

Resolution #2024-004
2023 Benzie County Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan Adoption

WHEREAS, all jurisdictions within Benzie County have exposure to natural, technological and human-induced hazards that may damage or destroy life, property, the environment, or local economy; and

WHEREAS, pro-active mitigation of known hazards before a disaster event can reduce or eliminate damages and impacts to life, property, the environment or local economy; and

WHEREAS, The Disaster Mitigation Act (DMA) of 2000 (Public Law 106-390) established new requirements for pre- and post- disaster hazard mitigation programs; and

WHEREAS, the 2023 Benzie County Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan 5 Year Update has been developed in accordance to the DMA of 2000 to reflect the concerns of the citizens and stakeholders of Benzie County; and

WHEREAS, affirmed participation in the maintenance of the 2023 Benzie County Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan and committed to participating in the update of the Plan no less than once every 5 years; and

WHEREAS, the 2023 Benzie County Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan provides a set of actions to reduce risk from natural hazards through education and outreach programs, establishes a foundation for coordination among agencies in Benzie County, identifies future mitigation projects, and meets the qualifications for federal assistance programs in order to be eligible for FEMA pre-disaster and post-disaster mitigation grant funding;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

The Village of Elberta does hereby adopt the 2023 Benzie County Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan 5 Year Update as an official plan of the Village of Elberta.

Motion by Emily Votruba, Second by Ken Holmes. Roll Call:

AYES: Brett McGregor, Ken Holmes, Emily Votruba, and Jennifer Wilkins

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Ryan Feibing

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED by



Jennifer S. Wilkins, Village President



I, the undersigned, Clerk-Treasurer of the Village of Elberta, Benzie County, Michigan, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of certain proceedings taken by said municipality of Benzie County at its regular meeting held on May 16, 2024, relative to adoption of the resolution therein set forth; that said meeting was conducted and public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with the Open Meetings Act, being Act 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, and that the minutes of said meeting were kept and will be or have been made available as required by said Act.

Dated: 5/17/2024



Katherine Ralston, Village Clerk-Treasurer