INTRODUCED BY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION ADPOTING THE 2020 WASHOE COUNTY REGIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, the City of Sparks participated in a Washoe County Hazard Mitigation Steering Committee with regional partners (Washoe County, City of Reno, Reno-Sparks Indian Colony, Pyramid Lake Paiute Tribe, North Lake Tahoe Fire Protection District, Truckee Meadows Fire Protection District, and Truckee River Flood Management Project) and the efforts of this committee have resulted in the 2020 Washoe County Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan; and

WHEREAS, the regional partners conducted a Hazard Vulnerability Analysis (HVA) and integrated public input as part of this process, to consider the natural, technological, and human caused risks to which the region is vulnerable; and

WHEREAS, recent events have shown the County and regional partners must remain ever vigilant to eliminate or reduce the risk to human life, property and the environment posed by hazards; and

WHEREAS, the 2020 Washoe County Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan's purpose is to integrate hazard mitigation strategies into the activities and programs of the County and its regional partners; and

WHEREAS, the 2020 Washoe County Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan is a living document; and,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Sparks City Council, on behalf of the residents of the City of Sparks, adopt the 2020 Washoe County Regional Hazard Mitigation Plan, and further direct the City of Sparks Emergency Manager continue to inform the public and community of the hazard mitigation strategies recommended in the plan.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this <u>27th</u> day of <u>April</u> 2020 by the following vote of the City Council:

AYES: NAYES: ABSENT: ABSTAIN:

APPROVED this <u>27th</u> day of <u>April</u>, 2020.

Ronald E. Smith, Mayor

ATTEST:

By:

Lisa Hunderman, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

Chet Adams, City Attorney