EXECUTIVE BRANCH AGENCIES

FLOOD MITIGATION BOARD §418.5

Department of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, 7900 Hickman Road, Suite 500, Windsor Heights 50324-1824; 515.725.3231

Name	City	Term Ending/Type
Paul Assman	Denison	April 30, 2026
John Erixon	Council Bluffs	April 30, 2024
Jodi Freet	Tipton	April 30, 2024
		April 30, 2026
John Benson, Director, Department of Homeland Security and		
		Statutory
Debi Durham, Director, Iowa Fina	ance Authority	Statutory
Kayla Lyon, Director, Department	t of Natural Resources	Statutory
Mike Naig, Secretary of Agricultu		
Roby Smith, Treasurer of State		
Ex officio, nonvoting member		
Mary Mosiman, Director of Reven	nue	Statutory
Ex officio, nonvoting members from the General Assembly		
	Senate	
Eric Giddens	Cedar Falls	January 12, 2025
Tom Shipley	Nodaway	January 12, 2025
House		
Norlin Mommsen	DeWitt	January 12, 2025
Sami Scheetz		

The Iowa Flood Mitigation Board establishes and the department, subject to direction and approval by the board, administers a Flood Mitigation Program to assist governmental entities in undertaking projects approved under Iowa Code chapter 418. The Flood Mitigation Program includes projects approved by the board to utilize either financial assistance from the Flood Mitigation Fund created under Iowa Code section 418.10 or sales tax revenues remitted to the governmental entity under Iowa Code section 418.12.

The board prescribes application instructions, forms, and other requirements deemed necessary to operate the Flood Mitigation Program.

The board also administers the Flood Recovery Fund. This fund was created to address the necessary expenses or serious needs of eligible political subdivisions of the state that have been impacted by the spring 2019 floods. Eligible projects are those that support flood response, flood recovery, and flood mitigation undertaken by the political subdivision.

The board prescribes application instructions, forms, and other requirements deemed necessary to operate the Flood Recovery Fund.

The board submits a written report to the Governor and the General Assembly on or before January 15 of each year that provides detail on the status of all approved projects. Additionally, the board provides any recommendations for legislative action to modify the provisions of Iowa Code chapter 418.