

RESOLUTION #549

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF YACOLT, WASHINGTON, TOWN COUNCIL
AUTHORIZING THE ADOPTION OF THE
CLARK REGIONAL NATURAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN**

WHEREAS, all of Clark County has exposure to natural hazards that increase the risk to life, property, environment and the County's economy; 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 Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-390) established new requirements for pre- and post-disaster hazard mitigation programs; and

WHEREAS; a coalition of Clark County, Cities, Towns and Special Purpose Districts with like planning objectives has been formed to pool resources and create consistent mitigation strategies within the Clark Regional planning area; and

WHEREAS, the coalition has completed a planning process that engaged the public, assessed the risk and vulnerability to the impacts of natural hazards, developed a mitigation strategy consistent with a set of uniform goals and objectives, and created a plan for implementing, evaluating and revising this strategy;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Town Council :

- 1.) Adopts in its entirety, Volume 1 and the introduction, chapter 6 the Town of Yacolt jurisdictional annex,(Attachment A) and the appendices of Volume 2 of the Clark Regional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan (NHMP).
- 2.) Will use the adopted and approved portions of the NHMP to guide pre- and post-disaster mitigation of the hazards identified.
- 3.) Will coordinate the strategies identified in the NHMP with other planning programs and mechanisms under its jurisdictional authority.
- 4.) Will continue its support of the Hazard Mitigation Working Group and continue to participate in the Planning Partnership as described by the NHMP.
- 5.) Will help to promote and support the mitigation successes of all NHMP Planning Partners.
- 6.) Authorizes the Town of Yacolt, Clerk Treasurer, Cindy Marbut to make any required FEMA revisions to Clark Regional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan required by FEMA for final approval.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 19th day of December, 2016, by the following vote:

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AYES: Lister, Whitway & Myers

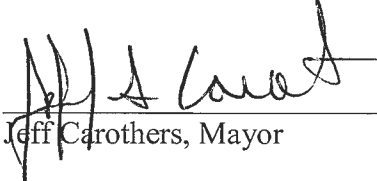
NAYS: ✓

ABSENT: Tester, Hancock

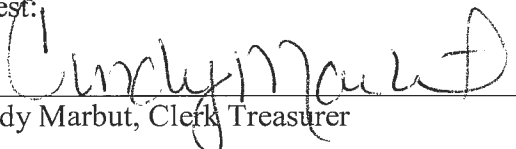
ABSTAIN: ✓

RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Yacolt, Washington, at a regular meeting thereof this 19th day of December, 2016.

This Resolution is effective immediately upon adoption.



Jeff Carothers, Mayor

Attest:


Cindy Marbut, Clerk Treasurer