

BOROUGH OF LONGPORT
RESOLUTION 2016-14

ADOPTION OF ATLANTIC COUNTY ALL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, the Borough of Longport, County of Atlantic, New Jersey, has experienced natural hazards that result in public safety hazards and damage to private and public property and;

WHEREAS, the hazard mitigation planning process set forth by the State of New Jersey and the Federal Emergency Management Agency offers the opportunity to consider natural hazards and risks, and to identify mitigation actions to reduce future risk and;

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management is providing federal mitigation funds to support development of the Atlantic County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan and;

WHEREAS, a Hazard Mitigation Plan has been developed by the Mitigation Planning Committee and;

WHEREAS, the Hazard Mitigation Plan includes a prioritized list of mitigation actions including activities that, over time, will help minimize and reduce safety threats and damage to private and public property, and;

WHEREAS the draft plan was provided to each participating jurisdiction and was posted on the County Office of Emergency Preparedness website so as to introduce the planning concept and to solicit questions and comments; and to present the Plan and request comments, as required by law, and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Commissioners of the Borough of Longport:

1. The Atlantic County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan update, as approved by the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management and the Federal Emergency Management Agency on February 5, 2016, is hereby adopted as an official plan of the Borough of Longport, County of Atlantic.
2. The Municipal departments identified in the Plan are hereby directed to pursue implementation of the recommended high priority activities that are assigned to their departments.
3. Any action proposed by the Plan shall be subject to and contingent upon budget approval, if required, which shall be at the discretion of the Mayor and Commissioners and this resolution shall not be interpreted so as to mandate any such appropriations.
4. The Emergency Management Coordinator is designated to coordinate with other offices and shall periodically report on the activities, accomplishments, and progress and shall prepare an annual progress report to be submitted to the Atlantic County Office of Emergency Preparedness according to the predetermined timeline and procedures outlined in the Plan's Section 7: Plan Maintenance and Integration.

RECORD OF GOVERNING BODY VOTE ON FINAL PASSAGE						
COMMISSION	AYE	NAY	N.V	A.B.	MOT.	SEC.
RUSSO	XX					XX
LEEDS	XX					
LAWLER	XX				XX	
X-Indicates Vote NV-Not Voting AB-Absent MOT-Motion SEC-Second						

This is a Certified True copy of the Original Resolution on file in the Municipal Clerk's Office.

DATE OF ADOPTION: 2-17-16

/s/ EMILIA R. STRAWDER, RMC