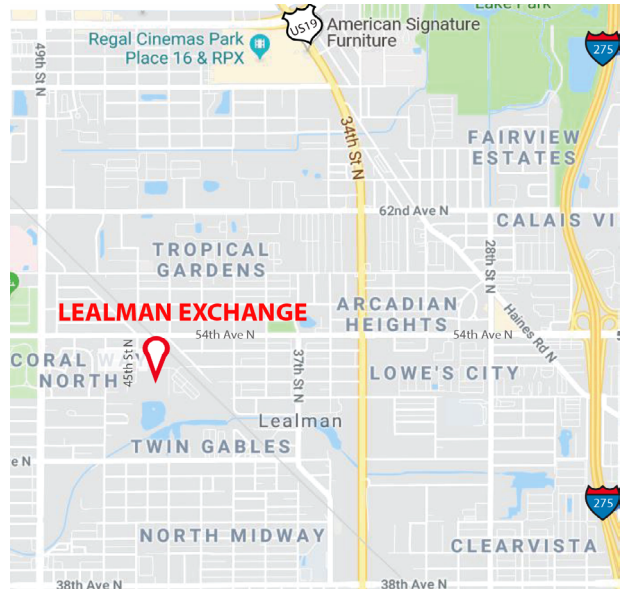


# Local Mitigation Strategy WORKSHOP

**Join us at a public workshop to discuss the 5-Year Update for the Local Mitigation Strategy (LMS).**

**When? Monday, April 15, 2024  
6:00 – 8:00 p.m.**

**Where? Lealman Exchange**  
5175 45th Street N.  
St. Petersburg, FL 33714



The Pinellas County Local Mitigation Strategy (LMS) is a detailed plan that assesses various types of hazards. It evaluates the risks our communities face from both natural and manmade disasters. The LMS helps numerous jurisdictions manage projects that aim to reduce or even prevent the loss of life and property. Implementing this plan also allows local governments, businesses, non-profits and residents to qualify for federal funding.

Additionally, the LMS acts as the county's floodplain management plan. It earns credit under the Community Rating System (CRS) program, which gives residents and property owners discounts on flood insurance premiums.

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) requires us to update the entire plan every five years. We need your help to keep this plan relevant by addressing the evolving risks that may bring harm to our communities.

**This public workshop will provide information on hazards we face and seek citizen input on updating our plan to address them.**



**Want to know more about the project?**  
**[www.pinellaslms.org](http://www.pinellaslms.org) or (727) 464-8200**

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