

**A Resolution Adopting the City of Grass Valley Representation in the Updates to  
the Sherman County  
Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan**

**Whereas**, the City of Grass Valley recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people, property and infrastructure within our community; and

**Whereas**, undertaking hazard mitigation actions will reduce the potential for harm to people, property and infrastructure from future hazard occurrences; and

**Whereas**, an adopted Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan is required as a condition of future funding for mitigation projects under multiple FEMA pre- and post-disaster mitigation grant programs; and

**Whereas**, the City of Grass Valley has fully participated in the FEMA prescribed mitigation planning process to prepare the *Sherman County, Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan*, which has established a comprehensive, coordinated planning process to eliminate or minimize these vulnerabilities; and

**Whereas**, the City of Grass Valley has identified natural hazard risks and prioritized a number of proposed actions and programs needed to mitigate the vulnerabilities of the City of Grass Valley to the impacts of future disasters within the *Sherman County, Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan*; and

**Whereas**, these proposed projects and programs have been incorporated into the *Sherman County, Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan* that has been prepared and promulgated for consideration and implementation by the cities of Sherman County; and

**Whereas**, the Oregon Office of Emergency Management and Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region X officials have reviewed the *Sherman County, Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan* and pre-approved it (dated, January 22, 2014) contingent upon this official adoption of the participating governments and entities;

**Now, therefore, be it resolved**, that the City of Grass Valley adopts the *Sherman County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan* as an official plan; and

**Be it further resolved**, that the City of Grass Valley will submit this Adoption Resolution to the Oregon Office of Emergency Management and Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region X officials to enable final approval of the *Sherman County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan*.

Adopted this 3 day of March, 2014

Carol von Borstel, City Administrator  
Certifying Official