CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION <DATE>> TOWN OF _____, Vermont Selectboard A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE 2022 Chittenden County, Vermont Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan

WHEREAS, the Town of ______ has historically experienced severe damage from natural hazards and it continues to be vulnerable to the effects of the hazards profiled in the **2022 Chittenden County, Vermont Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan,** which result in loss of property and life, economic hardship, and threats to public health and safety; and

WHEREAS, the Town of ______ has developed and received conditional approval from Vermont Emergency Management (VEM) for its **2022 Chittenden County, Vermont Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan (Plan)** under the requirements of 44 CFR 201.6; and

WHEREAS, the **Plan** specifically addresses hazard mitigation strategies, and Plan maintenance procedures for the Town of _____; and

WHEREAS, the **Plan** recommends several hazard mitigation actions (projects) that will provide mitigation for specific natural hazards that impact the Town of ______ with the effect of protecting people and property from loss associated with those hazards; and

WHEREAS, adoption of this **Plan** will make the Town of ______ eligible for funding to alleviate the impacts of future hazards; now therefore be it

RESOLVED by Town of _____ Selectboard:

1. The **20**____, **Vermont Local Hazard Mitigation Plan** is hereby adopted as an official plan of the Town of _____;

2. The respective officials identified in the mitigation action plan of the **Plan** are hereby directed to pursue implementation of the recommended actions assigned to them;

3. Future revisions and **Plan** maintenance required by 44 CFR 201.6 and FEMA are hereby adopted as part of this resolution for a period of five (5) years from the date of this resolution; and

4. An annual report on the process of the implementation elements of the Plan will be presented to the Selectboard by the Emergency Management Director or Coordinator.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have affixed their signature and the corporate seal of the Town of ______ this ____ day of _____ 201__.

Selectboard Chair

Selectboard Member

ATTEST

Town Clerk