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NATIONAL INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (NIMS)

DESIGNATION OF THE NATIONAL INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (NIMS) AS THE BASIS FOR ALL INCIDENT MANAGEMENT IN THE TOWN OF OAKLAND, DOUGLAS COUNTY, WISCONSIN.

WHEREAS, the President in Homeland Security Directive (HSPD)-5, directed the Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security to develop and administer a National Incident Management System (NIMS), which would provide a consistent nationwide approach for Federal, State, Local and Tribal Governments to work together more effectively and efficiently to prevent, prepare for, respond to and recover from domestic incidents, regardless of cause, size or complexity;

WHEREAS, the collective input and guidance from all Federal, State, Local and Tribal homeland security partners has been, and will continue to be, vital to the development, effective implementation and utilization of a comprehensive NIMS;

WHEREAS, it is necessary and desirable that all Federal, State, Local and Tribal emergency agencies and personnel coordinate their efforts to effectively provide the highest levels of incident management;

WHEREAS, to facilitate the most efficient and effective incident management it is critical that Federal, State, Local and Tribal organizations utilize standardized terminology, standardized organizational structures, interoperable communications, consolidated action plans, unified command structures, uniform personnel qualification standards, uniform standard for planning, training, and exercising, comprehensive resource management, and designated incident facilities during emergencies or disaster;

WHEREAS, the NIMS standardized procedures for managing personnel, communications, facilities and resources will improve the State's ability to utilize Federal funding to enhance Local and State agency readiness,

Maintain first responder safety, and streamline incident management processes;

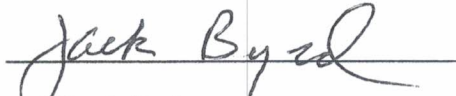
WHEREAS, the Incident Command Systems components of NIMS are already an integral part of various incident management activities throughout the State, including current emergency management training programs; and

WHEREAS, the National Commission on Terrorist attacks (911 Commission) recommended adoption of a standardized Incident Command System;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jack Byrd, Chairperson of the Town of Oakland, Douglas County, Wisconsin, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Statutes and Laws of the State of Wisconsin and the Town of Oakland, do hereby establish the National Incident Management System (NIMS) as the Town standard for incident management.

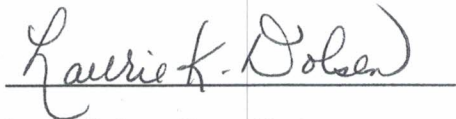
Given under my hand and the Seal of the Town of Oakland, Douglas County, Wisconsin on this

13th day of June 2023.



Jack Byrd, Chairperson

Attest:



Laurie Dolsen, Town Clerk
