RESOLUTION #78-2022 AUTHORIZING ATLANTIC COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION

WHEREAS, the City of Margate City of the County of Atlantic, New Jersey, has experienced natural hazards that result in public safety hazards and damage to private and public property; and

WHEREAS, the hazard mitigation planning process set forth the by State of New Jersey and the Federal Emergency Management Agency offers the opportunity to consider natural hazards and risks, and to identify mitigation actions to reduce future risk; and

WHEREAS, the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management is providing federal mitigation funds to support development of the Atlantic County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan; and

WHEREAS, a Hazard Mitigation Plan has been developed by the Mitigation Planning Committee; and

WHEREAS, the Hazard Mitigation Plan includes a prioritized list of mitigation actions including activities that, over time, will help minimize and reduce safety threats and damage to private and public property; and

WHEREAS, the draft plan was provided to each participating jurisdiction and was posted on the County Office of Emergency Preparedness website so as to introduce the planning concept and to solicit questions and comments; and to present the Plan and request comments, as required by law.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Margate City:

- 1. The Atlantic County Multi-Jurisdictional Natural Hazard Mitigation Plan update, as approved by the New Jersey Office of Emergency Management and the Federal Emergency Management Agency on February 17, 2022, is hereby adopted as an official plan of the City of Margate City in the County of Atlantic.
- 2. The Municipal departments identified in the Plan are hereby directed to pursue implementation of the recommended high priority activities that are assigned to their departments.
- 3. Any action proposed by the Plan shall be subject to and contingent upon budget approval, if required, which shall be at the discretion of the Mayor and Commission and this resolution shall not be interpreted so as to mandate any such appropriations.

4. The Emergency Management Coordinator is designated to coordinate with other offices and shall periodically report on the activities, accomplishments, and progress, and shall prepare an annual progress report to be submitted to the Atlantic County Office of Emergency Preparedness according to the predetermined timeline and procedures outlined in the Plan's Section 7: Plan Maintenance and Integration.

ROLL CALL:

NAME	MOTION	SECOND	YES	NO	ABSTAIN	ABSENT
Becker			X		4:	
Amodeo		X	X			
Blumberg	X		X			

DATE: April 7, 2022

CERTIFICATION

I, Johanna Casey, Clerk of Margate City, Atlantic County, do hereby certify the foregoing to be a true and correct copy of a resolution adopted by the Commissioners of the City of Margate City at a meeting of said Commission held on April 7, 2022 and said resolution was adopted by not less than a two-thirds vote of the members of the Commission.

Johanna Casey, RMC, City Clerk