WHEREAS, the update to the Sangamon County Multi-jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan has been prepared by the Springfield-Sangamon County Regional Planning Commission through the Sangamon County Multi-jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan Task Force; and,

WHEREAS, the Sangamon County Multi-jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan has been prepared in accordance with FEMA requirements at 44 C.F.R. 201.6; and,

WHEREAS, the Village of Chatham is a local unit of government that has afforded the citizens an opportunity to comment and provide input to the Plan and the actions in the Plan; and,

WHEREAS, the Chatham Village Board has reviewed the Plan and affirms to participate in the Workgroup that will review the Plan every year and update it no less than every five years;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Chatham Village Board that the Village of Chatham adopts the Sangamon County Multi-jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan as this jurisdiction's Multi-hazard Mitigation Plan, and resolves to execute the actions in the Plan.

ADOPTED this 28 day of FEI3, 2017 at the meeting of the Chatham Village Board.

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Hon. Thomas Gray, Village President

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## **MEMORANDUM**

TO: Sangamon County Multi-jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan Update Community Task Force Members

FROM: Molly S. Berns, Assistant Director

DATE: January 6, 2017

RE: Preliminary Approval of Plan

I am pleased to inform you that FEMA has completed its review of the update to the Sangamon County Multi-jurisdictional Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan and has determined that the plan meets the required criteria. Enclosed is a copy of the plan to keep for your files.

One of the plan strengths identified by FEMA during its review was as follows: "The planning team did an excellent job developing actions to mitigate their hazards. You can tell there were good discussions among the members of the planning team when it came time to identify mitigation actions." Receiving such a comment is due to the hard work and dedication put forth by each of you.

Mayors and/or Presidents of participating communities were sent a copy of the plan to keep in the village/city offices as well as a draft resolution to be adopted by each participating community. Formal approval of the plan is contingent upon adoption of the plan by each of the jurisdictions that participated in the planning process.

FEMA will not provide formal approval until all the participating jurisdictions have adopted resolutions approving the plan and have received the documentation of adoptions from our office. Mayors/Presidents were asked to forward a copy of the adopted resolution to me soon as your community adopts a resolution so it can be forwarded to FEMA.

Thank you again for your dedication and hard work. Please contact me at 217-535-3110 if you have questions or if I can be of assistance.

Enclosures