

RESOLUTION 15-12

FOR THE ADOPTION OF  
THE ST. CLAIR COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

Resolution 15-12 adopting the Hazard Mitigation Plan in St. Clair County, Michigan  
WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of St. Clair County, Michigan, does hereby find as follows:

WHEREAS, the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (DMA 2000) provides the legal basis for FEMA mitigation planning requirements for State, local and Indian Tribal governments as a condition of mitigation grant assistance. DMA 2000 provides a consistent approach for State, local and Indian Tribal governments to work together more effectively and efficiently to prevent, prepare for, respond to and recover from a variety of hazards and threats that may impact the community

WHEREAS, St. Clair County recognizes the threat that natural, social, and technological hazards pose to people and the community; and

WHEREAS, the mission of St. Clair County includes the charge to protect the health, safety, and general welfare of the people of St. Clair County; and

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

WHEREAS, St. Clair County, with the assistance of a Hazard Mitigation Plan Steering Committee, comprised of representatives from the County, municipalities, and stakeholder organizations, has prepared a recommended Hazard Mitigation Plan that reviews the options to protect people and reduce damage from these hazards; and

WHEREAS, St. Clair County has participated in the planning process for development of this Plan, providing information specific to local hazard priorities and encouraging public participation; and

WHEREAS, previously, on June 1, 2005, the St. Clair County Board of Commissioners adopted the St. Clair County Hazard Mitigation Plan as a Committee of the Whole as an official document of the County, pursuant to the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (PL-106-390) and associated regulations (44 CFR 210.6); and

WHEREAS, on March 20th, 2015, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) officially approved the St. Clair County Hazard Mitigation Plan and its revisions, making the County and its participating communities eligible for disaster mitigation funding; and

WHEREAS, an adopted hazard mitigation plan is required as a condition of future funding for multiple FEMA pre- and post-disaster mitigation grant programs; and

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the St. Clair County Board of Commissioners that the 2015 St. Clair County Hazard Mitigation Plan is hereby adopted as an official plan of St. Clair County by the St. Clair County Board of Commissioners on 05/21/15.

Dated: May 21, 2105

Reviewed and Approves as to Form by:

ST. CLAIR COUNTY  
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

  
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