

Five Main Areas of Flood Impacts in Hardwick, Vermont ~Lamoille River and Cooper Brook~ 2024 to 2025

1. Downtown Hardwick (Lamoille River)
Flood Resiliency Projects in Process:
 - Mill Street restoration project (RIVER & HMGP)
 - EWP 2024 – 3 projects
 - Scoping study for the Downtown section (RIVER)
 - 3 buyouts.
2. Route 14 – (Cooper Brook)
Flood Resiliency Projects in Process:
 - 2-3 elevations
 - 2 buyouts
 - Restoration project after two buyouts finalized (NRCD)
 - 1 EWP 2024
 - 1-2 proposed EDA projects
3. Wolcott Street Commercial (Lamoille River)
Flood Resiliency Projects in Process:
 - Lower Lamoille (RIVER & HMGP)
 - Jackson Dam Feasibility Study
 - 7 buyouts (Sawmill Park - Future concept)
 - 1-2 proposed EDA projects
 - Floodproofing Concept (additional EDA)
4. East Hardwick (Lamoille River)
Flood Resiliency Projects in Process:
 - Better Connections Stormwater Overview
 - 2 proposed EDA projects
 - 2 buyouts
 - EWP 2023 – 1 historic property
5. Granite Street Historic District (Cooper Brook and Lamoille River)
Flood Resiliency Projects in Process:
 - 1 elevation
 - Future project at Fire Station site.

Granite Street Historic District Municipal Planning Grant 2025 – Proposed January 2025

- Largest residential area impacted by flooding
- Encompasses residential, commercial and Atkins Field (community space).
- EDA grant will be completing the flood modeling for the Cooper and the Lamoille. Opportunity to maximize our information and our funds
- Reviewing the Flood Resiliency of a historic residential and commercial area.
- Protecting the grand list and improving the feasibility of residential housing stock.
- Flood proofing will need to be coordinated with an architect and additional funds. Individual houses would not be protected by this planning grant.
- Deliverables? - 2-4 projects ready to go (BCA, Preliminary Engineering) and recommendations for additional approaches to make the area flood resilient