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JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 54-90

A JOINT RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING A PLANNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE FOR PREPARING A COMMUNITY EMERGENCY PLAN.

WHEREAS, the preparation and continuing development of a community emergency plan for hazardous materials is mandated by state and federal emergency planning and community right-to-know laws, and

WHEREAS, such planning requires specific knowledge regarding hazardous materials and other hazards (natural and technological), their locations, and use in the community, and

WHEREAS, Minnesota statutes allow political subdivisions of the state to establish planning advisory committees to assist local emergency managers in the preparation and continuing development of these plans, and

WHEREAS, the County of Steele and the City of Medford, City of Ellendale, City of Blooming Prairie, and City of Owatonna, herein-after referred to as "MEMBER COMMUNITIES", recognize the importance of preparing an emergency plan to provide for the protection of persons and property within the respective geographic boundaries of each member community, and

WHEREAS, the MEMBER COMMUNITIES desire to prepare an emergency plan which will improve the capability of the MEMBER COMMUNITIES to respond to emergencies and disasters occurring within the respective jurisdictions of each Member Community and which meet state and federal planning mandates, and

WHEREAS, Minn. Stat. § 471.59 allows cities and counties to jointly exercise powers common to each or any similar powers;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the County of Steele, City of Medford, City of Ellendale, City of Blooming Prairie, and City of Owatonna hereby establish the STEELE COUNTY PLANNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE to serve the MEMBER COMMUNITIES. The committee shall consist of ^{not more} ~~than~~ 40 members representative of the public sector, emergency response sector, and facilities located within Steele County which are regulated under law, for the purpose of assisting with the preparation and continuing development of an emergency operations plan, and that the MEMBER COMMUNITIES will support the committee with information, personnel, and other resources as necessary to reasonably accomplish this task.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Steele County Planning Advisory Committee shall assume the duties assigned to it by Minn. Stat. Chapter 299K and be an ongoing organization necessary for the com-

pletion and coordination of emergency planning activities vital to the public health and safety of the MEMBER COMMUNITIES.

CITY OF OWATONNA

Passed and adopted this 16th day of October, 1990, with the following vote: Aye 7; No 0; Absent 0.

Approved and signed this 16th day of October, 1990.

[Signature]
Mayor of City of Owatonna

Attest: [Signature]
City Clerk

CITY OF MEDFORD

Passed and adopted this 11th day of DECEMBER, 1990, with the following vote: Aye 5; No 0; Absent 0.

Approved and signed this 18th day of DECEMBER, 1990.

Loyal L. Merrill
Mayor of City of Medford

Attest: Karen J. Sanborn
City Clerk

CITY OF ELLENDALE

Passed and adopted this 8th day of Nov, 1990, with the following vote: Aye 4; No 0; Absent 1.

Approved and signed this 8th day of Nov, 1990.

Paul L. Green
Mayor of City of Ellendale

Attest: Vernon Kuyar
City Clerk

CITY OF BLOOMING PRAIRIE

Passed and adopted this 4th day of February, 1990, with the following vote: Aye 5; No 0; Absent 0.

Approved and signed this 4th day of February, 1990.

Kenneth C. Gude
Mayor of City of Blooming Prairie

Attest: [Signature]
City Clerk

COUNTY OF STEELE

Passed and adopted this 9th day of October, 1990, with the following vote: Aye 5; No 0; Absent 0.

Approved and signed this 9th day of October, 1990.

RA Jay
Chairman

Attest: David K. Senter