

RESOLUTION NO. 2012-10

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
FREMONT APPROVING THE ABAG PLAN ENTITLED “TAMING
NATURAL DISASTERS” AS THE CITY OF FREMONT’S LOCAL
HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN AS SUPPLEMENTED BY THE CITY
OF FREMONT ANNEX**

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 Fremont recognizes that disasters do not recognize city, county, or special district boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the City of Fremont 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 Fremont 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 requires all cities, counties, and special districts to have adopted 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 as the multi-jurisdictional Local Hazard Mitigation Plan for the San Francisco Bay Area.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City of Fremont 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 Fremont commits to continuing to take those actions and initiating further actions, as appropriate, as identified in the City Annex of that multi-jurisdictional Local Hazard Mitigation Plan by adopting this list of mitigation strategies and by including policies and implement measures that reiterate the City’s commitment to the LHMP in the Safety Element of its General Plan.

ADOPTED, March 6th, 2012, by the City Council of the City of Fremont by the following vote to wit:

AYES: Mayor Morrison, Vice Mayor Natarajan, Councilmembers
Harrison, Chan and Dutra

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

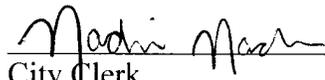
ABSTAIN: None



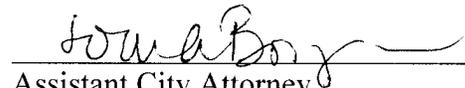
Mayor

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



City Clerk



Assistant City Attorney