

**Resolution of the Demarest Governing Body
Resolution No. 060-26
February 23, 2026**

Council Member	Motion	Second	Yes	No	Abstain	Absent
Slowikowski						✓
Carmeli	✓		✓			
Collins			✓			✓
Fox						✓
Marks			✓			
Reiss		✓	✓			

TITLE: A RESOLUTION OF BOROUGH OF DEMAREST ADOPTING THE BERGEN COUNTY MULTI-JURISDICTIONAL HAZARD MITIGATION PLAN

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WHEREAS the governing body of the Borough of Demarest recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property within the Borough of Demarest; and

WHEREAS the County of Bergen has prepared a multi-hazard mitigation plan, hereby known as Bergen County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan 2026, in accordance with federal and state laws, including the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, as amended; the National Flood Insurance Act of 1968, as amended; and the National Dam Safety Program Act, as amended; and New Jersey P.L. 2023, CHAPTER 313 approved January 16, 2024.

WHEREAS the Bergen County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan 2026, identifies current and future natural hazard risks, and assesses the vulnerability of facilities, infrastructure, and populations, and defines mitigation goals and actions to reduce or eliminate long term risk to people and property in the Borough of Demarest from the impacts of future natural hazards and disasters; and

WHEREAS adoption by the Mayor and Council of the Borough of Demarest demonstrates its commitment to hazard mitigation and achieving the goals outlined in the Bergen County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan 2026;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOROUGH OF DEMAREST, NJ THAT:

Section 1. The Mayor and Council of the Borough of Demarest adopts the Bergen County Multi-Jurisdictional Hazard Mitigation Plan 2026. While content related to Borough of Demarest may require revisions to meet the plan approval requirements, changes occurring after adoption will not require Borough of Demarest to re-adopt any further iterations of the plan. Subsequent plan updates following the approval period for this plan will require separate adoption resolutions.

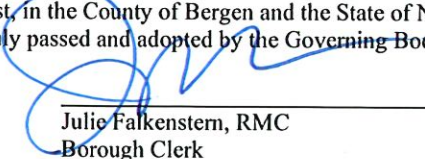
APPROVED:



Mayor Brian Bernstein

CERTIFICATION

I, Julie Falkenstern, Borough Clerk, of the Borough of Demarest, in the County of Bergen and the State of New Jersey do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true copy of the original resolution duly passed and adopted by the Governing Body at the meeting on February 23, 2026



Julie Falkenstern, RMC
Borough Clerk