



RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SUNNYVALE ADOPTING VOLUME I AND SUNNYVALE'S ANNEX WITHIN VOLUME II OF THE 2017 SANTA CLARA COUNTY OPERATIONAL AREA HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, in July of 2016, a coalition of Santa Clara County public agencies embarked on a planning process to prepare for and lessen the impacts of specified natural hazards by updating the Santa Clara County Operational Area Hazard Mitigation Plan (HMP or Plan), which is the blueprint for reducing the Operational Area's vulnerability to disasters and hazards; and

WHEREAS, the partnership was formed to respond to federal mandates in the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-390), to pool resources, and to create a uniform hazard mitigation strategy that can be consistently applied to the defined county-wide planning area and used to ensure eligibility for specified grant funding success; and

WHEREAS, an HMP outlines strategies for long-term reduction of hazard vulnerability, and effective HMP can potentially reduce the enormous cost of disasters to property owners and all levels of government, protect critical community facilities, reduce exposure to liability, and minimize post-disaster community disruption; and

WHEREAS, the result of the county-wide organizational effort is a two volume HMP, which will be a FEMA and California Office of Emergency Services (CalOES) approved multi-jurisdictional, multi-hazard mitigation plan; and

WHEREAS, each jurisdiction has been responsible for the review and approval of their individual sections of the Plan and the Plan presents the accumulated information in a unified framework to ensure a comprehensive and coordinated hazard mitigation plan that covers the entire Santa Clara County Operational Area planning area that is aligned with the goals, objectives and priorities of the State's multi-hazard mitigation plan; and

WHEREAS, adoption of the Plan, which has been approved by FEMA, will allow the jurisdictional partners to collectively and individually become eligible to apply for hazard mitigation project funding.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SUNNYVALE THAT:

1. The Council of the City of Sunnyvale hereby approves and adopts Volume I and Sunnyvale's Annex within Volume II of the 2017 Santa Clara County Operational Area Hazard Mitigation Plan, incorporated herein by reference.

Adopted by the City Council at a regular meeting held on _____, by the following vote:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSTAIN:
ABSENT:
RECUSAL:

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

City Clerk
(SEAL)

Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney