

## City of Blaine Anoka County, Minnesota

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## **Legislation Text**

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## STATEMENT OF INTEREST IN THE ANOKA COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL ALL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

The City had previously adopted the Anoka County Multi-Jurisdictional All Hazard Mitigation Plan and Anoka County is currently conducting a Plan review which is required every five years. Participation in the Plan will make the County eligible to receive Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP) project grants including potential projects that would benefit the City and its residents.

As a participant in the Hazard Mitigation Assistance Program, staff is recommending that the City state its interest in participating in the Plan review. After FEMA funding approval and during the planning implementation, the City would formally agree to participate in the hazard mitigation planning process. This is a voluntary program and participation may benefit the City jurisdiction by identifying hazards and prioritizing potential projects to mitigate the effects of natural hazards. Upon completion of the Plan review this item will be before Council for consideration and adoption of the updated Plan.

As a note the Anoka County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan is available for viewing online or at City Hall.

## ... Recommendation

Staff recommends the Mayor and City Manager sign the Statement of Interest to participate in the Anoka County Multi-Jurisdictional All Hazard Mitigation Plan as outlined.