

RESOLUTION NO. 21-12

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ADAMS, UMATILLA COUNTY, OREGON, IN THE MATTER OF ADOPTING THE CITY OF ADAMS REPRESENTATION IN THE UPDATES TO THE UMATILLA COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL NATURAL HAZARDS MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, The City of Adams recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people, property, and infrastructure within our City; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions will reduce the potential for harm to people, property, and infrastructure from future hazard occurrences; and

WHEREAS, an adopted Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan is required as a condition of future funding for mitigation projects under multiple FEMA pre- and post-disaster mitigation grant programs; and

WHEREAS, the City of Adams has fully participated in the FEMA prescribed mitigation planning process to prepare the Umatilla County Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan, which has established a comprehensive, coordinated planning process to eliminate or minimize these vulnerabilities; and

WHEREAS, Umatilla County has identified natural hazard risks and prioritized several proposed actions and programs needed to mitigate the vulnerabilities of Umatilla County to the impacts of future disasters within the Umatilla County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan; and

WHEREAS, these proposed projects and programs have been incorporated into the Umatilla County Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan that has been prepared and promulgated for consideration and implementation by the cities and towns of Umatilla County; and

WHEREAS, the Oregon Military Department's Office of Emergency Management and Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region 10 officials have reviewed the Umatilla County, Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan and pre-approved it (in a letter dated June 7, 2021 and added as appendix A to this resolution) contingent upon this official adoption of the participating governments and entities; and

WHEREAS, the NIIMP is comprised of three volumes: Volume I-Basic Mitigation Plan, Volume II-Hazard Annexes, Volume III-Mitigation Resources, collectively referred to herein as the NHMP; and

WHEREAS, the NHMP is in an ongoing cycle of development and revision to improve its effectiveness; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ADAMS, OREGON:

That the City of Adams adopts the Umatilla County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and directs staff to develop, approve, and implement the mitigation strategies and any administrative changes to the NHMP.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Adams will send the Adoption resolution to the Oregon Military Department's Office of Emergency Management and Federal Emergency

Management Agency, Region 10 officials to enable final approval of the Umatilla County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation.

APPROVED and ADOPTED by the City of Adams City Council the 14th day of June 2021.

City of Adams

BY:  _____
Mayor Pro Tem

ATTESTED TO BY:  _____
City Recorder

Appendix A



FEMA

June 7, 2021

Ms. Amie Bashant
State Hazard Mitigation Officer
Oregon Military Department
Office of Emergency Management
P.O. Box 14370
Salem, Oregon 97309

Dear Ms. Bashant:

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Region 10 completed a pre-adoption review of the draft *Umatilla County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan*. The attached Mitigation Plan Review Tool documents the Region's review and compliance with all required elements of 44 CFR Part 201.6, as well as identifies the jurisdiction participating in the planning process. This letter serves as Region 10's commitment to approve the plan upon receiving documentation of its adoption by the participating jurisdiction.

Formal adoption documentation must be submitted to FEMA Region 10 by at least one jurisdiction within one calendar year of the date of this letter, or the entire plan must be updated and resubmitted for review. Once FEMA approves the plan, the jurisdiction is eligible to apply for FEMA Hazard Mitigation Assistance grants.

Please contact Kyle McCormick, *acting* Regional Mitigation Planning Program Manager, at (202) 856-2030 or kyle.mccormick@fema.dhs.gov with any questions.

Sincerely,

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