

RESOLUTION NO. 2015-____

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SARASOTA COUNTY, FLORIDA, ADOPTING THE COMPREHENSIVE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PLAN AS THE FORMAL GUIDE FOR SARASOTA COUNTY'S EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ACTIVITIES.

WHEREAS, each county emergency management agency established pursuant to authority in Section 252.38(2) Florida Statutes, shall develop and submit to the Board of County Commissioners for adoption of a County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan in compliance with the requirements, format and standards contained in Rule 9G-6, Florida Administrative Code; and

WHEREAS, the County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan will be coordinated and consistent with the provisions of the State Plan; and

WHEREAS, the County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan will include an evacuation component, a shelter component (risk and host events), and a post-disaster and recovery component and will consist of provisions addressing aspects of preparedness, response, recovery and mitigation; and shall identify and describe pre-emergency warning systems, evacuation and sheltering plans, hazard mitigation and other anticipatory actions as well as post-event response and recovery actions; and

WHEREAS, the County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan will assign lead and support responsibilities for county agencies and personnel that coordinate with the emergency support functions outlined in the State plan utilizing the National Incident Management System (NIMS); and

WHEREAS, the County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan shall cover county agencies and resources and should cover applicable municipal agencies and resources, shall interface with plans of contiguous jurisdictions, regional, municipalities and the state comprehensive emergency management plans; and

WHEREAS, the County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan or supporting operating procedure referred to in the plan shall provide a detailed description of the process to be followed at the local level whenever an emergency or disaster occurs as a result of the many consequences generated by natural, technological or manmade causes, Such emergencies include but are not limited to: tornadoes, hurricanes, flooding, freezes, extreme temperatures, disease outbreaks, wildfires, terrorism, drought, hazardous material releases or spills and civil disturbances; and

WHEREAS, the Sarasota County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan, has been determined by the State of Florida Department of Community Affairs Division of Emergency Management to be in compliance with Rule 96G-6, Florida Administrative Code.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF SARASOTA COUNTY, FLORIDA, THAT:

The Sarasota County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan is adopted with a quorum present and voting this the ____ day of _____, 2015.

ATTEST: Karen E. Rushing
Clerk of the Circuit Court
And Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of
County Commissioners

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF
SARASOTA COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: _____

By: _____
Carolyn J. Mason, Chairperson