

RESOLUTION NO. 1790

A RESOLUTION OF THE YAVAPAI COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE YAVAPAI MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN 2011

WHEREAS, In April 2006, Yavapai County (the "County"), pursuant to the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 ("DMA2K"); adopted the Yavapai County Multi-Jurisdictional Mitigation Plan (the "Mitigation Plan") and

WHEREAS, in recent years, the County has experienced damage from natural and human-caused hazards including, but not limited to, flooding, land/mudslides, severe wind, wildfire, and winter storms resulting in damage to and/or loss of property and life, economic hardship and threats to public health and safety, and

WHEREAS, the County wishes to update the Mitigation Plan in order to further reduce hazard risks to the community, and

WHEREAS, the updated Mitigation Plan ("Mitigation Plan 2011") has been drafted in accordance with Federal requirements and is based upon research and related work performed by the County in association with the Yavapai Multi-Jurisdictional Planning Team; and

WHEREAS, Mitigation Plan 2011's primary purposes are to: facilitate identification of hazards which potentially affect the County and its citizens; assess the vulnerability and risk posed by those hazards to community-wide human and structural assets; develop strategies for mitigation of identified hazards; establish future maintenance procedures for the Mitigation Plan and document the planning process; and

WHEREAS, Mitigation Plan 2011 also identifies a number of mitigation actions or projects that will address specific hazards affecting the County and its residents, thereby affording further protection to both persons and property; and

WHEREAS, upon the County's approval of Mitigation Plan 2011 and its approval by the Arizona Division of Emergency Management and the Federal Emergency Management Agency, the County will be eligible to apply for federal mitigation grant funding.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED THAT THE YAVAPAI COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS HEREBY ADOPTS AND APPROVES YAVAPAI COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL MITIGATION PLAN 2011.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 17th day of February, 2012.

By /s/ Thomas Thurman
Thomas Thurman, Chairman
Yavapai County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

/s/ Julie Ayers
Julie Ayers, Clerk of the Board