

RESOLUTION NO. 2024-1922

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CALABASAS, CALIFORNIA, ADOPTING THE 2024 MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN OF THE LAS VIRGENES-MALIBU COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS.

WHEREAS, the Federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (“Act”), as described in 44 Code of Federal Regulations Section 201.6 (44 CFR § 201.6) mandates local governments to submit and maintain a Federal Emergency Management Agency (“FEMA”) approved local hazard mitigation plan; and

WHEREAS, the Las Virgenes-Malibu Council of Governments (LVMCOG), working with the cities of Agoura Hills, Calabasas, Hidden Hills, Malibu and Westlake Village, has coordinated the hazard mitigation planning efforts among the incorporated cities and participating special districts; and

WHEREAS, the LVMCOG Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan, (“Plan”) identifies a region-wide risk assessment and mitigation strategies to reduce the impacts of natural, technological, and human caused disasters on the public and local government; and

WHEREAS, identification of hazards in the region assists with response planning, exercise development, public education and awareness, and other emergency management functions; and

WHEREAS, the Act specifies documentation that the Plan has been approved by the FEMA and formally adopted by the Calabasas City Council; and

WHEREAS, on August 6, 2024, FEMA approved the Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Governor’s Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) Mitigation Division requires a Council Resolution recognizing the adoption of the current Plan and into the Safety Element of the Calabasas General Plan;

WHEREAS, the City Council last adopted the revised Safety Element to the General Plan April 26, 2023; and

WHEREAS, the City Council seeks to adopt and updated Plan; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CALABASAS AS FOLLOWS:

1. Adopts the updated LVMCOG Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan, enclosed as Attachment A, and resolves to update the reference in the Safety Element of the General Plan to include this LVMCOG Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan.
2. In compliance with the requirements of Government Code sections 65302, 65302.6 and 8685.9 (AB 2140(2006), there is no possibility that this activity in question may have a significant impact on the environment and is therefore exempt from the provisions of CEQA as ministerial and categorical exemptions for general policy making and organizational or administrative activities of governments that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment under CEQA Guidelines Section 15378, subdivisions (b)(2) & (b)(5).

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 28^h day of August 2024.

ATTEST:

Lisa Pope, City Clerk

Alicia Weintraub, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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