

CITY OF KEY WEST POST DISASTER RECOVERY & RECONSTRUCTION PLAN

- 1) To provide organization, goals and support following major disasters (rare)
- 2) To identify and advance mitigation projects that will make recovery easier (annually)



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AGENDA

- Grant Background & Goals
- Background: What is a PDRRP?
- Recovery Vision
- Goal Areas
- Summary & Next Steps
- Feedback and Discussion



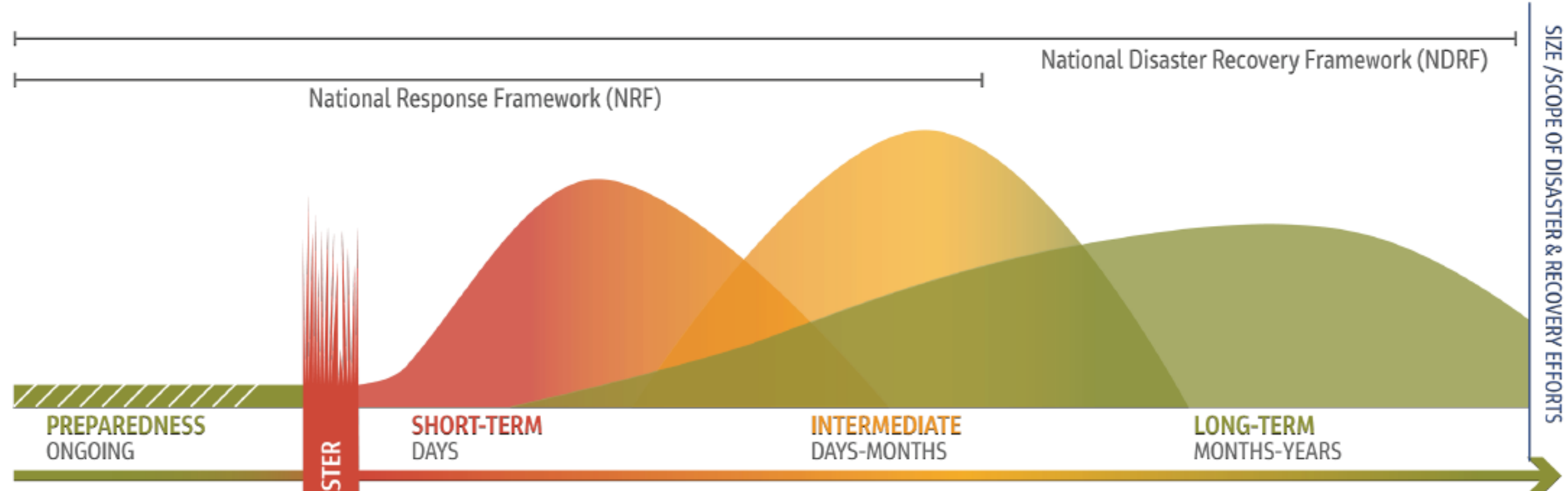
Grant Background & Goals

State of Florida Department of Economic Opportunity (DEO) Community Planning Grant provide resources to help Florida communities find creative solutions to fostering vibrant, healthy communities, while protecting the functions of important state resources and facilities.

This grant to the City of Key West includes:

- Preparation of a Post Disaster Recovery and Reconstruction Plan (PDRRP).
- Preparation of proposed City of Key West Comprehensive Plan amendments to address post disaster recovery and reconstruction and related topics.





Adapted from FEMA.gov.

Major Streets Cleared
 Re-entry Allowed
 Curfews Reduced

Building moratorium lifted
 Power/Water Restored
 Schools Open
 Most Roads/Signals Working
 Interim Housing

Rebuilding
 Rehoming
 Restoration
 Revitalization



What is a PDRRP?

- It is a *blueprint* for rebuilding that states redevelopment **vision**, goals and the policies, operational strategies, roles, responsibilities for the **actions** to be taken post disaster.
- The benefits of a PDRRP include:
 - Builds resilience
 - Establishes clear leadership roles – federal, state, local, private and non-profit
 - Avoids ad hoc planning after a shock
 - Promotes stakeholder engagement in vision and plan
 - Maximizes funding sources
 - Allows for a faster recovery
 - Improves staff capacity to prepare, respond and recover



Imagine redeveloping after a disaster...



What does Key West look like post-recovery?

Key West Recovery Vision Statement

CITY OF KEY WEST'S VISION & MISSION

"A tropical island with unique character in harmony with the diversity of its people and with its environment" with a mission to "preserve and protect our island."



RECOVERY & RECONSTRUCTION VISION

"Key West is a resilient, self-sustaining island community with modern infrastructure, a sustainable natural environment, and a prosperous economy for all."



Recovery Goal Areas & Goal Area Vision

COMMUNICATIONS

Commit to two-way communication between City Hall and residents and communication among City agencies

ECONOMY

Build resilience for local businesses and foster sustainable growth for local ecotourism

ENVIRONMENT

Protect and preserve the natural environment as a layer of protection to reduce risk, for economic growth and recreational enjoyment

FUNDING

Ensure responsible fiscal policy and strong financial stewardship

HOUSING

Increase housing variety, resilience, and affordability for all residents

INFRASTRUCTURE

Invest in updated infrastructure to reduce climate-related risk and increase self-sufficiency of critical systems

LAND USE & BUILDINGS

Modernize and streamline land use, zoning policy, and other regulations to reduce risk and promote sustainable development

PROCUREMENT

Maximize quick and efficient contracting options to support city needs

TRANSPORTATION

Increase safe multimodal mobility and connectivity

Next Steps

- Comprehensive Plan amendments process
- Operationalize the PDRRP via the Adaptation Planning Team
 - Prioritize and schedule all actions
 - Review Annual Workplan
- Review Annual Workplan and Report
- Update fully every five years

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