RESOLUTION NO. 2016-17

AUTHORIZING THE ADOPTION OF THE SAN MATEO COUNTY HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE

MID-PENINSULA WATER DISTRICT

WHEREAS, all of San Mateo County has exposure to natural hazards that increase the risk to life, property, environment and the County's economy; and

WHEREAS; pro-active mitigation of known hazards before a disaster event can reduce or eliminate long-term risk to life and property; and

WHEREAS, the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (Public Law 106-390) established new requirements for pre- and post-disaster hazard mitigation programs; and

WHEREAS; a coalition of San Mateo County, Cities, Towns and Special Districts with like planning objectives has been formed to pool resources and create consistent mitigation strategies within the San Mateo County planning area; and

WHEREAS, the coalition completed a planning process that engaged the public, assessed the risk and vulnerability to the impacts of natural hazards, developed a mitigation strategy consistent with a set of uniform goals and objectives, and created a plan for implementing, evaluating and revising the strategy.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mid-Peninsula Water District hereby:

- 1. Adopts in its entirety, Volume I and the introduction, Section 3, Part 2 and Chapter 4 the Mid-Peninsula Water District jurisdictional annex, and the appendices of Volume II of the San Mateo County Hazard Mitigation Plan (HMP); and
- 2. Will use the adopted and approved portions of the HMP to guide pre- and post-disaster mitigation of the hazards identified; and
- 3. Will coordinate the strategies identified in the HMP with other planning programs and mechanisms under its jurisdictional authority; and
- 4. Will continue its support of the Steering Committee and continue to participate in the Planning Partnership as described by the HMP; and
- 5. Will help to promote and support the mitigation successes of all HMP Planning Partners.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 22nd day of September 2016, by the following vote:

NOES: Vella, Stuebing,

President, Board of Directors

ATTEST:

District Secretary