

RESOLUTION NO. R-58-08

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE DUPAGE COUNTY NATURAL HAZARDS MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, the City of Wheaton is subject to natural hazards, such as, floods, severe summer and winter storms, tornadoes, and extreme heat events; and

WHEREAS, natural hazards can damage property, close businesses, disrupt traffic, threaten lives, and present public health and safety hazards; and

WHEREAS, the DuPage County Natural Hazards Mitigation Workgroup has prepared a recommended *DuPage County Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan* that reviews the City's options to protect people and reduce damage from the hazards; and

WHEREAS, the City has participated in the development of the *DuPage County Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan*; and

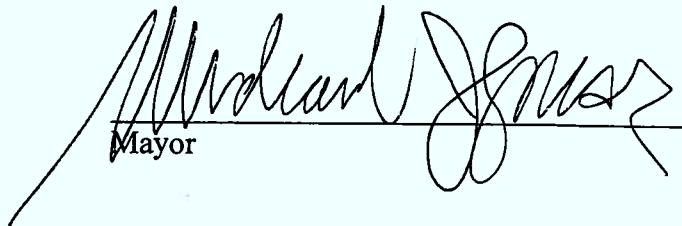
WHEREAS, the recommended *DuPage County Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan* has been presented for review by residents, federal, state and regional agencies.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Wheaton, DuPage County, Illinois that:

1. The *DuPage County Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan, October 2007* is hereby adopted as an official plan of the City.
2. The *DuPage County Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan* identifies a series of action items. The following action items are hereby assigned to the noted person or department of the City. The designated person or department shall be responsible for the implementation of the action item, provided that resources are available, by the deadline listed in the Plan.
 - A. Improvement of Building Code Effectiveness Grading Schedule (BCEGS) Rating: Building and Code Enforcement
 - B. Urban Forestry - Participation in Tree City USA: Public Works
 - C. Community Rating System Participation: Engineering
 - D. Community Rating System Information Workshop: Engineering
 - E. Property Protection Checklist: Engineering
 - F. Property Protection Projects: Engineering
 - G. Continued Watershed Management: Engineering
 - H. Structural Flood Control Projects: DuPage County
 - I. Stream Maintenance Programs: Public Works and Engineering
 - J. Participation in StormReady: Police and Fire
 - K. Identification of Floodplain Structures: DuPage County and Engineering
 - L. Review of Critical Facilities: DuPage County and Engineering
 - M. Development of Flood Stage Maps: DuPage County
 - N. Seek Mitigation Grant Funding for Additional Mitigation Planning Cost Beneficial Projects: Public Works
 - O. Development of a Public Information Strategy: Communications
 - P. Property Protection References: DuPage Hazard Mitigation Workgroup

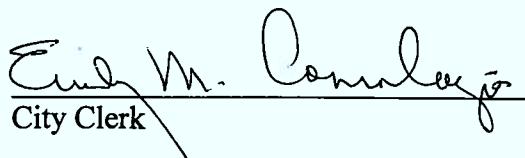
3. The City Public Works Director is hereby appointed as the City's representative on the DuPage County Natural Hazards Mitigation Workgroup. The offices charged with implementation of action items in Section 2 shall keep the representative advised of their progress and recommendations.

ADOPTED this 2nd day of September, 2008.



Michael J. Gresk
Mayor

ATTEST:



Cindy M. Connolly, Jr.
City Clerk

ROLL CALL VOTE

Ayes: Councilman Mouhelis
Councilman Prendiville
Councilman Suess
Councilwoman Corry
Councilman Johnson
Councilman Levine
Mayor Gresk

Nays: None

Absent: None

Motion Carried Unanimously