

STATE OF ALABAMA)

COUNTY OF BALDWIN)

**RESOLUTION #2021-109
OF THE
BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION**

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE 2021 BALDWIN COUNTY HAZARD
MITIGATION PLAN, IN FULFILLMENT OF THE FEDERAL DISASTER
MITIGATION ACT OF 2000 AND THE LOCAL MITIGATION PLAN
REQUIREMENTS OF 44 C.F.R. SECTION 201.6 AND FEMA LOCAL HAZARD
MITIGATION PLANNING GUIDANCE.**

WHEREAS, the Baldwin County Commission recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property within Baldwin County; and

WHEREAS, the Baldwin County Commission has prepared a Hazard Mitigation Plan, hereby known as 2021 Baldwin County Hazard Mitigation Plan in accordance with the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000; and

WHEREAS, the Baldwin County Hazard Mitigation Plan, is part of the South Alabama Regional Planning Commission (SARPC) and Alabama Tombigbee Planning Commission Regional Mitigation Plan; and

WHEREAS, the 2021 Baldwin County Hazard Mitigation Plan, identifies mitigation goals and actions to reduce or eliminate long-term risk to people and property in Baldwin County from the impacts of future hazards and disasters; and

WHEREAS, said mitigation plan addresses all natural hazards deemed to threaten property and persons within the unincorporated and incorporated areas of Baldwin County; and

WHEREAS, the 2021 Baldwin County Hazard Mitigation plan has been prepared in accordance with FEMA guidance and DMA 2000 requirements under the direction of the Baldwin County Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee, which included representatives from all jurisdictions within Baldwin County, and with the support of the Baldwin County EMA, on behalf of all jurisdictions within Baldwin County; and

WHEREAS, the Federal planning criteria requires formal adoption of the FEMA-approved plan update by each participating jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, under the FEMA mitigation planning guidance, it is stated that the countdown to the next five year required revision of the plan begins once the first jurisdiction formally adopts the plan; and

WHEREAS, adoption by the Baldwin County Commission demonstrates their commitment to hazard mitigation and achieving the goals outlined in the 2021 Baldwin County Hazard Mitigation Plan.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the 2021 Baldwin County Hazard Mitigation Plan is hereby adopted and immediately made effective.

ADOPTED, this the 17th day of August, 2021.

APPROVED:

By: 

James E. Ball, Vice Chairman
Baldwin County Commission

ATTEST:

By: 

Wayne Dyess, County Administrator

