

CITY OF HIGHLAND HAVEN

RESOLUTION #146

For Adoption of the Hazard Mitigation Plan

Whereas, certain areas of Highland Haven a municipality is subject to periodic flooding and other natural and man-caused hazards with the potential to cause damages to people properties within the area; and

Whereas, the Highland Haven municipality desires to prepare and mitigate for such circumstances; and

Whereas, under the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, the United States Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) requires that local jurisdictions have in place a FEMA _ approved Hazard Mitigation Action Plan as a condition of receipt of certain future Federal mitigation funding after November 1, 2004; and

Whereas, to assist cities and counties in meeting this requirement, the Texas Colorado River Floodplain Coalition, with the assistance of the Lower Colorado River Authority and its contractor, H2O Partners, of Austin, Texas, has initiated development of a basin-wide, multi-jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan covering member jurisdictions of the Texas Colorado Floodplain Coalition including Highland Haven a municipality.

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that this Highland Haven, Board of Aldermen hereby:

1. Adopts those portions of the Plan entitled, “ Texas Colorado River Floodplain Coalition Hazard Mitigation Action Plan for the Lower Colorado River Basin, 2004-2009, Creating a Disaster-Resistant Lower River Basin” that pertain to Highland Haven a municipality.
2. Vests Mayor with the responsibility, authority, and the means to:
 - (a) Inform all concerned parties of this action.
 - (b) Develop an addendum to this Hazard Mitigation Plan if the city’s unique situation warrants such an addendum.
3. Appoints D. J. McPeek to assure that the Hazard Mitigation Plan is reviewed at least annually and that any needed adjustment to the Highland Haven addendum to the Hazard Mitigation Action Plan be developed and presented to the Board of Aldermen for consideration.
4. Agrees to take such other official action as may be reasonably necessary to carry out the objectives of the Hazard Mitigation Action Plan.

ADOPTED ON THIS THE 17 TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2004

Mayor

Attest