



TRUCKEE MEADOWS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

STAFF REPORT

Board Meeting Date: February 25, 2020

DATE: February 5, 2020

TO: Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District Board of Fire Commissioners

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THROUGH: Charles A. Moore, Fire Chief

SUBJECT: Recommendation to approve a resolution adopting the Washoe County Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan. The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) requires that each jurisdiction adopt a Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan on a 5-year cycle. An updated plan was produced with experts from the various public safety disciplines throughout the County as well as private businesses and citizens. Participating partner agencies include the following: City of Sparks, City of Reno, Reno-Sparks Indian Colony, Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, Truckee River Flood Management Project, North Lake Tahoe Fire Protection District, and TMFPD. Adoption of this plan is necessary to enable the TMFPD to receive FEMA Hazard Mitigation grant funds. (All commission Districts) FOR POSSIBLE ACTION

SUMMARY

Recommendation to approve a resolution adopting the Washoe County Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan.

PREVIOUS ACTION

N/A

BACKGROUND

The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) requires that each jurisdiction adopt a Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan on a 5-year cycle. An updated plan was produced with experts from the various public safety disciplines throughout the County as well as private businesses and citizens. The plan includes the cities of Sparks and Reno, the Reno-Sparks Indian Colony, the Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, TRFMA, as well as the North Lake Tahoe Fire Protection District (NLTFPD) and Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District (TMFPD). The plan was presented to citizens in four public meetings and has been approved by the State of Nevada and FEMA. To enable the TMFPD to receive FEMA Hazard Mitigation grant funds, the final step in this process is formal adoption of the plan.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact associated with this Staff Report.

RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended the Board of Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District approve a resolution adopting the Washoe County Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan.

POSSIBLE MOTION

Should the Board agree with staff's recommendation, a possible motion would be:

"I move approve a resolution to adopt the Washoe County Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan."