

TOWNSHIP OF UPPER DEERFIELD

RESOLUTION 22-152

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWNSHIP COMMITTEE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF UPPER DEERFIELD ADOPTING THE MITIGATION PLAN FOR FOUR NEW JERSEY COUNTIES

WHEREAS the Township Committee recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property within Township of Upper Deerfield; and

WHEREAS Township of Upper Deerfield has participated in the preparation of the Mitigation Plan for Four New Jersey Counties, a multi-jurisdictional, multi-hazard mitigation plan in accordance with the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000; and

WHEREAS the Mitigation Plan for Four New Jersey Counties includes:

- The *Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan* and *Annexes* that include summary information common to all participating jurisdictions in the four county region, and
- The Township of Upper Deerfield Appendix that identifies mitigation goals, strategies, and measures specifically for Township of Upper Deerfield to reduce or eliminate long-term risk to people and property from the impacts of future hazard events and disasters; and

WHEREAS adoption by the Township Committee demonstrates commitment to hazard mitigation and achieving the goals outlined in the Mitigation Plan for Four New Jersey Counties.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield, Cumberland County, New Jersey, that:

The Township Committee adopts the Mitigation Plan for Four New Jersey Counties and the Township of Upper Deerfield Appendix including authorizing the formation and duties of the Township of Upper Deerfield Hazard Mitigation Working Group as follows:

1. The Working Group shall be convened by the Township of Upper Deerfield Emergency Management Coordinator and will include representatives of the following departments, agencies, and organizations and other interested parties:
 - a. Chad Ott – OEM Director, Public Works Supervisor, EMS Chief
 - b. James Crilley – Township Mayor
 - c. John Daddario – Township Deputy Mayor
 - d. Brian Murphy – Township Engineer
 - e. Roy Spoltore – Township Administrator/Clerk and Flood Plain Administrator
 - f. Teresa Warburton – Construction Code Official
2. The Working Group shall convene to conduct plan implementation and maintenance activities as identified in the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan and Township of Upper Deerfield Appendix including monitoring, evaluation, and updating the Township of Upper Deerfield Appendix and

providing annual reports to the Township of Upper Deerfield Township Committee and the Cumberland County Office of Emergency Management.

Moved By: Thomas Speranza

Seconded By: Scott Smith

VOTING

James P. Crilley
John L. Daddario
Bruce T. Peterson
Scott Smith
Thomas Speranza

<u>In Favor</u>	<u>Against</u>	<u>Abstain</u>	<u>Absent</u>
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CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of Resolution adopted by the Township Committee of the Township of Upper Deerfield, in the County of Cumberland, at a meeting thereof held September 1, 2022.

Roy J. Spoltore, Township Clerk