



**TOWNSHIP OF WINFIELD RESOLUTION 21-52
COUNTY OF UNION, STATE OF NEW JERSEY
ADOPTING THE UNION COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL
HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN**

WHEREAS, the Township of Winfield, Union County, NJ, has experienced natural hazards that result in public safety hazards and damages to private and public property and;

WHEREAS, the hazard mitigation planning process set forth by the State of New Jersey and the Federal Emergency Management Agency offer the opportunity to consider natural hazards and risks, and to identify mitigation actions to reduce future risks and;

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management has provided federal mitigation funds to support development of an updated mitigation plan and;

WHEREAS, a Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan has been developed by the County Division of Emergency Services and Mitigation Planning Committee and;

WHEREAS, the Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan includes a prioritized list of mitigation actions including activities that, over time will help minimize and reduce safety threats and damage to private and public property and;

WHEREAS, the draft plan was provided to each participating jurisdiction through a website hosted by Michael Baker International, Inc. (Michael Baker), the contracted vendor assisting with the planning process. Links were links also posted on the Emergency Management and Division of Planning websites so as to introduce the planning concept and to solicit questions and comments and to present the Plan and request comments, as required by law and;


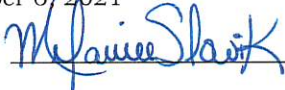
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Township of Winfield:

1. The Union County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan, as submitted on July 1, 2021 by the Union County Division of Emergency Services to the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management and submitted on October 4, 2021 to the Federal Emergency Management Agency and subsequently approved by both agencies on November 17, 2021, be and is hereby adopted as an official plan of the County or Union; with the required yearly updates and minor revisions recommended by the Federal Emergency Management Agency and/or the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management may be incorporated without further action.
2. The Township of Winfield departments identified in the Plan are hereby directed to further pursue potential or suggested implementation of the recommended high priority activities that are assigned to their departments.
3. Any action proposed by the Plan shall be subject to and contingent upon budget approval, if required, which shall be at the discretion of the Township of Winfield and this resolution shall not be interpreted so an to mandate any such appropriation.

4. The Township of Winfield, Emergency Management Coordinator is designated to coordinate with other offices and shall periodically report on the activities, accomplishments, and progress, and shall prepare an annual progress report to be submitted to the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management. The status reports shall be submitted on a yearly basis by a predetermined date agree upon by all stakeholders.

BE IT FURHER RESOLVED that the Township Clerk, forward a certified true copy of this resolution to the Union County Division of Emergency Services. Passed by the Township of the Township of Winfield on this 6th day of December 2021.

Dated: December 6, 2021

	MOTIONED	SECONDED	AYES	NAYS	ABSENT	ABSTAIN	I hereby certify that the above Resolution was adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Winfield at a meeting held on December 6, 2021  Melanie Slowik, Acting Township Clerk
MAYOR GARY J. GENZ			✓				
COMM. ROBERT F. REILLY	✓		✓				
COMM. ADAM D. KOOMER			✓	✓			