Town of New Castle, Colorado  
Resolution No. TC-2022-26

A Resolution of the New Castle Town Council Concerning the Adoption of a Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan

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. 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 Town of New Castle 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 Town of New Castle in the form of a resolution; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF NEW CASTLE, COLORADO:

1. **Recitals.** That the foregoing recitals are incorporated herein by reference as findings and determinations of the Town Council.

2. **Adoption.** That the Town Council hereby adopts the Garfield County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update of August, 2022, attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein by reference, as this jurisdiction’s Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan, and resolves to execute the actions in the Plan.

INTRODUCED, READ, AND ADOPTED by a vote of 6 to 0 at a regular meeting of the New Castle Town Council held on November 1, 2022.

TOWN COUNCIL OF TOWN OF NEW CASTLE, COLORADO

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Art Riddle, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Melody Harrison, Town Clerk