

RESOLUTION NO. 2026 – _____

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
HERNANDO COUNTY, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING AND ADOPTING THE
HERNANDO COUNTY 2025 5-YEAR UPDATE OF THE
COMPREHENSIVE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PLAN.**

WHEREAS, Chapter 252, Florida Statutes, assigns to the Board of County Commissioners responsibility for disaster preparedness, response, recovery and mitigation; and

WHEREAS, being prepared for disasters means being ready to respond promptly as danger threatens, to preserve life and protect property and to provide relief from suffering and privation; and

WHEREAS, local services may be overburdened or inadequate, and local government will have to operate effectively in different ways than in normal times to provide timely relief and minimize hardships in the event of natural and technological disasters in Hernando County; and

WHEREAS, many populated areas and parts of communities may require evacuation, shelter and food until the disaster ends, services are restored and needed supplies and materials are available; and

WHEREAS, this plan is intended to provide the framework for the development of detailed operating procedures for all County forces charged with the responsibility of protecting the public's health and safety from natural and technological disasters; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 9G-6, Florida Administrative Code, requires each County to develop a Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 9G-6, Florida Administrative Code, furthermore requires the governing body of Hernando County to adopt by resolution the Hernando County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HERNANDO COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AS FOLLOWS:

1. The Hernando County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan is hereby adopted.

ADOPTED in Regular Session this _____ day of _____ 2026.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
HERNANDO COUNTY, FLORIDA**

ATTEST:

DOUGLAS A. CHORVAT, JR.
CLERK OF CIRCUIT COURT

JERRY CAMPBELL
CHAIRMAN

Approved as to Form and Legal Sufficiency:

By: Michael Cowan
County Attorney's Office