

HAYWARD CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 16-

Introduced by Council Member \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE 2016 HAYWARD LOCAL HAZARD MITIGATION  
PLAN AS AN APPENDIX TO THE HAZARDS ELEMENT OF THE 2040 HAYWARD  
GENERAL PLAN

WHEREAS, the City of Hayward resides on the Hayward Fault, a seismic fault capable of producing a major earthquake, and is therefore susceptible to earthquake-related hazards including ground shaking, liquefactions, landslides, surface rupture, and tsunamis; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Hayward is also subject to various weather-related hazards such as wildfires, drought, floods, and landslides, the frequency, duration, and intensity of which will be exacerbated as climate change progresses; and,

WHEREAS, the City Council has prioritized safety for Hayward residents and community members and the City of Hayward is committed to increasing the resilience of the infrastructure, health, housing, economy, government services, education, environment, and land use systems in the City; and,

WHEREAS, the federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 and corresponding California law requires that all cities, counties, and special districts adopt a Local Hazard Mitigation Plan to be eligible to receive state and federal disaster mitigation and recovery funding; and,

WHEREAS, an interdepartmental team worked to review the 2010 Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan, engage community members and stakeholders, evaluate the City's risk by mapping hazard exposure and vulnerable assets, and select and prioritize policies, projects, and programs aimed at reducing the City's risk from these hazards, resulting in the 2016 Hayward Local Hazard Mitigation Plan; and,

WHEREAS, the California Governor's Office of Emergency Services and the Federal Emergency Management Agency have reviewed and approved the 2016 Hayward Local Hazard Mitigation Plan; and,

WHEREAS, the Planning Commission held a public hearing on October 20, 2016, and recommended the approval and adoption of the 2016 Hayward Local Hazard Mitigation Plan as an appendix to the Hazards Element of the 2040 Hayward General Plan, together with the finding that the action is exempt from the guidelines of the California Environmental Quality

Act pursuant to Section 15061(b)(3), as it can be seen with a certainty that there is no possibility that this action could have a significant effect on the environment;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Hayward hereby approves and adopts the 2016 Hayward Local Hazard Mitigation Plan; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Hayward hereby amends the 2040 Hayward General Plan to incorporate the 2016 Local Hazard Mitigation Plan as an appendix to the Hazards Element.

IN COUNCIL, HAYWARD, CALIFORNIA \_\_\_\_\_, 2016

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES:           COUNCIL MEMBERS:  
                  MAYOR:

NOES:           COUNCIL MEMBERS:

ABSTAIN:       COUNCIL MEMBERS:

ABSENT:        COUNCIL MEMBERS:

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
                  City Clerk of the City of Hayward

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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City Attorney of the City of Hayward