

RESOLUTION NO57-2011

**RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BURLINGAME
APPROVING THE ABAG REPORT "TAMING NATURAL DISASTERS" AS THE CITY
OF BURLINGAME'S LOCAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN**

WHEREAS, the Bay Area is subject to various earthquake-related hazards such as ground shaking, liquefaction, land sliding, fault surface rupture, and tsunamis; and

WHEREAS, the Bay Area is subject to various weather-related hazards including wildfires, floods, and landslides; and

WHEREAS, the City of Burlingame recognizes that disasters do not recognize city, county, or special district boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the City of Burlingame seeks to maintain and enhance both a disaster-resistant city and region by reducing the potential loss of life, property damage, and environmental degradation from natural disasters, while accelerating economic recovery from those disasters; and

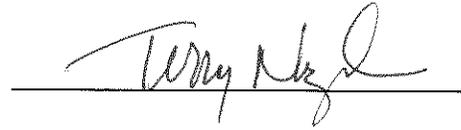
WHEREAS, the City of Burlingame is committed to increasing the disaster resistance of the infrastructure, health, housing, economy, government services, education, environment, and land use systems in the city, as well as in the Bay Area as a whole; and

WHEREAS, the federal Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (Act) requires all cities, counties, and special districts to adopt a Local Hazard Mitigation Plan to receive disaster mitigation funding from FEMA; and

WHEREAS, ABAG has approved and adopted the ABAG report "*Taming Natural Disasters*", created in collaboration with the participating jurisdictions, as the multi-jurisdictional Local Hazard Mitigation Plan for the San Francisco Bay Area;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Burlingame adopts, and adapts with its local annex, this multi-jurisdictional plan as its Local Hazard Mitigation Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City of Burlingame commits to continuing to take those actions and initiating further actions, as appropriate, as identified in the City of Burlingame Annex of that multi-jurisdictional Local Hazard Mitigation Plan by adopting this list of mitigation strategies as the Implementation Appendix of the Safety Element of Its General Plan.



Mayor

I, MARY ELLEN KEARNEY, City Clerk of the City of Burlingame, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was introduced at a regular meeting of the City Council held on August 15, 2011 and was adopted by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEMBERS: **BAYLOCK, BROWNRIGG, DEAL, KEIGHRAN, NAGEL**

NOES: COUNCILMEMBERS: **NONE**

ABSENT: COUNCILMEMBERS: **NONE**



City Clerk