

RESOLUTION NO. 2006-01

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE NATIONAL INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS (NIMS)

WHEREAS, response to and recovery from major emergencies and disasters requires integrated professional management and coordination; and

WHEREAS, the US President directed the Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security to develop and administer a National Incident Management System (NIMS) to standardize and enhance incident management procedures nationwide; and

WHEREAS, the National Incident Management System provides a structure and process to effectively coordinate responders from multiple disciplines and levels of government and to integrate them with resources from the private sector and non-governmental organizations; and

WHEREAS, the Emergency Preparedness Committee has determined that it is essential for key City personnel to take *FEMA Independent Study Program: IS-700 NIMS, An Introduction* course; and

WHEREAS, use of the National Incident Management System, which has as a key component the Incident Command System (ICS), will improve City of Garibaldi's ability to manage major emergencies and disasters; and

WHEREAS, failure to adopt and use the National Incident Management System may preclude Garibaldi from receiving federal preparedness grants or reimbursement for costs expended during major emergency and disaster response and recovery operations; NOW THEREFORE

THE COMMON COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GARIBALDI RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

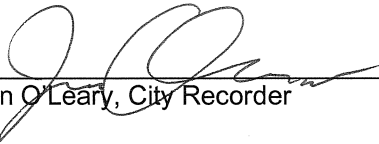
Section 1. The City of Garibaldi hereby adopts the National Incident Management System (NIMS) as its standard for incident management.

Section 2. The City of Garibaldi will cooperate and participate with Federal, State, and local authorities, particularly Tillamook County and local public safety agencies, in training and implementation of the National Incident Management System in the Garibaldi community.

PASSED BY THE COMMON COUNCIL AND APPROVED BY THE MAYOR, this 17th day of January, 2006.


Hon. Everett M. Brown, Mayor

ATTEST:


John O'Leary, City Recorder