

**CITY COUNCIL
COMMUNICATION:**

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**OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER
CITY OF DES MOINES, IOWA**

01-015

SYNOPSIS -

AGENDA:

JANUARY 8, 2001

SUBJECT:

APPROVAL OF
MULTI-HAZARD
MITIGATION PLAN

The Polk County Emergency Management Agency, acting as the lead agency, has coordinated efforts in the development of a comprehensive Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan for the City of Des Moines. This plan takes into account strategies developed by the State of Iowa and federal agencies, identifies potential hazards likely to effect Des Moines, and develops long-term strategies to reduce vulnerability to these hazards.

This action will direct the City Manager to include the Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan in the preparation of the Capital Improvement Program Budget for the City.

TYPE:

RESOLUTION
ORDINANCE
RECEIVE/FILE

FISCAL IMPACT -

None.

SUBMITTED BY:

ERIC A. ANDERSON
CITY MANAGER

RECOMMENDATION -

Receive and file and refer to the City Manager.

BACKGROUND -

The City, along with representative from the Polk County Emergency Management Agency, State of Iowa, Federal Emergency Management Administration, and over 50 other agencies and organizations, worked to identify potential hazards likely to adversely effect the City of Des Moines. From this information, mitigation strategies were developed to reduce the City's vulnerability to the identified hazards.

The adoption of this Plan makes the City eligible for future funding from the State of Iowa and federal agencies.

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