

**RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE
MEMA DISTRICT 9 REGIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN**

WHEREAS, the City of Diamondhead is vulnerable to any array of natural hazards that can cause loss of life and damages too public and private property; and

WHEREAS, the City of Diamondhead desires to seek ways to mitigate situation that may aggravate such circumstances; and

WHEREAS, the development and implementation of a hazard mitigation plan can result in actions that reduce the long-term risks to life and property from natural hazards; and

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the City of Diamondhead to protect its citizens and property from the effects of natural hazards by preparing and maintaining a local hazard mitigation plan; and

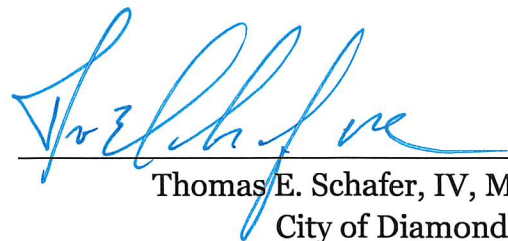
WHEREAS, it is also the intent of the City of Diamondhead to fulfill its obligation under Section 322; Mitigation Planning, of the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act to remain eligible to receive state and federal assistance in the event of a declared disaster affecting the City of Diamondhead; and

WHEREAS, City of Diamondhead, in coordination with George, Hancock, Harrison, Jackson, Pearl River and Stone Counties and the participating municipalities within those counties, has prepared a multi-jurisdictional hazard mitigation plan pending the completion of the local adoption procedures;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and Council of the City of Diamondhead hereby:

1. Adopt the MEMA District 9 Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan; and
2. Agrees to take such other official action as me be reasonably necessary to carry out the proposed actions of the Plan.

Adopted on January 2, 2018.


Thomas E. Schafer, IV, Mayor
City of Diamondhead