BREVARD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION OF THE BREVARD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR UNINCORPORATED BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE 2020 UPDATE OF THE BREVARD PREPARES LOCAL HAZARD MITIGATION STRATEGY (LMS) PLAN.

WHEREAS, the unincorporated areas of Brevard County are vulnerable to the human and economic costs of natural, technological and societal disasters, and

WHEREAS, Brevard County recognizes the importance of reducing or eliminating these vulnerabilities for the overall good and welfare of the community, and

WHEREAS, Brevard County has been an active participant in the Brevard Prepares LMS Steering Committee, which has established a comprehensive, coordinated planning process to eliminate or decrease these vulnerabilities, and

WHEREAS, Brevard County's representatives and staff have identified and justified a number of proposed projects and programs needed to mitigate the vulnerabilities of the unincorporated areas of Brevard to the impacts of future disasters, and

WHEREAS, these proposed projects and programs have been incorporated into the updated 2020 edition of the Brevard Prepares LMS that has been prepared and issued for consideration and implementation by the communities of Brevard County; and

WHEREAS, the Brevard County 2020 LMS is in compliance with the local hazard mitigation requirements of Section 322 of the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (DMA2K) as implemented in 44 C.F.R., Part 201; and

WHEREAS, approval and adoption of the LMS is necessary in order to maintain eligibility for future hazard mitigation project grant funding.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BREVARD COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, as follows:

<u>Section 1</u>. The Board of County Commissioners accepts and adopts the 2020 Brevard Prepares Local Hazard Mitigation Strategy (LMS) Plan.

<u>Section 2</u>. The agency personnel of the Brevard County Board of County Commissioners are requested and instructed to pursue available funding opportunities for implementation of the proposals designated herein.

<u>Section 3</u>. The Brevard County Board of County Commissioners will, upon securing such funding or other necessary resources, seek to implement the proposals contained in its section of the strategy.

<u>Section 4</u>. The Brevard County Board of County Commissioners will continue to participate in the Brevard Prepares LMS Steering Committee to update and expand the Brevard Prepares LMS.

<u>Section 5</u>. The Brevard County Board of County Commissioners will further encourage other businesses, industries, and community groups within Brevard to participate in Brevard Prepares to support the Brevard Prepares LMS.

Section 6. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon the enactment date.

DONE, ORDERED, AND ADOPTED in regular session of the Brevard County Board of County Commissioners this 8th day of September, 2020.

ATTEST:	BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
	BREVARD COUNTY, FLORIDA
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Scott Ellis, Clerk	Bryan Andrew Lober, Chair
	(As approved by the Board on, 2020

Reviewed for legal form and content:

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