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The Town's Hazard Mitigation Committee reformed in **2023** to update the Plan which included incorporation of the new *FEMA Local Mitigation Planning Policy Guide, effective April 19, 2023* requirements, revising outdated material with current information, and providing the latest **5**-year history of Warner since the last Plan was approved in **June 2019**. A new online community survey was made available to the public for wider input, and the new plan development procedure was documented in the **Methodology** section.

Certificate of Adoption, 2024

Town of Warner, NH Select Board Town Hall PO Box 265, 5 East Main Street Warner, NH 03278

A Resolution Adopting the Warner Hazard Mitigation Plan Update 2024

WHEREAS, the Town of Warner has historically experienced severe damage from natural hazards and it continues to be vulnerable to the effects of the hazards profiled in the **Hazard Mitigation Plan Update 2024** including but not limited to flooding, high wind events, severe winter weather, and fire, resulting in loss of property and life, economic hardship, and threats to public health and safety; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Warner has developed an updated **Plan** and received approval pending adoption (APA) from the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) for its **Hazard Mitigation Plan Update 2024** under the requirements of 44 CFR 201.6; and

WHEREAS, public and Committee meetings were held between **September 2023** through **July 2024** regarding the development and review of the **Hazard Mitigation Plan Update 2024**; and

WHEREAS, the **Plan** specifically addresses hazard mitigation strategies, and Plan maintenance procedures for the Town of Warner; and

WHEREAS, the **Plan** recommends several hazard mitigation actions (projects) that will provide mitigation for specific natural hazards that impact the Town of Warner with the effect of protecting people and property from loss associated with those hazards; and

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WHEREAS, adoption of this Plan will make the Town of Warner eligible for funding to alleviate the effects of future hazards; now therefore be it

RESOLVED by Town of Warner Select Board:

The **Hazard Mitigation Plan Update 2024** is hereby adopted as an official plan of the Town of Warner; The respective officials identified in the mitigation action plan of the Plan are hereby directed to pursue implementation of the recommended actions assigned to them;

Future revisions and Plan maintenance required by 44 CFR 201.6 and FEMA are hereby adopted as a part of this resolution for a period of five (5) years from the date of this resolution; and

An annual report on the progress of the implementation elements of the Plan shall be presented to the Select Board by the Emergency Management Director or designee.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have affixed their signature and the corporate seal of the Town of Warner this 10th day of December 2024.

Select Board			
Harry Seidel, Chair	date	Faith Minton, Vice Chair	date
Michael Smith, Member	date		
ATTEST			
SEAL			
Town Clerk			
Michele Courser, Town Clerk	date		