

**Town of Bowling Green**  
**Town Council Meeting**



Date:  
October 5, 2017  
Agenda Item: IV, I

**TYPE OF AGENDA ITEM:**

- CONSENT AGENDA
- PRESENTATION
- ACTION ITEM
- TOWN MANAGER & STAFF COMMENTS
- PUBLIC HEARING
  - Duly Advertised

**PURPOSE OF ITEM:**

- INFORMATION ONLY
- DISCUSSION ONLY
- DISCUSSION AND/OR DECISION
  - Introduction
  - Resolution
  - Ordinance
  - Grant/ MOU
  - By Motion
  - Bylaws
  - Certificate

**PRESENTER:** Reese Peck

**PRESENTER TITLE:** Town Manager

**AGENDA ITEM:** R-2017-018 – Updated Hazard Mitigation Plan

**BACKGROUND/SUMMARY:** The GWRC has updated its Hazard Mitigation Plan since the Town Council’s May 4, 2017 meeting. FEMA made several revision requests – mainly involving data reporting. However, I do want to point out one revision that will affect the mitigation action plans of all of the localities. The plan had previously stated a goal for each locality to conduct annual outreach to repetitive loss properties as identified by the national flood insurance program. Such properties are few and far between in the region. FEMA has asked us to instead set a goal of annual outreach to any property that is locally identified as being flood-prone. All participating jurisdiction have been asked to reaffirm and adopt the updated plan.

**ATTACHMENTS:**

R-2017-004 - Updated Hazard Mitigation Plan

**REQUESTED ACTION:**

Adopt R-2017-004 - Updated Hazard Mitigation Plan

**FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT:**

Phone#:

Name:

E-mail:

**FOR USE DURING MEETING**

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**VOTE:**

PASSED

NOT PASSED

## **Resolution R-2017-018**

### **Resolution for the Endorsement of the George Washington Regional Commission's Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan 2017 Update Reaffirmed**

WHEREAS, all jurisdictions within the George Washington Region have exposure to natural hazards that cause risk to life, property, environment, and the economy; and

WHEREAS, undertaking hazard mitigation actions will reduce the potential for harm to people and property from future hazard occurrences; and

WHEREAS, the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, as amended, requires that local governments develop, adopt, and update natural hazard mitigation plans in order to receive certain federal assistance; and

WHEREAS, the George Washington Regional Commission's Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan 2017 Update has been prepared in accordance with Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) requirements; and

WHEREAS, Bowling Green has been involved in the preparation of the Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan 2017 Update through the participation of key staff in the plan's working committee, local advertisement and opportunity for public input, and plan review by staff; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Bowling Green Town Council does hereby endorse the George Washington Region Commission's Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan September 2017 Update.

Adopted this 5<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2017  
by the Town Council of Bowling Green, Virginia

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Honorable Jason E. Satterwhite, Mayor

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Clerk of the Council