



## **CITY OF MENIFEE**

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SUBJECT: 2022 City of Meniffee Local Hazard Mitigation Plan

MEETING DATE: March 1, 2023

TO: Mayor and City Council

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### **RECOMMENDED ACTION**

1. Adopt a resolution adopting the 2022 City of Meniffee Local Hazard Mitigation Plan.

### **DISCUSSION**

In 2021, the City of Meniffee began the process of formally updating its 2015 Local Hazard Mitigation Plan (Plan). Through this extensive process, the City formed a Hazard Mitigation Planning Committee consisting of City department representatives. The Committee was tasked with conducting a risk assessment that identified and profiled hazards that pose a risk to the City of Meniffee including earthquakes, floods, power outages, transportation concerns and wildfire/urban fires. Following the development of the Plan, the public was given formal notice and invited to participate and review the content of the Plan.

The overall goal of the Plan is to, 1) protect life, property, and environment; 2) provide public awareness; 3) protect the continuity of government; and 4) improve emergency management, preparedness, collaboration, and outreach. The Plan was prepared with guidance from the Riverside County Emergency Management Department, the California Office of Emergency Services, and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). After the extensive review process, on December 19, 2022, FEMA gave tentative approval of the Plan. Upon City Council approval, FEMA will provide their final letter of approval. The completion of the Plan will allow the City to continue to apply for FEMA mitigation grants. The Plan will be reviewed yearly and formally updated through FEMA every five years (2027).

### **STRATEGIC PLAN OBJECTIVE**

Safe and Attractive Community

### **FISCAL IMPACT**

There is no fiscal impact associated with the recommended action.

### **ATTACHMENTS**

1. Preliminary FEMA Approval Letter
2. 2022 City of Menifee Local Hazard Mitigation Plan
3. Resolution Adopting the 2022 Local Hazard Mitigation Plan