

Project Title	Hazard / Risk Assessment for Portmore and Greater Portmore
Implementing Agency	Office of Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Management (ODPEM)
Primary IR Classification	IR – Hazard Information and Physical Planning
Additional IRs	IR – 4 Preparedness and Response and Mitigation
Brief Description of Project	To establish the level of risk to critical facilities from natural hazards based on hazard mapping and risk assessment methodologies.
Currents Status	Ongoing
Funding Status	Funded
Estimated cost (in US Dollars)	US\$6,575.00
Actual Cost (if known) in US Dollars	
Start Date	01/07/2006
Original end date	01/09/2007
Actual end date	
Duration (in months)	14 Months
General Remarks	This project will not cover storm surge mapping of the targeted areas

OBJECTIVES

The objective of this project is to:

1. Conduct a technical review and analysis of the risk due to major natural hazards in Portmore and Greater Portmore to include; floods, landslides, storm surge and earthquake.
2. Create hazard risk and vulnerability maps for the community.
3. Determine the status of current evacuation routes and recommend changes required to update the Portmore Evacuation Plan.

ACTIVITIES

In order to achieve the objectives under this project; the Consultant shall carry out the following activities:

1. Assess the level of major hazards in Portmore through literature review and field study.
2. Conduct hazard and vulnerability mapping and identify critical elements at risk.
3. Determine the vulnerability of communities in Portmore to identify hazards and provide

<p>alternative for evacuation routes.</p> <p>4. Make recommendations for emergency sheltering of vulnerable population and improvements to evacuation plan.</p>										
<p>OUTPUTS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Multi-task hazard and vulnerability maps for Portmore • Revised evacuation routes • Technical report including recommendations 										
<p>OUTCOMES</p> <p>Improving the capacity and methodology for incorporating risk analysis in development strategies of emergencies agencies.</p> <p>Target Beneficiaries</p> <table border="1"> <tr> <td>Type of Beneficiary</td> <td>Remarks</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Municipality of Portmore</td> <td></td> </tr> </table>			Type of Beneficiary	Remarks	Municipality of Portmore					
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