

Port of Port Angeles

Port Angeles, Washington

Commissioner's Resolution No. 25-1331

ADOPTING THE MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN UPDATE (2024) AND THE PORT OF ANGELES' ANNEXED HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

WHEREAS, the Port of Port Angeles (Port) recognizes that its exposure to natural and human caused hazards increases risks to public health, property, critical infrastructure, the environment and the economy; and

WHEREAS, proactive mitigation of known hazards can reduce those risks; and

WHEREAS, a hazard mitigation plan approved by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and adopted by the local jurisdiction is required as a condition for the Port to be eligible for federal hazard mitigation grant funds under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Act, as amended by the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000; and

WHEREAS, the previous Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan expired on January 25, 2025; and

WHEREAS, the Port participated in Clallam County's multi-jurisdictional hazard mitigation plan update process which began in August 2023 and continued throughout 2024. Clallam County staff lead the planning effort, together with a consultant team, and a constituted Hazard Mitigation and Climate Resilience Steering Committee comprised of individuals from government, including the Cities, Tribal, business, environmental and social service entities from Clallam County and its neighboring County, Jefferson County; and

WHEREAS, the update process included input from multiple jurisdictions and other Clallam County stakeholders, and from the public based upon two public surveys, a County wide website that updated the progress of the work and sought public comment, advertised public events held throughout Clallam County, and a public comment period in December 2024; and

WHEREAS, the completed and revised Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan, including the Port's Annexed Hazard Mitigation Plan, was submitted on January 23, 2025, to the Washington State Department of Emergency Management and FEMA Region X simultaneously for their review and approval; and

WHEREAS, FEMA approved Clallam County's Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update (2024), including the Annexed Plan of the Port, on July 14, 2025, subject to an adoption resolution by the participating jurisdiction; and

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WHEREAS, on September 30, 2025, the Clallam County Board of Commissioners adopted the Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update (2024) consisting of the Base Plan and attached Appendices that is available to read on the Clallam County website:

<https://www.clallamcountywa.gov/1822/Hazard-Mitigation-Plan-Update>,
under the link named [Clallam County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan - Volume 1.pdf](#) ;

WHEREAS, the Annexed Hazard Mitigation Plan of the Port, along with the Annexed Plans of other plan participants was contained in Volume 2 of the Clallam County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan, available to read on the Clallam County website:

<https://www.clallamcountywa.gov/1822/Hazard-Mitigation-Plan-Update>,
under the link named [Clallam County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan - Volume 2.pdf](#);

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Commissioners of the Port of Port Angeles, Washington, as follows:

1. The Port of Port Angeles hereby adopts the Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan Update (2024) together with the Port of Port Angeles' Annexed Hazard Mitigation Plan (2024), superseding previous hazard mitigation plans adopted by the Port.

ADOPTED by the Board of Commissioners of the Port of Port Angeles at a regular meeting thereof held this 28th day of October 2025.

PORT OF PORT ANGELES
BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS



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