## **RESOLUTION NO. 2002-45**

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF SOUTHWEST RANCHES, FLORIDA, SUPPORTING THE LOCAL MITIGATION STRATEGY ("LMS") ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**WHEREAS,** Chapter 163, Florida Statutes, requires the Town to plan for hazard mitigation, hurricane evacuation, post-disaster development planning and a local mitigation strategy; and

**WHEREAS,** the State Department of Community Affairs ("DCA") has designated the Broward County Emergency Management Division as the local coordinator of the Local Mitigation Strategy Program for the Broward County area; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Southwest Ranches will enter into an agreement with Broward County and the DCA to authorize the County to prepare the Town's municipal components of a single, unified County-wide Local Mitigation Strategy; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of County Commissioners of Broward County adopted the Broward County Local Mitigation Strategy.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by The Town Council of The Town Of Southwest Ranches.

**Section 1:** That the Town Council of the Town of Southwest Ranches, Florida hereby supports Broward County's adopted Local Mitigation Strategy.

**Section 2:** That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Town Council of the Town of Southwest Ranches, Florida, this  $9^{th}$  day of May 2002.

Mecca Fink, Mayor

Attest:

Arielle Haze Tyner, Town Clerk

Approved as to Form and Correctness:

Gany A. Poliakoff, J.D., Town Attorney