

**RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE 2020 MECKLENBURG COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL  
HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Charlotte is vulnerable to an array of natural hazards that can cause loss of life and damages to public and private property; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Charlotte desires to seek ways to mitigate situations that may aggravate such circumstances; and

**WHEREAS**, the development and implementation of a hazard mitigation plan can result in actions that reduce the long-term risk to life and property from natural hazards; and

**WHEREAS**, it is the intent of the Charlotte City Council to protect residents and property from the effects of natural hazards by preparing and maintaining a local hazard mitigation plan; and

**WHEREAS**, it is also the intent of the Charlotte City Council to fulfill its obligation under North Carolina General Statutes, Chapter 166A: North Carolina Emergency Management Act and Section 322: Mitigation Planning, of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to remain eligible to receive state and federal assistance in the event of a declared disaster affecting Mecklenburg County; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Charlotte, in coordination with all other participating jurisdictions in Mecklenburg County, has prepared a multi-jurisdictional hazard mitigation plan with input from the appropriate local and state officials; and

**WHEREAS**, the North Carolina Division of Emergency Management has reviewed the Mecklenburg County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan for legislative compliance and has approved the plan pending the completion of local adoption procedures; and

**WHEREAS**, the Federal Emergency Management Agency has received a draft of the Mecklenburg County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan to review for legislative compliance and approve following the completion of local adoption procedures;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Charlotte City Council hereby:

1. Adopts the Mecklenburg County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan; and

2. Agrees to take such other official action as may be reasonably necessary to carry out the proposed actions of the Plan.

Adopted the \_\_\_\_ day of February 2021

Approved as to Form

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City Attorney

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Clerk to the City Council