RESOLUTION 67-20

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPLE TERRACE, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE COUNTY-WIDE LOCAL MITIGATION STRATEGY.

WHEREAS, State, local and tribal governments are required by Federal law (Title 42, Part 68 of the United States Code and Title 44, Part 201 of the Code of Federal Regulations) to adopt a hazard-mitigation plan as a condition for receiving certain types of emergency or non-emergency disaster assistance; and

WHEREAS, the hazard-mitigation plan is a long-term strategy for reducing disaster losses and is referred to within Hillsborough County as the Local Mitigation Strategy (LMS). The LMS planning process began in 1998 when the County and its jurisdictions integrated mitigation with day-to-day decision making regarding pre- and post-disaster planning, floodplain management, site-design, and other functions; and

WHEREAS, member agencies must re-adopt the LMS every five years; and

WHEREAS, the City of Temple Terrace has been a participant of the LMS Working Group, comprised of representatives from Hillsborough County and the Cities of Plant City and Tampa, since 1998. The Group meets routinely to identify potential hazards throughout Hillsborough County, assess areas vulnerable to various hazards, and identify possible actions to mitigate future damage. After the initial adoption of the first LMS on September 23, 1999, the City adopted subsequent five-year updates on November 2, 2004, July 6, 2010, and August 18, 2015; and

WHEREAS, adoption of five-year updates is required for a community to meet Federal stardards and to remain eligible for grants associated with Severe Repetitive Loss, Repetitive Flood Claims, Pre-Disaster Mitigation, Hazard Mitigation Grant Program, and Flood Mitigation Assistance; and

WHEREAS, the State of Florida Division of Emergency Management has reviewed the 2020 Hillsborough County Local Hazard Mitigation update for compliance with the federal hazard mitigation planning standards contained in 44 CFR 201.6(b)-(d) and found Hillsborough County developed and submitted all the necessary plan revisions; and

WHEREAS, the Goal of the LMS is to minimize the effects of any potential natural or manmade disasters on our community and its infrastructure. The current County-wide LMS plan contains a list of proposed projects to accomplish the plan's goals.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPLE TERRACE, that:

City Council adopts the five-year update to the Local Mitigation Strategy, identifying and prioritizing hazard mitigation projects.

PASSED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TEMPLE TERRACE, FLORIDA, this 16th day of June 2020.

(Corporate Seal)



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Andrew Ross, Acting Mayor Chair of the City Council Signed by: City Clerk

Attest:

Cheryl A. Mooney

City Clerk

Signed by: City Clerk