Natural Hazard Action Item Proposal Form

Proposed Action Item:	Alignment with Plan Goals:
Enhance communication and response coordination between all	Strengthen Organizational and
of the incorporated areas in each county.	Community Capacity

Rationale for Proposed Action Item:

- o In each county, there are distinct, geographically dispersed populations that do not share a lot of communication or interconnection. If areas need to be warned of an event or need emergency assistance, quick response will be difficult.
- o Resources need to be shared; coordination can eliminate gaps and/or duplication of services

Ideas for Implementation:

- Establish resource sharing, interoperable communications, and emergency coordination meetings (to be modeled after those conducted in Baker County)
- Determine appropriate divisions of responsibility and establish a framework for joint planning and strategic decision-making on issues of common concern.

Coordinating Orga	nizati	on:	Emergency Services / Emergency Management	
Internal Partners:			External Partners:	
County Planning Departments			Local fire departments and fire districts, Bureau of Land	
				Management, Oregon Department of Forestry, Oregon
			Department of Transportation, OSU Extension	
Timeline:				If available, estimated cost:
Short Term (0-2 years)	<u>Long Term</u> (2-4 or more years)		4 or more years)	
Short Term				
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