

City of Dora  
**RESOLUTION #3-2015**

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE CITY OF DORA, "HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN."**

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WHEREAS, our lives, residential and commercial property, businesses, and infrastructure are at risk from a variety of natural hazards, including floods, thunderstorms, earthquakes, wildfire and tornadoes; and,

WHEREAS, Hazard Mitigation Planning will create an operational framework for reducing losses from these hazards in a cost-effective, environmentally sound, manner; and,

WHEREAS, a Hazard Mitigation Planning process was undertaken in order to maintain eligibility for multiple sources of Federal Mitigation Funding Programs that support loss-reduction activities; and,

WHEREAS, a Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee did analyze the hazards that threaten our community, have determined our vulnerability to those hazards and evaluated alternatives to minimize or eliminate their impact; and,

WHEREAS, the City of Dora has adopted policies and regulations that must be implemented following any incident that results in significant damages and that would impact rebuilding and redevelopment; and,

WHEREAS, as a benefit of being enrolled in the Community Rating System within the National Flood Insurance Program, formally establishing our Hazard Mitigation Plan contributes towards lowering the cost of flood insurance across the entire community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City of Dora, meeting in regular session on this the 24<sup>th</sup> day of February 2015, with a lawful quorum of said Council Members being present and with a majority of said Council voting in the affirmative as follows:

1. City of Dora does hereby approve and adopt a Hazard Mitigation Plan that identifies protective and mitigation measures that will lessen the County's exposure to future hazard losses, while contributing to other community goals and objectives as identified in other community plans, policies and regulations.

2. The City of Dora did solicit public input throughout the development of the Hazard Mitigation Plan.

3. The City of Dora desires to keep the County in good standing in the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP) and the NFIP's Community Rating System which reduces the cost of flood insurance for our constituents that either are required or desire to purchase it.

4. This Resolution shall be effective from and after its adoption.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, by the City Council of the City of Dora, Alabama, at a regular meeting, duly assembled, a quorum being present that the Mayor is hereby authorized to execute the agreement with the Alabama Department of Transportation.

**ADOPTED**, this the 24<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2015.

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Randy Stephens, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Marcy Brown, City Clerk