

RESOLUTION 2015- 107
RESOLUTION OF THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA, RELATING TO THE VOLUSIA COUNTY LOCAL MITIGATION STRATEGY; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Volusia County is vulnerable to the human and economic costs of natural, technological and societal disasters, and

WHEREAS, the Volusia County Council recognizes the importance of reducing or eliminating those vulnerabilities for the overall good and welfare of the community, and

WHEREAS, Volusia County has been an active participant in Volusia Prepares, the Local Mitigation Strategy working group, which has established a comprehensive, coordinated planning process involving the county and its municipalities, as well as other public, private and non-profit sector organizations, to eliminate or decrease these vulnerabilities, and

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

WHEREAS, Volusia County's representatives and staff have reviewed the information provided by or for other participating jurisdictions and organizations, including the projects and programs they have proposed for incorporation into the Volusia County Local Mitigation Strategy, and

WHEREAS, these proposed projects and programs have been incorporated into the current edition of the Volusia County Local Mitigation Strategy that has been prepared and issued for consideration and implementation by the communities and jurisdictions of Volusia County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF THE COUNTY OF VOLUSIA, FLORIDA, IN OPEN MEETING DULY ASSEMBLED IN THE THOMAS C. KELLY ADMINISTRATION CENTER, DELAND, FLORIDA THE 20th DAY OF AUGUST, A.D. 2015, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I: The Volusia County Council hereby accepts and approves its designated portion of the Volusia County Local Mitigation Strategy.

SECTION II: The Volusia County Council accepts and endorses the mitigation

goals and objectives established by Volusia Prepares for the countywide strategy, and the anticipated schedule for the next updating of the strategy.

SECTION III: The Volusia County Council finds that the proposed mitigation projects and programs included in the plan by other jurisdictions and organizations are acceptable, that they will not adversely affect the county or its neighborhoods, and that they do not conflict with nor duplicate the mitigation proposals made by the county itself.

SECTION IV: Volusia County personnel are requested and instructed to pursue available funding opportunities for implementation of the proposals designated therein.

SECTION V: All the government and non-profit agencies and organizations within Volusia County are encouraged, upon receipt of funding or other necessary resources, to implement the jurisdiction's proposals contained in the strategy.

SECTION VI: The Volusia County Council will continue to participate in the updating and expansion of the Volusia County Local Mitigation Strategy in the years ahead.

SECTION VII: The Volusia County Council will further seek to encourage the businesses, industries and community groups operating within Volusia County to also participate in the updating and expansion of the Volusia County Local Mitigation Strategy in the years ahead.

SECTION VIII: This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

DONE AND ORDERED IN OPEN MEETING.



By: James T. Dinneen
County Manager

COUNTY COUNCIL
VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: Jason P. Davis
County Chair