

RESOLUTION NO. 12 FOR 2022

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE 2022 SWEET HOME NATURAL HAZARDS MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, natural hazards threaten life, businesses, property, and environmental systems in the City of Sweet Home; and

WHEREAS, an understanding of the nature, extent, and potential impacts of natural hazards is the foundation for developing strategies to reduce or eliminate those impacts; and

WHEREAS, natural hazards mitigation planning is the process through which such understanding and strategies are developed and a process for implementation is established in the City of Sweet Home; and

WHEREAS, it is in the interest of Sweet Home to undertake natural hazards mitigation planning and implementation together as coordinated planning strengthens communities and better serves all; and

WHEREAS, the City of Sweet Home previously prepared, implemented, and updated a natural hazards mitigation plan in accordance with the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000. This plan was approved by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for a period of five years; and

WHEREAS, the 2015 Sweet Home Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan is the most recent and expired on October 20, 2020; and

WHEREAS, having a natural hazards mitigation plan developed in accordance with the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 and approved by FEMA is a prerequisite for local government eligibility for certain federal pre- and post-disaster mitigation funds; and

WHEREAS, adoption of the updated 2022 Sweet Home Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan is required for FEMA approval of the Sweet Home Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan and restored eligibility for certain federal pre- and post-disaster mitigation funds; and

WHEREAS, adoption of the updated 2022 Sweet Home Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan demonstrates the City's commitment to reducing or eliminating the potential impacts of natural hazards and to achieving the Plan's goals.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY OF SWEET HOME COUNCIL:

Section 1. The City of Sweet Home City Council hereby adopts the recitals above in support of this resolution.

Section 2. The City of Sweet Home City Council hereby adopts the 2022 Sweet Home Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan.

PASSED by the Council and approved by the Mayor this 12th day of April, 2022.

Mayor

ATTEST:

Manager Pro Tem – Ex Officio City Recorder