DIAMOND CITY, BOONE COUNTY, ARKANSAS

RESOLUTION 13-2021

A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE BOONE COUNTY, ARKANSAS MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS; All areas within Boone County are subject to various hazardous events, natural and man-caused, with the potential to cause loss of life and property damage; and

WHEREAS; Under the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) required that local jurisdictions have a FEMA approved Hazard Mitigation Plan in place as a condition to apply for future Federal mitigation funding; and

WHEREAS; Boone County and its jurisdictions, with the assistance of the Northwest Arkansas Economic Development District (NWAEDD), have researched and developed the multijurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan attached hereto; and

WHEREAS; By participating in the Hazards Mitigation Program, Boone County and its jurisdictions are eligible to apply for the post-disaster mitigation funds; and

WHEREAS; the director of the Office of Emergency Management or his/ her designee is appointed to assure that the Hazard Mitigation Plan is reviewed at least annually and completes a mandated review every five years to be submitted to the Arkansas Department of Emergency Management (ADEM) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for review and updates.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF DIAMOND CITY, ARKANSAS:

That the City of Diamond City hereby adopts those portions of the Boone County Hazard Mitigation Plan relating to and protecting its jurisdictional areas against all hazards as developed in the Hazard Mitigation Plan for the purpose of building a safer community by reducing vulnerability to such events.

Passed this 24th day of August, 2021

Recorder/ Kathy Pate

Mayor / Jaime Nuessner