RESOLUTION NO. 2021-13

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF HILLIARD, FLORIDA, A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION, APPROVING THE ADOPTION OF NASSAU COUNTY LOCAL MITIGATION STRATEGY PLAN; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the Nassau County Local Mitigation Strategy Plan (LMS) Taskforce was created in 1998 with the responsibility of developing a Local Hazard Mitigation Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Nassau County Local Mitigation Strategy Plan has been updated by the LMS Task Force and Nassau County Emergency Management to meet federal requirements; and

WHEREAS, the LMS is intended to provide a strategy to mitigate dangers and costs associated with natural and man-made hazards and to provide a priority for mitigation activities before and after a hazardous event occurring in unincorporated Nassau County and its municipalities; and

WHEREAS, the LMS contains mitigation initiatives and projects that are deemed directly necessary and beneficial for the safety and protection of the residents, businesses, and properties located within unincorporated Nassau County its municipalities; and

WHEREAS, the LMS has been updated by the Nassau County LMS Task Force, including representatives of local and regional agencies involved in hazard mitigation, and the authority to regulate development, as well as businesses, academia, private and non-profit stakeholders, to contain initiatives for (calendar years) 2021 through 2025 deemed directly necessary and beneficial for the safety and protection of the residents, property, and infrastructure within Nassau County; and

WHEREAS, this LMS has been reviewed and approved by the Florida Division of Emergency Management (FDEM) as a local strategy consistent with the Enhanced State Mitigation Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of the Town of Hilliard, Florida that:

- 1. The Town of Hilliard, Florida hereby approves the adoption of the Nassau County Local Mitigation Strategy Plan (LMS).
 - This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

DULY PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of the Town of Hilliard, Florida at a regular meeting on this 20th day of May, 2021

TOWN OF HILLIARD

John P. Beasley Council President

ATTEST:

Lisa Purvis Town Clerk

APPROVED:

Floyd L. Vanzant

Mayor