

RESOLUTION NO. 46-10

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE FOR LAKE COUNTY and DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, natural, technological, and man-made hazards can affect the City of Painesville; and

WHEREAS, significant structural, historical, and economic losses could result from an occurrence of a natural, technological, or man-made hazard events; and

WHEREAS, undertaking mitigation projects during pre-disaster periods could decrease the total losses the City of Painesville incurs as a result of said hazard occurrences; and

WHEREAS, the City of Painesville has partnered with the County to update the existing *Lake County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan*, adopted in 2004 in an effort to further identify, define, and characterized the hazards affecting the City as well as to continue identifying and prioritizing projects that could lessen hazard vulnerability; and

WHEREAS, the City of Painesville has a strong interest in reducing losses from future hazard occurrences; and

WHEREAS, the hazard mitigation plan is a federal and state requirement to maintain eligibility for hazard mitigation funding, and, by that requirement, must be updated a minimum of every five (5) years; and

WHEREAS, a cooperative, joint effort is a proven, efficient way to plan for and reduce hazard susceptibility in all government jurisdictions in Lake County, Ohio.

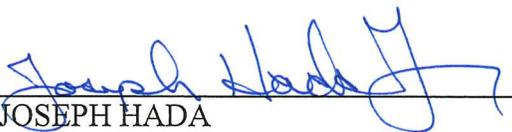
NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PAINESVILLE, LAKE COUNTY, OHIO:

Section I. That the update to the *Lake County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan* is hereby adopted.

Section II. That a certified copy of this Resolution shall be forwarded to the Lake County Emergency Management Agency.

Section III. This Resolution is hereby declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the protection and preservation of the peace, health, safety and general welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Painesville, the emergency being that immediate passage is necessary so as to meet the deadline for filing the report with FEMA, and therefore, this Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its passage.

PASSED: December 20, 2010



JOSEPH HADA
President of Council

ATTEST:



JENNIFER BELL, CMC
Clerk of Council