## **RESOLUTION NO. 2022-05**

## A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE 2022 CURRY COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL NATURAL HAZARDS MITIGATION PLAN

**WHEREAS,** natural hazards threaten life, businesses, property, and environmental systems in the Port of Port Orford and throughout Curry County.

WHEREAS, an understanding of the nature, extent, and potential impacts of natural hazards is the foundation for developing strategies to reduce or eliminate those impacts.

WHEREAS, natural hazards mitigation planning is the process through which such understanding and strategies are developed and a process for implementation is established in the Port of Port Orford and throughout Curry County.

WHEREAS, it is in the interest of Curry County and the cities and special districts located therein to undertake natural hazards mitigation planning and implementation together as coordinated planning strengthens communities and better serves all.

WHEREAS, Curry County and the Cities of Brookings, Gold Beach, and Port Orford previously prepared, implemented, and updated multi-jurisdictional natural hazards mitigation plans in accordance with the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000. These plans were each approved by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for a period of five years.

**WHEREAS**, the Port of Port Orford, participated in updating the 2022 Curry County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan in accordance with the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, thereby developing its first natural hazards mitigation plans.

**WHEREAS**, the 2016 Curry County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan is the most recent and expired on March 16, 2021.

**WHEREAS**, having a natural hazards mitigation plan developed in accordance with the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 and approved by FEMA is a prerequisite for local government eligibility for certain federal pre- and post-disaster mitigation funds.

WHEREAS, adoption of the updated 2022 Curry County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan is required for FEMA approval of the 2022 Curry County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan and restored eligibility for certain federal pre- and post-disaster mitigation funds.

WHEREAS, adoption of the updated 2022 Curry County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan demonstrates the Port of Port Orford's commitment to reducing or eliminating the potential impacts of natural hazards and to achieving the Plan's goals.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE PORT OF PORT ORFORD:

**Section 1.** The Port of Port Orford Board of Commissioners hereby adopts the recitals above in support of this resolution.

**Section 2.** The Port of Port Orford Board of Commissioners hereby adopts the Curry County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan.

**DATED** 18<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2022.

Aaron Ashdown, President, Port of Port Orford District Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:

Leila Thompson, Secretary,

Port of Port Orford District

**Board of Commissioners**