

RESOLUTION NO. 721

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF SEWALL'S POINT, FLORIDA, APPROVING AND ADOPTING THE MARTIN COUNTY 2010 UPDATED "UNIFIED LOCAL MITIGATION STRATEGY PLAN"; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, the Town of Sewall's Point, Florida is a duly constituted municipality having such power and authority conferred upon it by the Florida Constitution and Chapter 166, Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, in 1998, the Town of Sewall's Point, along with Martin County, all other local municipalities, the local business community and non-profit organizations, joined together to develop a countywide Unified Local Mitigation Strategy Plan (the "LMS"); and

WHEREAS, the LMS represents the following jurisdictions: Town of Sewall's Point, Martin County, City of Stuart, Town of Jupiter Island and Town of Ocean Breeze Park (hereinafter, the "Participants"); and

WHEREAS, the ultimate objectives of the LMS process are to improve the Participants' resistance to damage from known natural, technological and societal hazards; to place the Participants in a position to compete more effectively for pre- and post-disaster mitigation funding; to reduce the cost of disasters at all levels; and to speed the Participants' communities' recovery from disasters that do occur; and

WHEREAS, the Town Commission finds that the Town's active continued participation in the LMS will further the public health, safety and general welfare of the residents and citizens of the Town.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF SEWALL'S POINT, FLORIDA:

Section 1. The whereas clauses are incorporated herein as true and correct and as the legislative findings of the Town Commission.

Section 2. The Town Commission hereby approves and adopts the Martin County 2010 updated "UNIFIED LOCAL MITIGATION STRATEGY PLAN" (the "LMS"). A digital copy of the LMS is attached hereto as Exhibit "A". A printed copy of the LMS plan is on file in the office of the Town Clerk.

Section 3. Severability. If any section or portion of a section of this Resolution proves to be invalid, unlawful, or unconstitutional, it shall not be held to invalidate or impair the validity, force, or effect of any other section or part of this Resolution.

Section 4. Conflicts. All resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict with any of the provisions of this Resolution are hereby repealed.

Section 5. Implementing Actions. The Town Manager is hereby authorized to take any actions necessary to implement the action taken in this Resolution.

Section 6. Effective Date. This Resolution shall take effect in accordance with law.


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MARK KLINGENSMITH, Mayor	✓	_____
JACQUI THURLOW-LIPPISCH, Vice Mayor	✓	_____
THOMAS BAUSCH, Commissioner	✓	_____
PAUL SCHOPPE, Commissioner	✓	_____
PAMELA BUSHA, Commissioner	✓	_____

The Town Manager thereupon declared this Resolution No.721 approved and adopted by the Town Commission of the Town of Sewall's Point on this 7th day of December, 2010.

TOWN OF SEWALL'S POINT, FLORIDA

Robert Kellogg, Town Manager

ATTEST:



Ann-Marie S. Basler, Town Clerk

(TOWN SEAL)

Glen J. Torcivia, Town Attorney
Florida Bar No. 343374
Approved as to form and legal sufficiency