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STEUART PITTMAN County Executive

EXECUTIVE ORDER NUMBER 20

TO ADOPT THE ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY, MARYLAND – 2018 HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE

WHEREAS, the County Executive, in conjunction with the Anne Arundel County Office of Emergency Management, recognizes the need to develop a hazard mitigation plan for the protection and general welfare of the citizens of Anne Arundel County; and

WHEREAS, compliance with Federal Emergency Management Agency ("FEMA") and 44 CFR § 201.6 (the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000) requires jurisdictions to create a hazard mitigation plan; and

WHEREAS, the County conducted a hazard vulnerability and risk assessment to identify potential natural and man-made hazards and has identified those hazards that pose a risk to the County; and

WHEREAS, Anne Arundel County has developed a hazard mitigation plan that includes projects to help minimize the effects of hazards both before and after a hazardous event;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Steuart Pittman, County Executive, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Charter and laws of Anne Arundel County, hereby order and direct on this <u>26th</u> day of May, 2020, as follows:

- 1. The Anne Arundel County, Maryland -- 2018 Hazard Mitigation Plan Update is hereby adopted.
- 2. This Order shall be archived at the Office of Law and remain in existence until altered or terminated by another Executive Order.

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County Executive

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:

Gregory J. Swain County Attorney