

APPENDIX B: SAMPLE RESOLUTION OF PLAN ADOPTION

This appendix includes an example resolution to be submitted by Cayuga County authorizing adoption of the Cayuga County All Hazards Mitigation Plan.



RESOLUTION NO. XXXX-XX

**A RESOLUTION OF THE Governing Body OF THE Jurisdiction Name
AUTHORIZING THE ADOPTION OF THE
CAYUGA COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL
ALL-HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN**

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- 3) Will coordinate the strategies identified in the Plan with other planning programs and mechanisms under its jurisdictional authority.
- 4) Will continue its support of the Mitigation Planning Committee as described within the Plan.
- 5) Will help to promote and support the mitigation successes of all participants in this Plan.
- 6) Will incorporate mitigation planning as an integral component of government and partner operations.
- 7) Will provide an update of the Plan in conjunction with the County no less than every five years.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this **Xst, Xnd, Xrd, Xth** day of **month**, 20**13**, by the following vote:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSENT:
ABSTAIN:

ATTEST:

Clerk, Town of _____

Mayor, Town of _____

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