CERTIFICATE OF ADOPTION Town of Castleton, Vermont Selectboard A Resolution Adopting the Castleton, Vermont 2023 Local Hazard Mitigation Plan

WHEREAS the Castleton Selectboard recognizes the threat that natural hazards pose to people and property within the Town of Castleton; and

WHEREAS the Castleton Selectboard has prepared a natural hazard mitigation plan, hereby known as the Castleton, Vermont 2023 Local Hazard Mitigation Plan in accordance with federal 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

WHEREAS the Castleton, Vermont 2023 Local Hazard Mitigation Plan identifies mitigation goals and actions to reduce or eliminate long-term risk to people and property in the Town of Castleton from the impacts of future hazards and disasters; and

WHEREAS adoption by the Castleton Selectboard demonstrates its commitment to hazard mitigation and achieving the goals outlined in the Castleton, Vermont 2023 Local Hazard Mitigation Plan.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN OF CASTLETON, VERMONT, THAT:

Section 1. In accordance with 24 VSA §872, the Castleton Selectboard adopts the Castleton, Vermont 2023 Local Hazard Mitigation Plan. While content related to the Town of Castleton may require revisions to meet the plan approval requirements, changes occurring after adoption will not require the Town of Castleton to re-adopt any further iterations of the plan. Subsequent plan updates following the approval period for this plan will require separate adoption resolutions.

ADOPTED by a vote of _____ in favor and _____ against, and _____ abstaining, this 22nd day of January 2024.

By: ____

(signature)

(print name)

Selectboard Chair

Selectboard Chair

ATTEST: By: _____ (print name)