

**BOROUGH OF WOODLAND PARK
PASSAIC COUNTY, NEW JERSEY
RESOLUTION R15-196**

**PASSAIC COUNTY, NEW JERSEY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL
HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN**

WHEREAS the Borough of Woodland Park, NJ, has experienced natural hazards that result in public safety hazards and damage to private and public property;

WHEREAS the hazard mitigation planning process set forth by the State of New Jersey and the Federal Emergency Management Agency offers the opportunity to consider natural hazards and risks, and to identify mitigation actions to reduce future risk;

WHEREAS the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management is providing federal mitigation funds to support development of the mitigation plan;

WHEREAS a *Hazard Mitigation Plan* has been developed by the Mitigation Planning Committee;

WHEREAS the *Hazard Mitigation Plan* includes a prioritized list of mitigation actions including activities that, over time, will help minimize and reduce safety threats and damage to private and public property, and

WHEREAS the draft plan was provided to each participating jurisdiction and was posted on the County Office of Emergency Management's website so as to introduce the planning concept and to solicit questions and comments; and to present the Plan and request comments, as required by law, and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Woodland Park that:

1. The *Passaic County and All Municipalities Hazard Mitigation Plan*, as submitted to the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management and the Federal Emergency Management Agency on May 29, 2015 by the Passaic County Office of Emergency Management, and approved-pending adoption by the Federal Emergency Management Agency on July 21, 2015, is hereby adopted as an official plan of the Borough of Woodland Park.
2. The Borough of Woodland Park departments identified in the Plan are hereby directed to pursue implementation of the recommended high priority activities that are assigned to their departments.
3. Any action proposed by the Plan shall be subject to and contingent upon budget approval, if required, which shall be at the discretion of the Borough of Woodland Park, and this resolution shall not be interpreted so as to mandate any such appropriations.
4. The Borough of Woodland Park Local Emergency Management Coordinator is designated to coordinate with other offices and shall periodically report on the activities, accomplishments, and progress, and shall prepare an annual progress report to be submitted to the Passaic County Office of Emergency Management. The status reports shall be submitted on a yearly basis by a predetermined date as agreed upon by all stakeholders.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Council that the Borough of Woodland Park, adopts the **Passaic County, New Jersey Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan**, submitted on May 29, 2015 as this jurisdiction's Hazard Mitigation Plan, and resolves to execute the actions in the Plan.

Record of Mayor and Council Vote on Passage

	AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent		AYE	NAY	Abstain	Absent
Kallert					Pascrell				
DeCesare					Spinelli				
Gatti					Mayor Kazmark				
Holloway									

This resolution was approved by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Woodland Park at a regular scheduled meeting held on the 19th day of August, 2015. Signed and sealed before me.

Kevin Galland, Municipal Clerk

August 19, 2015
Dated