RESOLUTION NO. 898

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE NATIONAL INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (NIMS) FOR USE BY CITY OF CANBY PERSONNEL

WHEREAS, Response to and recovery from major emergencies and disaster requires integrated professional management and coordination; and

WHEREAS, the 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 form the private sector and nongovernmental organizations; and

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

WHEREAS, failure to adopt and use the National Incident Management System may preclude the City of Canby from receiving federal preparedness grants or reimbursement for costs expended during major emergency and disaster response and recovery operations.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the City of Canby hereby adopts the National Incident Management System as the foundation for incident command, coordination and support activities. It shall further be the policy of the City of Canby to provide the appropriate training on the National Incident Management System and its core components to personnel responsible for managing and or supporting major emergency and disaster operations.

ADOPTED by the Canby City Council this 1st day of June, 2005.

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Mayor

Attest:

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