

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
FRESNO, CALIFORNIA, ADOPTING THE MAY 2018
FRESNO COUNTY MULTI-HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN,
AND CITY OF FRESNO LOCAL HAZARD MITIGATION
PLAN ANNEX

WHEREAS, the City of Fresno (City) recognizes the consequences of disasters and the need to reduce impacts of natural and human caused hazards; and

WHEREAS, the efforts necessary to respond to and recover from disasters requires the support of public resources; and

WHEREAS, preparation and adoption of a hazard mitigation plan is instrumental in identifying the natural hazards, risks, and vulnerabilities in a jurisdiction as well as identifying and implementing actions to mitigate those hazards, risks and vulnerabilities; and

WHEREAS, a local government is eligible for receipt of certain disaster assistance and hazard mitigation funding under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, and California Government Code Sections 8685.9 and 65302.6, if the local government adopts a local hazard mitigation plan in accordance with the aforementioned legislation; and

WHEREAS, on August 27, 2009 through Resolution No 2009-190, the Council of the City of Fresno adopted the Fresno County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan and City of Fresno Local Hazard Mitigation Plan Annex (2009 Hazard Mitigation Plan), which met the requirements of Section 409 of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster

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Date Approved:
Effective Date:

City Attorney Approval:



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Relief and Emergency Assistance Act of 1988, Section 322 of the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, and Sections 8685.9 and 65302.6 of the California Government Code; and

WHEREAS, the adopted 2009 Hazard Mitigation Plan was incorporated into the Noise and Safety Element of the Fresno General Plan (adopted in 2014) through Section 9.3 and Policy NS-6-a; and

WHEREAS, in 2018 the County of Fresno, in coordination with the City of Fresno and with the City's full participation, prepared a new Fresno County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan, including a City of Fresno Local Hazard Mitigation Plan Annex (2018 Hazard Mitigation Plan); and

WHEREAS, the 2018 Hazard Mitigation Plan was prepared consistent with the requirements of Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act as amended in 2016, the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, and California Government Code Sections 8685.9 and 65302.6; and

WHEREAS, the California Office of Emergency Services and Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region IX officials have reviewed the Fresno County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan and approved it contingent upon this official adoption by the City of Fresno as evidenced by the February 18, 2019 letter attached hereto as Exhibit A.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Fresno as follows:

1. The City affirms that it adopted the 2009 Fresno County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan and City of Fresno Local Hazard Mitigation Plan Annex through Resolution 2009-190 and incorporated it by reference into the Noise and Safety Element of Fresno General Plan (adopted in 2014) through Section 9.3 and Policy NS-

6-a in accordance with the requirements of California Government Code Sections 8685.9 and 65302.6 (Assembly Bill 2140);

2. The City hereby adopts the Fresno County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan and City of Fresno Local Hazard Mitigation Plan Annex dated May 2018 and attached hereto as Exhibit B as an update to the 2009 Hazard Mitigation Plan, consistent with Fresno General Plan Policy NS-6-a.

3. The City will submit this adopted resolution to the California Office of Emergency Services and FEMA Region IX officials to enable the 2018 Hazard Mitigation Plan's final approval in accordance with the requirements of the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 and to establish conformance with the requirements of California Government Code Sections 8685.9 and 65302.6 (Assembly Bill 2140); and

3 This resolution shall become effective and in full force upon final passage.

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF FRESNO) ss.
CITY OF FRESNO)

I, YVONNE SPENCE, City Clerk of the City of Fresno, certify that the foregoing resolution was adopted by the Council of the City of Fresno, at a regular meeting held on the _____ day of _____ 2020.

AYES :
NOES :
ABSENT :
ABSTAIN :

YVONNE SPENCE, MMC CRM
City Clerk

By: _____
Deputy Date

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
DOUGLAS T. SLOAN
City Attorney

By: _____
Talía Kolluri-Barbick Date
Supervising Deputy City Attorney

Attachment: Exhibit A: FEMA Approval Letter dated February 8, 2019
Exhibit B: Fresno County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan May 2018