



Prince George's County Council

Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: 9/26/2023

Effective Date: 9/26/2023

Reference No.: CR-065-2023

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Public Hearing Date:

Proposer(s): County Executive

Sponsor(s): Dernoga, Watson, Harrison, Ivey, Olson, Franklin and Hawkins

Item Title: A RESOLUTION CONCERNING PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN for the purpose of adopting an updated County-wide Hazard Mitigation Plan as required by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to remain eligible for Federal mitigation assistance for natural disasters.

Drafter: Ronald E. Gill, Jr., Director, Office of Homeland Security

Resource Personnel: Ronald E. Gill, Jr., Director, Office of Homeland Security

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY:

Date:	Acting Body:	Action:	Sent To:
06/20/2023	County Council	introduced and referred	COW
<p>Action Text: This Resolution was introduced by Council Members Dernoga, Watson, Harrison, Ivey, Olson and Franklin and referred to as the Committee of the Whole.</p>			
09/12/2023	COW	Favorably recommended	County Council
<p>Action Text: A motion was made by Council Member Hawkins, seconded by Council Member Olson, that this Resolution be Favorably recommended to the County Council. The motion carried by the following vote: Aye: 8 Olson, Watson, Harrison, Hawkins, Franklin, Fisher, Dernoga and Blegay Absent: 3 Oriadha, Ivey and Burroughs</p>			
09/26/2023	County Council	adopted	
<p>Action Text: A motion was made by Council Member Ivey, seconded by Council Member Watson, that this Resolution be adopted. The motion carried by the following vote: Aye: 11 Hawkins, Harrison, Blegay, Dernoga, Watson, Olson, Fisher, Burroughs, Ivey, Oriadha and Franklin</p>			

AFFECTED CODE SECTIONS:

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/FISCAL IMPACT:

The adoption of the Hazard Mitigation Plan (HMP) will make Prince George's County eligible for federal assistance for natural hazards. The Federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (Section 44 CFR Part 201) requires the County to update and adopt a mitigation plan every five years to be eligible for grants to implement mitigation projects.

Pursuant to the regulations implementing the Federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, states and local governments must have an approved and adopted Hazard Mitigation Plan to maintain eligibility for pre and post disaster Hazard Mitigation Assistance (HMA) funding. State and Local governments must adopt the plan and submit the adopted resolution to FEMA to receive the final approval.

Document(s): R2023065, CR-065-2023 Attachment A, CR-065-2023 Attachment B, CR-065-2023 Report, CR-065-2023 Transmittal