## RESOLUTION NO. 33, 2023

## RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE 2023 HAMILTON COUNTY MULTI-HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, the City of Montgomery, Ohio is vulnerable to an array of natural, technological, and human-caused hazards that have the potential to cause loss of life and damages to public and private property; and

WHEREAS, the Hamilton County Emergency Management & Homeland Security Agency and the Hazard Mitigation Steering Committee, comprised of representatives from the County, municipalities, and stakeholder organizations, have prepared a recommended Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan that reviews the options to protect people and property and reduce damage from these hazards; and

WHEREAS, the City of Montgomery has participated in the planning process for development of this Plan, providing information specific to local and countywide hazard priorities, encouraging public participation, identifying desired hazard mitigation strategies, and reviewing the draft Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Hamilton County Emergency Management & Homeland Security Agency, with the Hazard Mitigation Steering Committee, has developed the HAMILTON COUNTY MULTI-HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN (the "Plan") as an official document of the County pursuant to the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000 (PL-106-390) and associated regulations (44 CFR 210.6); and

WHEREAS, the Plan has been widely circulated for review by the County's residents, municipal officials, and regional, state, and federal partner agencies and has

been revised to reflect their concerns; and

WHEREAS, the Ohio Emergency Management Agency and the Federal Emergency Management Agency have reviewed the Plan for legislative compliance and approved the plan pending the completion of local adoption procedures.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Montgomery, Hamilton County, Ohio, that:

**SECTION 1.** The Hamilton County Multi-Hazard Mitigation Plan is hereby adopted by reference as an official plan of the City of Montgomery, Ohio. A copy of the adopted Plan is available through the Hamilton County Emergency Management Agency's website at <a href="https://www.hamilton-co.org/ema/">www.hamilton-co.org/ema/</a>.

SECTION 2. The Office of the City Manager is charged with supervising the implementation of the Plan's recommendations, as they pertain to the City of Montgomery and within the funding limitations as provided by City Council or other sources.

**SECTION 3.** This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

PASSED November 1, 2023

Connic M. Gaylor Clerk of Council

Craig D. Margolis, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Terrence M. Donnellon, Law Director