RESOLUTION NO. 1198

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON, ADOPTING THE REDMOND HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN.

WHEREAS, the City of Redmond is vulnerable to the human and economic costs of natural, technological and societal disasters; and

WHEREAS, the Redmond City Council recognizes the importance of reducing or eliminating those vulnerabilities for the public health, safety and welfare of the community; and

WHEREAS, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) has established a policy that requires recipients and potential recipients of Hazard Mitigation Grant Program funding to have a local Hazard Mitigation Plan; and

WHEREAS, the FEMA policy requires that the Redmond Hazard Mitigation

Plan be adopted by City Council resolution and that evidence of this adoption be submitted to

FEMA through the State of Washington - Military Department; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redmond and the University of Washington Institute for Hazard Mitigation Planning and Research have worked cooperatively to establish a comprehensive, coordinated planning process to eliminate or decrease hazardous risks; and

WHEREAS, the City of Redmond's staff and the University of Washington have identified, justified and prioritized a number of proposed projects and programs needed to mitigate the vulnerabilities of the City of Redmond to the impacts of future potential disasters; and

WHEREAS, these proposed projects and programs have been incorporated into the Redmond Hazard Mitigation Plan that has been submitted and approved, pending adoption by the City Council, by FEMA and the State of Washington - Military Department,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF REDMOND, WASHINGTON, DO RESOLVE AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. The Redmond City Council hereby accepts and approves the Redmond Hazard Mitigation Plan.

Section 2. City of Redmond staff are directed to forward the adopted Redmond Hazard Mitigation Plan to FEMA and the State of Washington - Military Department for final acceptance.

Section 3. City of Redmond staff are requested to pursue available funding opportunities for implementation of the proposals designated herein.

Section 4. The City of Redmond will, upon receipt of such funding or other necessary resources, seek to implement the proposals contained within the Redmond Hazard Mitigation Plan.

Section 5. The City of Redmond will continue to participate in the updating and expansion of the Redmond Hazard Mitigation Plan in the years ahead.

Section 6. The City of Redmond will further seek to encourage the businesses, industries and community groups operating within and/or for the benefit of the City to also participate in the future updating and expansion of the Redmond Hazard Mitigation Plan in the years ahead.

RESOLVED THIS 7th day of December, 2004.

CITY_OF REDMOND

ATTEST/AUTHENTICATED:

Borne Ketter

BONNIE MATTSON, CITY CLERK

FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK:

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL:

SIGNED BY THE MAYOR:

EFFECTIVE DATE:

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December 2, 2004

December 7, 2004 December 7, 2004 December 7, 2004