

C O U N C I L C H A M B E R
VILLAGE OF KELLEYS ISLAND, OHIO

RESOLUTION NO. 2026 – R - 03

INTRODUCED BY: RONALD E. EHRBAR

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE 2026 ERIE COUNTY HAZARD
MITIGATION PLAN.**

WHEREAS, the citizens and property within the Village of Kelleys Island, Ohio have historically been subjected to the effects of natural hazards and manmade hazard events that pose threats to lives and cause damages to property; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Kelleys Island, Ohio desires to seek ways to mitigate the risks from known natural hazards, reducing the impact on people and property; and

WHEREAS, the 2026 Erie County Hazard Mitigation Plan has been updated after over a year of work by government organizations and participating jurisdictions; and

WHEREAS, Erie County and all jurisdictions within have been charged by the Federal Emergency Management Agency with the responsibility of developing a hazard mitigation plan aimed at reducing the community's vulnerability; and

WHEREAS, Section 322 of the Federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 states that local governments must develop a Hazard Mitigation Plan in order to receive future Hazard Mitigation Grant Program Funds; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the Village of Kelleys Island, Ohio to fulfill this obligation and show support for the importance of mitigation in Erie County.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF KELLEYS ISLAND, COUNTY OF ERIE, STATE OF OHIO AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1: That the Village of Kelleys Island, Ohio hereby adopts the 2026 Erie County Hazard Mitigation Plan as the Village of Kelleys Islands Hazard Mitigation Plan and resolves to take official action as may be reasonably necessary to carry out the strategies outlined within the plan.

SECTION 2: That it is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council of Kelleys Island concerning and relating to the adoption of this Ordinance were adopted in an open meeting of such body, and that all deliberations of the Council of the Village of Kelleys Island and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements including Section 121.22 of the Ohio Revised Code.

SECTION 3: That this Resolution shall be in effect from and after the earliest period allowed by law.

DATED THIS 8th DAY OF AUGUST, 2026.


MAYOR RONALD E EHRBAR

ATTEST:


LISA M. KLONARIS, CLERK-TREASURER