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RESOLUTION NO. 06-109

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF PALMETTO BAY, FLORIDA; DESIGNATING THE NATIONAL INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (NIMS) AS THE BASIS FOR ALL INCIDENT MANAGEMENT IN THE VILLAGE OF PALMETTO BAY; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the President of the United States 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; and,

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; and,

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

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

WHEREAS, the NIMS standardized procedures for managing personnel, communications, facilities and resources will improve the County's ability to utilize federal funding to enhance local agency readiness, maintain first responder safety and streamline incident management processes; and,

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

42 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND VILLAGE
43 COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF PALMETTO BAY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:
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46 Section 1. The Village Council hereby adopts the National Incident Management
47 System (NIMS) as the standards for incident management in the Village of Palmetto Bay.
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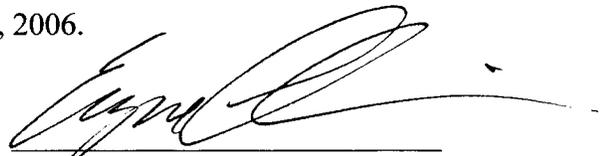
49 Section 2. Emergency response personnel of the Village of Palmetto Bay will
50 complete the required NIMS training appropriate to their level of assigned responsibilities,
51 and maintain that level of training by certification within the timeframe to be established by
52 the Federal requirements for NIMS.
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54 Section 3. This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

55 PASSED and ADOPTED this 6th day of November, 2006.

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57 Attest:


58 Meighan Pier
59 Village Clerk
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61 Eugene P. Flinn, Jr.
62 Mayor
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64 APPROVED AS TO FORM:
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67 Nagin, Gallop & Figueredo, P.A.
68 Village Attorney
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70 FINAL VOTE AT ADOPTION:
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72 Council Member Ed Feller	<u>YES</u>
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74 Council Member Paul Neidhart	<u>YES</u>
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76 Council Member Shelley Stanczyk	<u>YES</u>
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78 Vice-Mayor Linda Robinson	<u>YES</u>
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80 Mayor Eugene P. Flinn, Jr.	<u>YES</u>