

RESOLUTION NO. R19-1044

A RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE HENRY COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN; TO TRANSMIT THIS RESOLUTION TO THE GEORGIA EMERGENCY MANGEMENT AGENCY AND THE FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY; TO AUTHORIZE THE MAYOR AND CITY CLERK TO EXECUTE AND DELIVER ANY DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO CARRY OUT THIS RESOLUTION; TO REPEAL INCONSISTENT PROVISIONS; TO PROVIDE AN EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

W I T N E S S E T H :

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

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

WHEREAS, it is the intent of the City Council of Stockbridge to protect their 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 Council of Stockbridge to fulfill its obligation under the provisions of the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000, local governments that complete Hazard Mitigation Plans will remain eligible for federal mitigation funding 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 Stockbridge; and

WHEREAS, Henry County, in coordination with Hampton, Locust Grove, McDonough, and Stockbridge, has prepared a multi-jurisdictional hazard mitigation plan, with input from the appropriate local and state officials; and

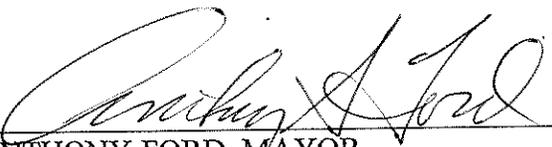
WHEREAS, the Georgia Emergency Management Agency and the Federal Emergency Management Agency have reviewed the Henry County Hazard Mitigation Plan for legislative compliance and has determined the plan meets all programmatic requirements of the Federal Hazard Mitigation Planning Standards contained in 44 CFR Section 201.6(b)-(d); pending the completion of local adoption procedures.

THEREFORE, IT IS NOW RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF STOCKBRIDGE, GEORGIA, AS FOLLOWS:

1. **Authorization.** That the Stockbridge City Council hereby adopts the Henry County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan (as attached hereto and incorporated herein as **Exhibit "A"**) and authorizes the Mayor to notify the Georgia Emergency Management Agency and the Federal Emergency Management Agency as necessary as its commitment to carry out the proposed actions in the Plan.

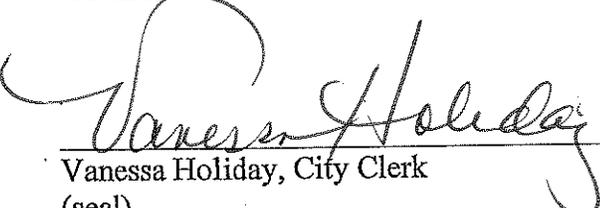
2. **Public Purpose.** The City finds that the foregoing actions constitute a major step in preserving the health, safety, well-being and economic vitality of the community and are, therefore, consistent with its public purposes and powers.
3. **Attestation.** That the Stockbridge City Council hereby authorizes the City Clerk to attest the signature of any City official appearing on documents necessary to carry out this Resolution, to affix the official seal of the City thereto, as necessary, and to place this Resolution and any related documents among the official records of the City for future reference.
4. **Severability.** To extent any portion of this Resolution is declared to be invalid, unenforceable, or nonbinding, that shall not affect the remaining portions of this Resolution.
5. **Repeal of Conflicting Provisions.** All City resolutions are hereby repealed to the extent they are inconsistent with this Resolution.
6. **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

THIS RESOLUTION adopted this 1st day of March 2019.



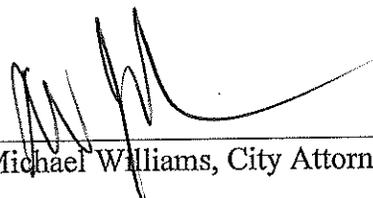
ANTHONY FORD, MAYOR

ATTEST:



Vanessa Holiday, City Clerk
(seal)

