

**CITY OF RIFLE, COLORADO
RESOLUTION NO. 14
SERIES OF 2022**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIFLE,
COLORADO, ADOPTING THE GARFIELD COUNTY HAZARD
MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE OF AUGUST 2022.

WHEREAS, the Federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 was signed into law on October 30, 2000, placing new emphasis on state and local mitigation planning for natural hazards and requiring communities to adopt a hazard mitigation action plan to be eligible for pre-disaster and post-disaster federal funding for mitigation purposes; and

WHEREAS, a Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan was prepared by Garfield County, Colorado, with assistance from JEO Consulting Group, Inc. of Wahoo, NE; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the mitigation plan was to lessen the effects of disasters by increasing the disaster resistance of the county and participating jurisdictions located therein by identifying the hazards that affect the City of Rifle and prioritize mitigation strategies to reduce potential loss of life and property damage from those hazards; and

WHEREAS, the Colorado Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management and the Federal Emergency Management Agency reviewed and approved the Garfield County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update as of August 2022; and

WHEREAS, FEMA regulations require documentation that the plan has been formally adopted by the governing body of the City of Rifle in the form of a resolution and further requesting approval of the plan at the Federal Level.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RIFLE, COLORADO, THAT:

1. The City Council of the City of Rifle (the "City") incorporates the foregoing recitals as conclusions, facts, determinations, and findings by the City Council.
2. The City does herewith adopt the FEMA approved Garfield County Hazard Mitigation Plan Update in its entirety.

THIS RESOLUTION was read, passed, and adopted by the Rifle City Council at a regular meeting held this 5th day of October, 2022.

CITY OF RIFLE, COLORADO

By



Mayor

ATTEST:

City Clerk

