

RESOLUTION 18-15

**ADOPTION OF THE MONROE COUNTY
MULTI-HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN BY THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON**

- WHEREAS, the City of Bloomington has participated in the hazard mitigation planning process as established under the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000; and
- WHEREAS, the Act establishes a framework for the development of a multi-jurisdictional County Hazard Mitigation Plan; and
- WHEREAS, the Act as part of the planning process requires public involvement and local coordination among neighboring local units of government and businesses; and
- WHEREAS, the Monroe County Plan includes a risk assessment including past hazards, hazards that threaten the County, an estimate of structures at risk, a general description of land uses and development trends; and
- WHEREAS, the Monroe County Plan includes a mitigation strategy including goals and objectives and an action plan identifying specific mitigation projects and costs; and
- WHEREAS, the Monroe County Plan includes a maintenance or implementation process including plan updates, integration of the plan into other planning documents and how Monroe County will maintain public participation and coordination; and
- WHEREAS, the Plan has been shared with the Indiana Department of Homeland Security and the Federal Emergency Management Agency for review and comment; and
- WHEREAS, the Monroe County All-Hazard Mitigation Plan will make the county and participating jurisdictions eligible to receive FEMA hazard mitigation assistance grants; and
- WHEREAS, Monroe County All-Hazard Mitigation Plan updates the existing Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan adopted by the City in September 2010; and
- WHEREAS, this is a multi-jurisdictional plan and cities and towns that participated in the planning process may choose to also adopt the County Plan;


NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BLOOMINGTON, MONROE COUNTY, INDIANA, THAT:

SECTION 1. The City of Bloomington supports the hazard mitigation planning efforts and wishes to adopt the Monroe County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan.


PASSED by the Common Council of the City of Bloomington, Monroe County, Indiana, upon this 5th day of September, 2018.


DOROTHY GRANGER, President
Bloomington Common Council

SIGNED and APPROVED by me upon this 5th day of September, 2018.


JOHN HAMILTON, Mayor
City of Bloomington

ATTEST:


NICOLE BOLDEN, Clerk
City of Bloomington

SYNOPSIS

This resolution adopts the Monroe County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan, which is required by the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 before localities may receive federal funds for mitigation projects. Mitigation Plans are intended to identify vulnerabilities and prioritize measures to reduce or eliminate long-term risk to human life and property from acknowledged hazards to the community.

Note: This resolution was revised after release in the weekly Council Legislative Packet on August 31, 2018 and before it was introduced at the Regular Session on September 5, 2018. The revision corrected a typographical error in the Now Therefore be it Resolved clause.