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AGENDA ITEM #8: State Flood Mitigation Plan Update

Background: The CWCB has updated the State Flood Mitigation Plan (Plan), which was last updated in 2013. The Plan reassess the State's flood risks and mitigation strategies. Multiple state, local and federal agencies were included in the plan preparation process through the Flood Technical Assistance Partnership (Flood TAP). The Plan will be incorporated into Colorado's Enhanced State Hazard Mitigation Plan, as an appendix, and will ultimately be adopted by the Governor by its affiliation with the Enhanced State Hazard Mitigation Plan. CWCB staff presented on the Plan findings at the July 2018 Board meeting. Since then, the Plan has been finalized after undergoing a 30-day public comment period. The final Plan can be found on the CWCB website homepage: <http://cwcb.state.co.us/Pages/CWCBHome.aspx>

Staff recommendation:

Staff recommends the Board adopt the 2018 updates to the State Flood Mitigation Plan.

