

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF BLUFFTON ADOPTING THE
2026 LOWCOUNTRY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS the Town of Bluffton recognizes the threat that hazards pose to people and property within Town of Bluffton; and

WHEREAS pro-active mitigation of known hazards before a disaster event can reduce or eliminate long-term risk to life and property; and

WHEREAS the Town of Bluffton has been an “official participant” in the planning process of the natural hazard mitigation plan, hereby known as the 2026 Lowcountry Hazard Mitigation Plan prepared by the Lowcountry Council of Governments in accordance with the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000; and

WHEREAS the 2026 Lowcountry Hazard Mitigation Plan identifies mitigation goals and actions to reduce or eliminate long term risk to people and property in Town of Bluffton from the impacts of future hazards and disasters; and

WHEREAS adoption by the Town of Bluffton demonstrates their commitment to the hazard mitigation and achieving the goals outlined in the 2026 Lowcountry Hazard Mitigation Plan.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN OF BLUFFTON, SOUTH CAROLINA, THAT:

The Town of Bluffton endorses and adopts the 2026 Lowcountry Hazard Mitigation Plan.

In accordance with the Town of Bluffton Municipal Code of Ordinances, the Town of Bluffton adopts the 2026 Lowcountry Hazard Mitigation plan. While content relates to the Town of Bluffton, may require revision to meet the plan approval requirement, and change occurring after adoption will not require Town of Bluffton to re-adopt any further iteration of the plan.

The resolution shall become effective this ____ day of _____, 2026.

By: _____

Larry C. Toomer, Mayor

ATTEST:

By: _____

Marcia Hunter, Town Clerk