

RESOLUTION NO. 57-10

ADOPTION OF
THE MASON COUNTY ALL NATURAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, Mason County recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property within our community; and

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

WHEREAS, the U.S. Congress passed the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 ("Disaster Mitigation Act") emphasizing the need for pre-disaster mitigation of potential hazards;

WHEREAS, the Disaster Mitigation Act made available hazard mitigation grants to state and local governments;

WHEREAS, an adopted Local Hazard 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, Mason County fully participated in the FEMA prescribed mitigation planning process to prepare this local hazard mitigation plan; and

WHEREAS, the Washington State Emergency Management Division and Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region X officials have reviewed the Mason County Local Hazard Mitigation plan and approved it contingent upon this official adoption of the participating governing body;

WHEREAS, Mason County desires to comply with the requirements of the Disaster Mitigation Act and to augment its emergency planning efforts by formally adopting the Mason County Local Hazard Mitigation Plan;

WHEREAS, adoption by the Commissioners of Mason County demonstrates the jurisdiction's commitment to fulfill the mitigation goals and objectives outlined in this Local Hazard Mitigation Plan.

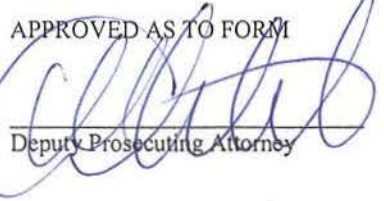
WHEREAS, adoption of this Plan authorizes responsible agencies to carry out their responsibilities under the plan.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that Emergency Management will submit this adoption resolution to the Washington State Emergency Management Division and FEMA Region X officials to enable the plan's final approval in accordance with the requirements of the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000.

DATED this 27th day of Nov, 2010

ATTEST:


Shannon Goudy, Clerk of the Board

APPROVED AS TO FORM

Deputy Prosecuting Attorney

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