

## RESOLUTION 17-5

### A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE FEDERALLY APPROVED OTTAWA COUNTY MULTIJURISDICTIONAL NATURAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

**WHEREAS**, the City of Port Clinton is a municipal entity formed and organized pursuant to the Constitution and laws of the State of Ohio; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 322 of the disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (DMA 2000) requires state and local governments to develop and submit for approval a mitigation plan that outlines processes for identifying their respective natural hazards, risks, and vulnerabilities, and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Port Clinton acknowledges the requirements of Section 322 of the DMA 2000 to have an approved Hazard Mitigation Plan as a prerequisite to receiving post-disaster Hazard Mitigation Grant Program funds, and

**WHEREAS**, the Council of the City of Port Clinton recognize the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property within Ottawa County and the City; and

**WHEREAS**, Ottawa County has developed and prepared a multi-hazard mitigation plan, hereby known as Ottawa County Multijurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan of June 2017, in cooperation with other County Departments and officials and citizens of the City of Port Clinton, all in accordance with the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000; and

**WHEREAS**, the Ottawa County Multijurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan identifies mitigation goals and actions to reduce or eliminate long-term risk to people and property in Ottawa County from the impacts of future hazards and disasters; and

**WHEREAS**, the Plan has been approved by the Federal Emergency Management Agency;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Council of the City of Port Clinton, Ottawa County, Ohio:

Section 1. The federally approved Ottawa County Multijurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan of June 2017 is hereby adopted in accordance with the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, and will be the official Hazard Mitigation Plan of the City.

Section 2. It is found and determined that all formal actions of this Council concerning and relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements pursuant to Section 122.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

Section 3. This this Resolution is declared to be an emergency measure and its immediate passage is necessary in order to preserve, protect and maintain the public's peace, health, safety, and welfare, and for the further reason that natural disasters are prevalent in the current weather season.

WHEREFORE, this Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage.

Passed: \_\_\_\_\_, 2017

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of Council

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President of Council

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_, 2017

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Mayor