RESOLUTION NO: 8-10

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL TO ADOPT THE HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN OF PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY AS THE CITY'S OFFICIAL PLAN.

Sponsored by the President at the request of the Administration.

WHEREAS, the________ has experienced past flooding and other natural hazard events that pose risks to public health and safety and which may cause serious property damage;

WHEREAS, the planning process fostered by the Maryland Emergency Management Agency (MEMA) and set forth by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) offers the opportunity to consider natural hazards and risks, and to identify mitigation actions to reduce future impacts of such hazards;

WHEREAS, the State of Maryland provided federal mitigation funds to Prince George's County to support development of a multi-jurisdictional mitigation plan;

WHEREAS, a Hazard Mitigation Plan has been developed by the Mitigation Action Committee and staff from the City, County departments, and other entities;

WHEREAS, the Hazard Mitigation Plan recommends several mitigation actions that will help minimize and reduce safety threats and damage to private and public property; and

WHEREAS, a public meeting was held on________ by the Prince George's County Department of Environmental Resources (DER) to solicit questions and comments and to present the plan and the proposed mitigation actions.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and City Council of_____________ that:

1. The Hazard Mitigation Plan is hereby adopted as an official plan of the_____________.
2. The City offices identified in the Plan are hereby directed to pursue implementation of the recommended priority actions that are assigned to their agencies.
3. Any action proposed in the Plan shall be subject to and contingent upon budget approval, if funding is required and this resolution shall not be interpreted so as to mandate any such appropriations.
4. The Deputy City Administrator acting as the Director of Emergency Services and Emergency Management Coordinator is designated to coordinate with other City offices/departments and Prince George's County and shall periodically report on the activities, accomplishments, and progress, and shall prepare a progress report as required by the Maryland Emergency Management Agency.
AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall take effect on its passage.

PASSED this__day of______, 20__. 

ATTEST:

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Clerk to the City Council                 President of the City Council

APPROVED this__day of____20__