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Staff and the LMS Working Group relied on a variety of resources to obtain information and guidance in completing the update of the 2025 Hardee County Multi-jurisdictional LMS Plan. The following list represents sources of information consulted.

Existing Plans, Documents, and Reports

- Hardee County Comprehensive Plan
- Hardee County Unified Land Development Code
- City of Bowling Green Comprehensive Plan
- City of Bowling Green Land Development Regulations
- City of Wauchula Comprehensive Plan
- City of Wauchula Land Development Regulations
- Town of Zolfo Springs Comprehensive Plan
- Town of Zolfo Springs Land Development Regulations

Agencies, Documents, and Websites

- 10 Tampa Bay, Local News <https://www.wtsp.com/>
- ABC Action News, WFTS Tampa Bay
- AEM.com 2022 United States Lightning Report <https://aem.eco/2022-united-states-lightning-report/>
- Bureau of Economic and Business Research
- Climate and Economic Justice Screening Tool
- ESRI
- Federal Emergency Management Agency
- FL Dept of Ag and Consumer Services (DOACS) www.Freshfromflorida.com
- Florida Department of Environmental Protection

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- Florida Department of Health
- Florida Department of Health Hardee County
- Florida Department of Transportation
- Florida Division of Emergency Management
- Florida Forest Service
- Florida Geologic Survey
- Florida Geological Survey information
- Florida Heartland Economic Region of Opportunity (FHRO)
- Florida Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles
- Florida Public Radio Emergency Network (FPREN)
- FOX 13 News, Staff Article(s)
- Hardee County Emergency Management
- Hardee County Fire Rescue
- Hardee County School District
- Hardee County Sheriff's Office
- Heartland Coalition for the Homeless; 2022 Point in Time Count
- Heartland Regional Transportation Planning Organization (HRTPO)
- The Weather Channel <https://weather.com/storms/tornado/news/2024-05-03-enhanced-fujita-scale-tornado-explained>
- Firststreet.org
- Johns Hopkins University
- National Oceanic and Atmospheric Association (NOAA)
- United States Department of Agriculture

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- U.S. Census Bureau
- U.S. National Weather Service
- Weather.com
- Weather.gov