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



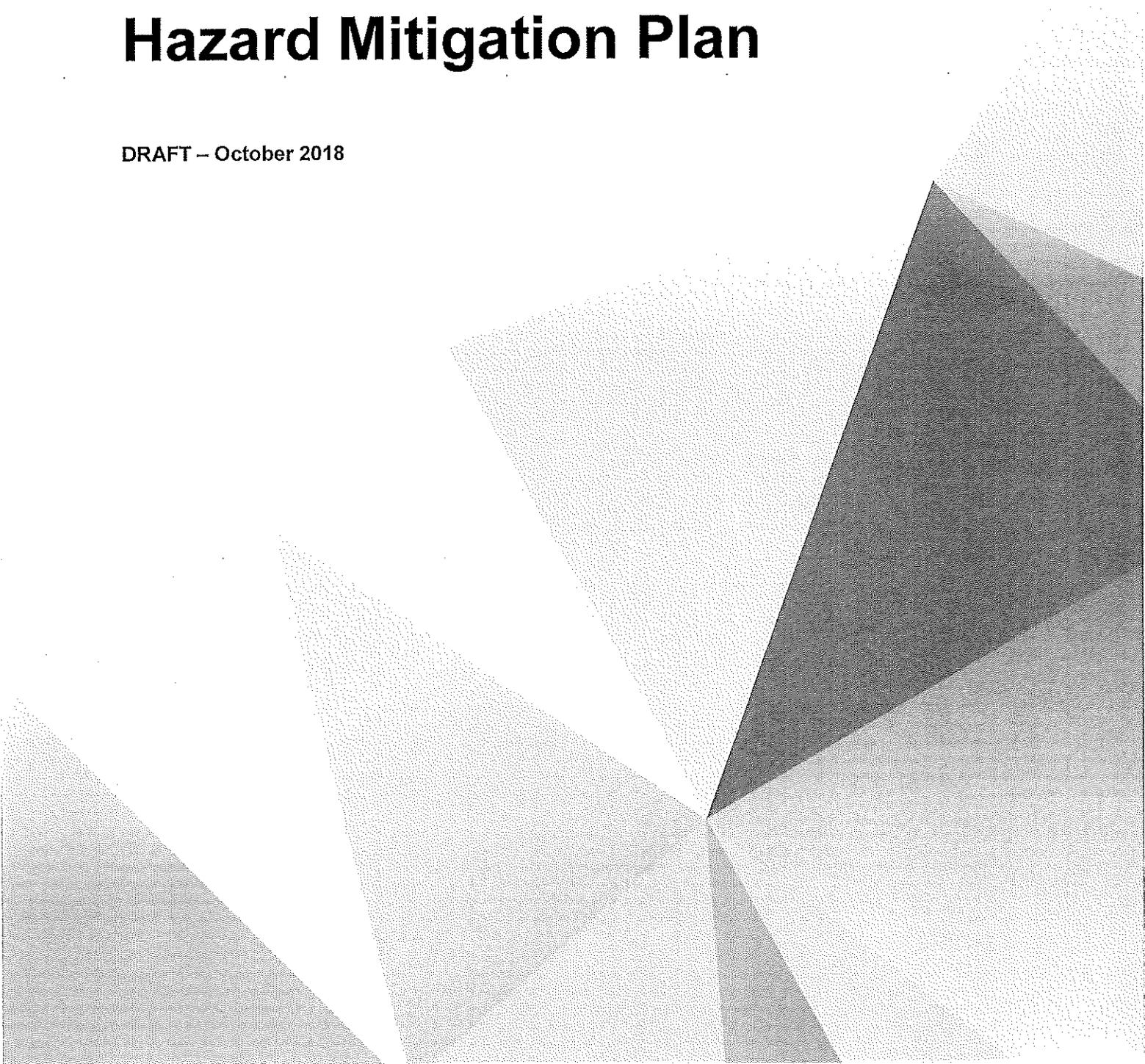
Michael Williams, City Attorney

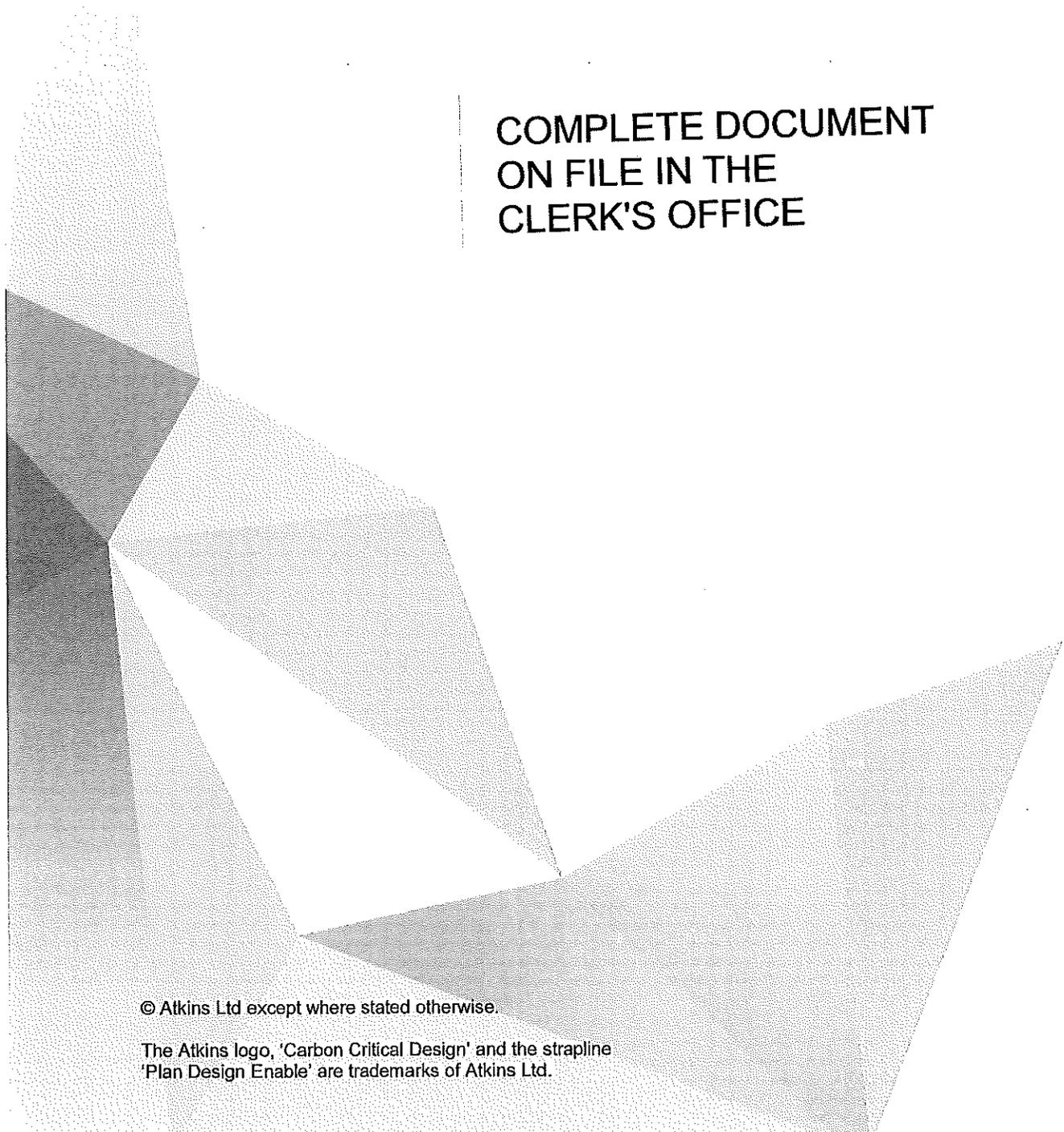
EXHIBIT "A"

**HENRY COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN, AS
PREPARED BY ATKINS FOR HENRY COUNTY EMERGENCY MANGEMENT/E-911,
DATED _____**

Henry County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan

DRAFT – October 2018





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