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THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF UMATILLA COUNTY

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STATE OF OREGON

In the Matter of Adoption of)
Revised Umatilla County) Order No. BCC2014-031
Natural Hazards Mitigation)
Plan)

WHEREAS on June 30, 2009, by Order No. BCC2009-042, the Board of Commissioners adopted the Umatilla County Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan;

WHEREAS the mitigation plan identifies the natural hazards that impact the county, identifies actions and activities to reduce any losses from those hazards, and establishes a coordinated process to implement the plan; and

WHEREAS the plan requires a five year review and update, which will be due in July, 2014;

WHEREAS to enable the review of the plan, the county has committed its support for the Oregon Partnership for Disaster Resilience and Oregon Emergency Management in an application for a Federal Emergency Management Agency Pre-Disaster Mitigation planning grant;

WHEREAS a grant was awarded to the University of Oregon to work with 8 counties to update the natural hazards mitigation plans, and Umatilla County has been awarded a portion of the grant to update its policy;

WHEREAS the Umatilla County Natural Hazards Mitigation Planning Steering Committee was established and appointments were made on November 2, 2011, by the adoption of Order No. BCC2011-075 by the Board of Commissioners;

WHEREAS County staff had direct communication with jurisdictions within Umatilla County to obtain participation in the update of the plan;

WHEREAS the steering committee met and reviewed the plan during the period October, 2012 through June, 2013, and proposed a number of changes to the plan;

WHEREAS the proposed updated plan was sent for review to the State of Oregon Emergency Management Agency in June 2013, with submission to the Federal Emergency Management Agency in October, 2013;

WHEREAS following required revisions, the pre-adoption review of the plan was completed by the Federal Emergency Management Agency and found to contain the required criteria for hazard mitigation plans on March 17, 2014.


NOW THEREFORE, the Board of Commissioners orders that:

1. The Board of Commissioners adopts the Umatilla County Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan, a copy of which is attached to this order and incorporated by this reference, as an official plan for Umatilla County.

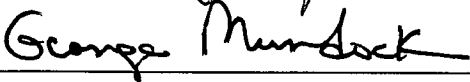
2. Umatilla County will submit this order to the Oregon Office of Emergency Management and Federal Emergency Management Agency, Region X, for final approval of the plan.

DATED this 17th day of April, 2014.

UMATILLA COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



William J. Elfering, Chair




George L. Murdock, Commissioner

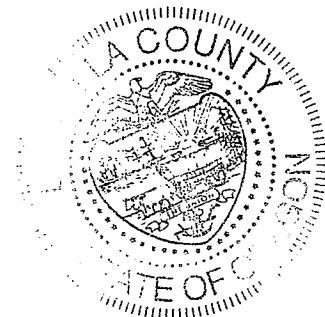
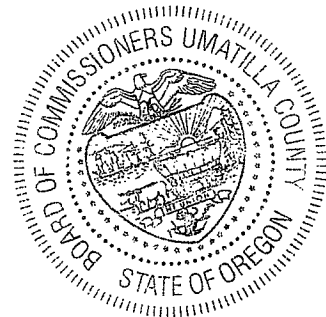


W. Lawrence Givens, Commissioner

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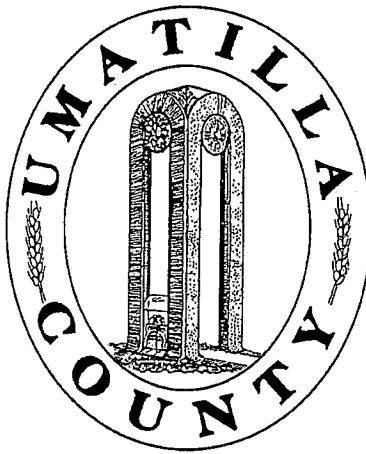


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NATURAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN



2009, Amended

Revision Date: February 2014

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