Resolution 73-2021

Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan, update of 2021

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Washington County recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to citizens and their property within our County; and

WHERAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions will reduce the potential for harm to residents of the County and their property from future hazard occurrences; and

WHEREAS, an adopted Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan is required as a condition of future funding for mitigation projects under multiple FEMA pre-and post-disaster mitigation grant programs with the understanding that any costs associated with mitigation projects which involve County participation / expenditures must be approved by the Board of County Commissioners in advance of any expenditures; and

WHEREAS, Washington County is within a 10 county Planning Area, and fully participated in the mitigation planning process to prepare this Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan and its 2021 update; and

WHEREAS, the Colorado Division of Emergency Management and Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region VIII officials have reviewed the 2021 update to the Northeast Colorado Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan and approved it contingent upon this official adoption of the participating governing body; and

WHEREAS, the Board has discussed this matter on this date and after having reviewed same has determined to take the following action.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, as follows:

- 1. That by adoption of this Resolution the Board hereby re-adopts the Northeast Colorado Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan, as an official plan.
- 2. That the Northeast Colorado Emergency Managers (NCEM) group is hereby authorized to submit this Adoption Resolution to the Colorado Division of Emergency Management and Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region VIII officials to enable the Plan's final approval.

The foregoing Resolution was presented at a regular meeting of the Washington County Commissioners held on the 4th day of May 2021, by Commissioner Wells who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner Vance and on roll call vote, all votes being yes, the resolution was adopted.

ATTEST:

Washington County Clerk to the Board

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS WASHINGTON COUNTY, COLORADO

Lea Ann Laybourn, Chairman, District 3

Kent Vance, Commissioner District 2

Tony Wells, Commissioner District