

# City of Minot



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# City Manager Updates

Public meetings for the National Disaster Resiliency Competition (HUD) will be held on 6<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> of October 2015. The City Manager will provide an overview of Minot's application. **PLEASE Attend.**

The federal government will award a total of \$1.0B in early January 2015. Minot is one of 40 cities competing for this funding.

A film crew from New York City was in our city documenting Minot's resiliency efforts. Film will be complete in November.

Very Respectfully,

Lee Staab



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# City Manager Update (2 Oct 2015)

- HUD National Disaster Resiliency Competition (NDRC)
- Public Meeting Update and Schedule
- Flood Protection
- Flood Maps
- Flood Protection Footprint Property
- Downtown Parking and Infrastructure
- 6<sup>th</sup> Street Underpass
- Minot International Airport
- Magic City of Service
- Minot Police Department Body Cameras

# NDRC

- Minot's application due (27 October 2015)
- Public Meetings (6 & 8 October 2015)
- Draft Application on City Website (~5 October 2015)
- Public Comment Period (14 Days)
- HUD will review applications for 90 days
- Final announcement (January 2016)
- Project Details include:
  - Affordable housing for vulnerable populations in new micro-communities
  - Community Facilities and Public Gathering Spaces
  - Greenway from Roosevelt Park to Oak Park
  - Improved water management and communication network
  - Construction will begin in 2016



# Public Meetings

- **NDRC Public Meeting (6 October 2015)**
  - City Auditorium (Room 201) (6:30 PM)
- **NDRC Public Meeting (8 October 2015)**
  - Perkett School (6:30 PM)
- Planning Commission Meeting
  - 26 October 2015 (City Hall at 6:00 PM)
- City Council Meeting
  - 5 October 2015 (City Hall at 6:30 PM)
  - 2 November 2015 (City Hall at 6:30 PM)

# Flood Protection

- Phase 1-3 Currently Under Design
  - Construction for Phases 1-3 (2017-2019)
  - Funding Status: Funds on hand for Phases 1-3
  - Property Acquisition Status: On-going (Approximately 75% complete)
- Phase 4 (Maple Street Diversion)
  - Multiple Sources of funding being pursued (Federal and State)
  - Design Phase concurrent with Phase 1-3 Construction Phase
- EIS (Environmental Impact Statement)
  - Currently being completed. Must be completed before construction on Phases 1-3 can proceed
  - Tentative Timeline (September 2016)
- Federal Legislative Meetings
  - Mayor and City Manager traveling to DC in early November
  - Meetings with ND Legislators, OMB, USACE, and Fish & Wildlife

# Flood Plain Mapping

- FEMA revising City of Minot's flood plain maps
  - Draft maps to City expected late 2015 or early 2016
  - Series of public meetings will follow in 2016
  - Final map approval likely in late 2017 or early in 2018
- City staff working to enroll Minot in Community Rating System – This can potentially reduce cost of flood insurance
- FEMA and ND State Water Commission have approved City of Minot Draft Flood Plain Ordinance
  - Will go before City Council in October 2015

# Flood Protection Footprint Property

- 74 purchased structures have been demolished in 2015
- These purchases are mainly for Phases 1-4 and property acquired shortly after flood for interim flood protection
- Property Acquisition for Phases 1-3 must be completed by December 2016
- City of Minot Properties (after acquisition)
  - Public Property (Cannot be used as access by adjacent owners)
  - Public Property (Cannot be used for temporary storage of cars, material, etc.)
  - Local law enforcement will enforce public property standards
- **Greenway will be part of the newly constructed floodway**
  - Gateway to Magic City Greenway will be on the northeast side of Broadway bridge

# Downtown Parking & Infrastructure

- Downtown Minot is Open (Infrastructure)
  - Work around Central Campus is complete
  - Central/Main intersection open to vehicle traffic (6 October 2015)
  - All work to be completed in Phase I (November 2015)
  - Contract requirements for Phase II (2016) under development
- Downtown Parking
  - 3<sup>rd</sup> Level on Renaissance Ramp shoring under erection (Renaissance Ramp)
  - Ground level concrete placed soon (Central Ramp)
  - Renaissance Ramp Scheduled Completion (Nov-Dec 2015)
  - Central Ramp Lower Level Concrete Work (14-18 September 2015)
  - Central Ramp Expected Completion (January 2016)
  - Parking equipment will be in place Feb 2016
  - Renaissance apartment development (Apr 2016)



# 6<sup>th</sup> Street Underpass

- 6<sup>th</sup> Street Pump Station Project
  - Work progressing quickly
  - Lower wall concrete work complete to first level. Next level being formed.
  - Project will open Western Ave for the winter (~30 November 2015)
  - Some work will remain in 2016 (Traffic disruption for approximately 4 weeks)
  - Pump station scheduled to be ready and operational 1 April 2016



# Minot International Airport

- Scheduled Completion (Late January 2016)
- Public Open House (10-11 February 2016) (2 nights)
  - Opportunity to tour the entire airport
- Soft Opening (First Flight) (February 2016)
- Grand Opening (6 May 2016)
- Approximately 92% Complete
- Will be largest airport in State of North Dakota
- More than 1500 parking spaces available
  - Rates will vary depending upon location
- Existing airport future use being considered



# Magic City of Service

- City-wide Plan to match volunteers with requirements
- Guides leaders in the development of a City-wide Service Plan
- Network opportunity with other Cities of Service
- Establishes guidelines and priorities for community service
- Critical component of City of Minot's Community Plan
- Engagement/collaboration with multiple partners
- Targeted areas: flood impacted areas, community areas, etc.
- Use of SMART metrics to track impact (specific, measurable, attainable, relevant, and timely)
- Service and \$ leverage for HUD Resiliency Competition

# Minot Police Department

- Body Camera Equipment
  - Procurement actions have begun
  - Equipment testing and training period (Early 2016)
  - Issue of body cameras to all police officers (1<sup>st</sup> quarter 2016)
  - Please direct any questions to Chief Olson



# Next Update: 19 October 2015



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