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**TO:** The Honorable Reuven Carlyle, Senate Environment, Energy, & Technology Committee The Honorable Shelly Short, Senate Environment, Energy, & Technology Committee The Honorable Sam Hunt, Senate State Government & Elections Committee The Honorable Jeff Wilson, Senate State Government & Elections Committee The Honorable Javier Valdez, House State Government & Tribal Relations Committee The Honorable Mike Volz, House State Government & Tribal Relations Committee

FROM: William S. Kehoe, Director and State Chief Information Officer

## **SUBJECT: Natural Hazards Risk Mitigation Progress Report**

Washington Technology Solutions is pleased to inform you that it has completed its Natural Hazards Risk Mitigation Progress Report, as required in Chapter 297, Laws of 2022 (SB 5693).

The report contains an update on WaTech's progress in developing a modern, centralized data platform that will allow agencies to share geographic data critical to natural hazard mitigation.

Please contact Joanne Markert, Senior Geospatial Program Manager, at (360)-407-8691 or <u>joanne.markert@watech.wa.gov</u> with any questions.

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