

**CITY OF LA VISTA
MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL REPORT
JUNE 16, 2015 AGENDA**

Subject:	Type:	Submitted By:
PAPIO-MISSOURI RIVER NRD HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN	◆ RESOLUTION ORDINANCE RECEIVE/FILE	JOHN KOTTMANN CITY ENGINEER

SYNOPSIS

A resolution has been prepared approving participation of the City of La Vista in the Papio-Missouri River Natural Resources District Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no cost, other than staff time, for participating in the Mitigation Plan. In the future if mitigation projects are brought forward then there may be local cost sharing that would be considered at that time. No specific projects are identified or funded at this time.

RECOMMENDATION

Approval

BACKGROUND

This resolution is the result of a request from the Papio-Missouri River Natural Resources District to participate in updating the Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan that was previously prepared in 2011. Updating the plan every 5 years is required by FEMA and the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 in order to maintain eligibility for receiving federal funds. The updating process generally takes 12 to 18 months. All communities within the NRD are being asked to pass this resolution.

Participation in this plan is a prerequisite to being eligible to receive Federal funds for mitigation projects in the City of La Vista. An example of this is the funds received for the voluntary property acquisition program for Thompson Creek.

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VISTA, NEBRASKA APPROVING PARTICIPATION IN THE PAPIO-MISSOURI RIVER NATURAL RESOURCES DISTRICT MULTI-HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN.

WHEREAS, a Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan identifies the vulnerability of public bodies to natural hazards and the projects that can be implemented to reduce or eliminate vulnerability exposure, and

WHEREAS, FEMA now requires that a public entity must have a current Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan in place before they are eligible for Federal funding for hazard mitigation projects and mitigation efforts resulting from natural disasters, and

WHEREAS, the Papio-Missouri River Natural Resource District is proposing to serve as the coordinating agency for the development of a multi-jurisdictional Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan for a six-county area including all of Sarpy, Douglas, Washington, and Dakota Counties as well as parts of Burt and Thurston Counties and all associated local governmental entities,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Mayor and City Council of the City of La Vista, Nebraska, hereby approves participation in the proposed Multi-Hazard Mitigation Planning process described above, and pledges to attend required meetings and participate in those activities necessary to complete an effective plan for the public we serve.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 16TH DAY OF JUNE, 2015.

CITY OF LA VISTA

Douglas Kindig, Mayor

ATTEST:

Pamela A. Buethe, CMC
City Clerk