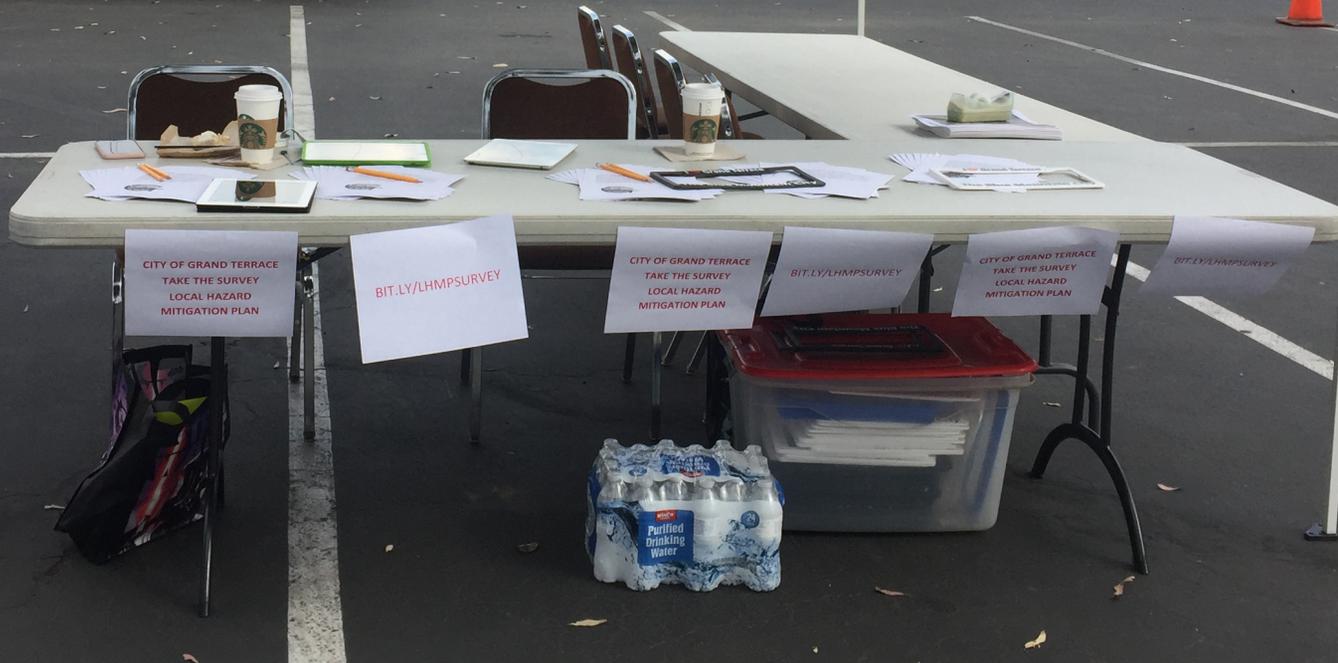
The best hazard mitigation is an organized dedicated volunteer citizens e.g. Citizens on Patrol, Emergency Operations Center, Community Emergency Response Team (CERT), etc. volunteers, and generally citizens who are informed about how to volunteert, care for themselves and others in an an emergency. An on-going organized program in needed.

Thank you again for completing the survey! As a thank you the City of Grand Terrace would like to gift you a I ♥ Grand Terrace License Plate Frame. You can pick one up at City Hall (22795 Barton Rd.)

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LHMP Survey Public Outreach at Hike to Blue Mt.



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