



**To: Bay Area UASI Approval Authority**  
**From: Janell Myhre, Regional Program Manager**  
**Date: November 12, 2020**  
**Re: Item 04: 2020 THIRA/SPR Update**

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**Staff Recommendations:**

Approve the 2020 THIRA/SPR for submission to FEMA.

**Action or Discussion Items:**

Action

**Discussion:**

In 2018, FEMA modified the Threat and Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment (THIRA) and added a new requirement, the Stakeholder Preparedness Review (SPR). The purpose of the SPR is to identify a community's capacity to address the threats and hazards identified in the THIRA. The THIRA and SPR are important for strategic planning and investment justifications, but do not affect the amount of funding the Bay Area UASI region receives from the Department of Homeland Security.

Today, the completed 2020 THIRA/SPR document is being presented to the Approval Authority for approval for submission to FEMA. Jason Carroll, Haystax, Cal COP Project Manager, will provide a background briefing on the updated THIRA/SPR.

The 2020 THIRA/SPR document is For Official Use Only (FOUO). It has been prepared following FEMA's formatting specifications and has been made available to Approval Authority members.

We would like to thank the regional stakeholders who provided subject matter expertise to the THIRA/SPR.