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**RESOLUTION NO. 11 OF 2005**

This Resolution approved and adopted by the Commissioners of Clinton County, Pennsylvania on the date hereinafter set forth.

**WHEREAS**, Clinton County has been faced with flooding and drainage problems over the years that have flooded buildings, closed businesses, disrupted traffic, and presented a general public health and safety hazard; and

**WHEREAS**, Clinton County has been faced with threats to life and safety and property damage from other natural and man-made hazards including winter storms, tropical storms and tornadoes; and

**WHEREAS**, the Hazard Mitigation Team which includes representatives from the following Clinton County Government Offices of: Planning, Assessment, GIS, MIS, and Emergency Services, has prepared a recommended Hazard Mitigation Plan that reviews Clinton County's options to protect people and reduce damage from flooding and other hazards including winter storms, tropical storms and tornadoes; and

**WHEREAS**, the recommended Hazard Mitigation Plan has been widely circulated for review by the County's residents and federal, state and regional agencies and has been supported by those reviewers;

Now, therefore, be it resolved that:

1. The Hazard Mitigation Plan is hereby adopted as an official plan of Clinton County. The County prepared the Hazard Mitigation Plan to identify cost-effective actions the County and its municipalities can take to eliminate or reduce the long-term risk to life and property from hazards including flooding, winter storms and tornadoes.
2. The Mitigation Team is hereby established as a permanent advisory body to include representatives of list agencies.
  - a. The existing Mitigation Team, whose members are listed in Chapter I of the 2004 Hazard Mitigation Plan, shall remain in place with new members to be appointed as necessary and to replace members as appropriate. The Team shall include members of the County Agencies listed below. New Team members shall be appointed by the Clinton County Commissioners. The Team will be chaired by a representative from Clinton County to be appointed by the County Commissioners. Agencies and groups that should be represented on the committee include:

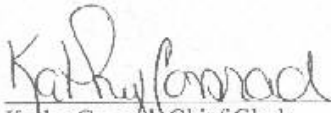
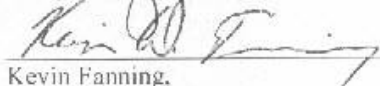
Community Officials Business/Resident Representatives  
Property Owners and Residents  
County Emergency Management                      Business Owners

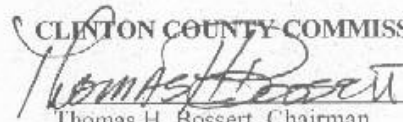
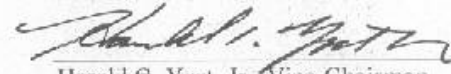
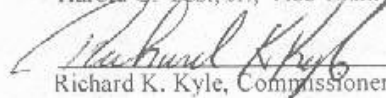
County Planning Department  
Municipal Planners  
Municipal Supervisors/Council Members

Insurance Company Representatives  
Utilities Companies

- b. The schedule of Committee meetings shall be posted in appropriate places. All meetings of the Committee shall be open to the public.
3. The Committee shall meet as often as necessary to prepare or review mitigation activities and progress toward implementing the Hazard Mitigation Plan. It shall meet at least once each year to review the status of ongoing projects.
4. By April 30 each year, the Committee shall prepare an annual evaluation report to the County Commissioners on the Mitigation Plan. The report will cover the following points:
  - a. A review of the original plan.
  - b. A review of any floods, other major natural hazard events, or hazardous materials incidents that occurred during the previous calendar year.
  - c. A review of the action items in the original plan, including how much was accomplished during the previous year.
  - d. A discussion of why any action items were not completed or why implementation is behind schedule.
  - e. Recommendations for new projects or revised action items. Such recommendations shall be subject to approval by the Municipal and County Officials as amendments to the adopted plan.

**APPROVED** and **ADOPTED** this 23 day of March 2005.

  
Kathy Conrad, Chief Clerk  
  
Kevin Fanning,  
Emergency Management Coordinator

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