

RESOLUTION NO. 21

(Series 2021)

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE TOWN OF BERTHOUD, ADOPTING THE LARIMER COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, Larimer County has experienced past and may experience future flooding, wildfires and other natural and human-caused hazard events that pose risks to public health and safety and which may cause serious property damage; and

WHEREAS, the State of Colorado and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) provided mitigation funds to the County to support development of a multi-jurisdictional mitigation plan; and

WHEREAS, the planning process fostered by all participating Larimer County jurisdictions and agencies offers the opportunity to consider natural and human-caused hazards and risks, and to identify mitigation actions to reduce future impacts of such hazards; and

WHEREAS, a Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan has been developed by the Mitigation Planning Committee, including personnel from twenty-five different jurisdictions within Larimer County, and partner organizations; and

WHEREAS, the Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan ("Plan") recommends several mitigation actions that aimed at helping to minimize and reduce safety threats and damage to private and public property; and

WHEREAS, two public meetings were held on May 28, 2020, and October 13, 2020, to present draft planning documents and to solicit input during the development of the Plan; and

WHEREAS, the draft of the Plan was made available for public comment from February 1, 2021, to February 22, 2021, to solicit questions and comments and to present the Plan and the proposed mitigation actions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Board of the Town of Berthoud, Colorado, that:

1. The Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan is hereby adopted as an official plan of the Town of Berthoud.
2. The offices identified in the Plan are hereby directed to pursue implementation of the recommended priority actions that are assigned to their respective departments / divisions.
3. Any action proposed in the Plan shall be subject to and contingent upon budget approval and appropriation by the Board of Trustees, if funding is required and this resolution shall not be interpreted so as to mandate any such appropriations.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Office of Emergency Management will be administering and monitoring the Larimer Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan, in collaboration with all community partners, and will provide revisions and updates to the Board of Trustees as needed to remain current.

DATED THIS 27th DAY OF July, 2021.

By: Maureen Dower
Maureen Dower, Mayor Pro-Tem

ATTEST:

Christian R. Samora
Christian R. Samora, Town Clerk

