

# **Appendix A**

## **Adoption Resolutions**



*Kansas Region B Hazard Mitigation Plan  
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## Model Resolution

Resolution # \_\_\_\_\_: **Adopting the Kansas Homeland Security Region B Hazard Mitigation Plan**

**Whereas**, the (Name of Government/District/Organization) recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property within our community; and

**Whereas**, undertaking hazard mitigation actions will reduce the potential for harm to people and property from future hazard occurrences; and

**Whereas**, the U.S. Congress passed the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (“Disaster Mitigation Act”) emphasizing the need for pre-disaster mitigation of potential hazards;

**Whereas**, the Disaster Mitigation Act made available hazard mitigation grants to state and local governments; and

**Whereas**, an adopted Hazard Mitigation Plan is required as a condition of future funding for mitigation projects under multiple Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) pre- and post-disaster mitigation grant programs; and

**Whereas**, the (Name of Government/District/Organization) fully participated in the FEMA prescribed mitigation planning process to prepare this Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan; and

**Whereas**, the Kansas Division of Emergency Management and FEMA Region VII officials have reviewed the Kansas Homeland Security Region B Hazard Mitigation Plan, and approved it contingent upon this official adoption of the participating governing body; and

**Whereas**, the (Name of Government/District/Organization) desires to comply with the requirements of the Disaster Mitigation Act and to augment its emergency planning efforts by formally adopting the Kansas Homeland Security Region B Hazard Mitigation Plan; and

**Whereas**, adoption by the governing body for the (Name of Government/District/Organization) demonstrates the jurisdictions’ commitment to fulfilling the mitigation goals and objectives outlined in this plan, and

**Whereas**, adoption of this legitimizes the plan and authorizes responsible agencies to carry out their responsibilities under the plan.

**Now, therefore, be it resolved**, that the (Name of Government/District/Organization) adopts the Kansas Homeland Security Region B Hazard Mitigation Plan as an official plan; and

**Be it further resolved**, the (Name of Government/District/Organization) will submit this Adoption Resolution to the Kansas Division of Emergency Management and FEMA Region VII officials to enable the plan’s final approval.

\_\_\_\_\_ : Date

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