



PLANNING COMMISSION RESOLUTION PC 2025-05

A RESOLUTION BY THE PLANNING COMMISSION RECOMMENDING THAT THE CITY COUNCIL ADOPT THE MULTI-JURISDICTION HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN 2025 AS THE OFFICIAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN OF THE COUNTY AND AMEND THE GENERAL PLAN TO INCORPORATE THE MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, the Multi-Jurisdiction Hazard Mitigation Plan has been developed by the Glenn County Planning Division, in cooperation with other County departments, the City of Orland, the City of Willows, and the citizens of Glenn County, and

WHEREAS, the Multi-Jurisdiction Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 identifies mitigation goals and actions to reduce or eliminate long-term risk to people and property in the County of Glenn from the impacts of future hazards and disasters; and

WHEREAS, the City of Orland Planning Commission conducted a public hearing on August 21, 2025, on the proposed General Plan Amendment in order to integrate by reference the Multi-Jurisdiction Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 into the Safety Element of the City of Orland General Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has reviewed and determined that the Multi-Jurisdiction Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 is eligible for final approval pending its adoption by City of Orland and participating jurisdictions; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission considered the matter of amending the City of Orland General Plan and conducted a public hearing on the matter on August 21, 2025, and after review and consideration found that the project is in conformance with State and local environmental guidelines; and

WHEREAS, following the public hearing the Planning Commission finds that this amendment is exempt from environmental review as required by CEQA through the use of the "General Rule" Section 15061(b)(3) that is applied to proposals, which will have no potential adverse impact on the environment; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission recommends to the City Council that it adopts the Commission's recommended finding that the General Plan amendment is in the public interest and approve the amendment to amend the Safety Element of the City of Orland General Plan; and

WHEREAS, a recommended adoption by the City Council demonstrates its commitment to hazard mitigation and achieving the goals outlined in the Glenn County Multi-Jurisdiction Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission held a duly noticed public hearing to accept public comments and to review and consider General Plan Amendment (GPA 2025-01) on August 21, 2025; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Planning Commission to recommend that the City Council for the City of Orland:

- Adopt the Multi-Jurisdiction Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025 update as the official Hazard Mitigation Plan of the City of Orland.
- Approve General Plan Amendment 2025-01, thereby amending the City General Plan Safety Element to include the Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan 2025.
- Find that the proposal is exempt from environmental review as required by CEQA through the use of the “General Rule” Section 15061(b) (3).

The foregoing Resolution was adopted by the Planning Commission on the 21st day of August 2025 by the following vote:

AYES: Commission Members:

NOES: Commission Members:

ABSENT Commission Members:

ABSTAIN: Commission Members:

Stephen Nordbye, Planning Commissioner Chairperson

ATTEST:

Jennifer Schmitke, City Clerk / Clerk of the Planning Commission