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To: Lemoore City Council **Item # 5E**
From: Brooke Austin, Executive Secretary 
Date: May 2, 2013
Subject: Approval – Resolution No. 2013-09 – Adoption of the National Incident Management System (NIMS)

Discussion:

To be eligible for Federal funding, jurisdictions had to be National Incident Management System (NIMS) compliant September 30, 2006. One of the requirements was to formally adopt and implement NIMS into all emergency plans and response. In order to comply with this requirement, Council approved Resolution No. 2008-28 adopting the Kings County Multi-Agency Hazard Mitigation Plan in May of 2008. In addition, in February of 2009, the Lemoore Emergency Operations Plan was approved. Both plans implemented NIMS; however, a resolution formally adopting NIMS was not done. Therefore, the Kings County Office of Emergency Management has asked that Council approve a resolution formally adopting NIMS. The attached Resolution No. 2013-09 has been approved for that purpose.

Budget Impact:

None; however, this ensures the City's eligibility for Federal funding.

Recommendation:

That Council approve Resolution No. 2013-09 adopting the National Incident Management System (NIMS).