

BEFORE THE METRO COUNCIL

FOR THE PURPOSE OF FORMAL)
RECOGNITION OF REGIONAL) RESOLUTION NO. 93-1812A
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT)
WORKPLAN AS A GUIDING) Introduced by Executive Officer
DOCUMENT FOR SETTING UP AN) Rena Cusma
ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE)
FOR MAKING POLICY AND)
STRATEGIC DECISIONS ON)
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT IN)
THE REGION)

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WHEREAS, The proposed Regional Emergency Management Policy Advisory will make recommendations to all local governments and the ultimate regional emergency management policy maker is not known; and

WHEREAS, The membership of the Regional Emergency Management Policy Advisory Committee as described in the draft intergovernmental agreement does not include Metro;

WHEREAS, There is no formal administrative support for the proposed regional emergency management structure; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED,

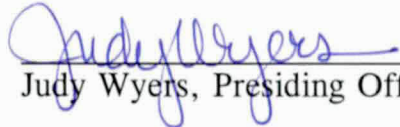
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4. That the administrative support for coordination of regional emergency management should be housed in one jurisdiction.

ADOPTED by the Metro Council this 24th day of June, 1993



Judy Wyers, Presiding Officer

PLANNING COMMITTEE REPORT

CONSIDERATION OF RESOLUTION NO. 93-1812A, RECOGNITION OF THE REGIONAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT WORKPLAN AS A GUIDING DOCUMENT TO SET UP AN ORGANIZATION STRUCTURE FOR MAKING POLICY AND STRATEGIC DECISIONS ON EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT IN THIS REGION

Date: June 15, 1993

Presented by: Councilor Gates

Committee Recommendation: At the June 8 meeting, the Planning Committee voted 5-1 to recommend Council adoption of Resolution No. 93-1812A. Voting in favor: Councilors Kvistad, Devlin, Gates, Monroe, and Moore; voting no: Councilor Van Bergen.

Committee Issues/Discussion: Gerry Uba, Senior Management Analyst, Planning Department, presented the staff report. He identified four issues surrounding this resolution: 1) the proposed boundary for the proposed emergency management region include Columbia County and cities outside the Metro boundary; 2) local jurisdictions and Metro's level of administrative support; 3) creation of a new policy advisory committee; and 4) the role of the Metro Policy Advisory Committee (MPAC). He said the committee may wish to refer this resolution to MPAC and defer a final Council decision until later.

Committee questions centered on the nature of the "190" intergovernmental agreement, the impact of the Charter language which authorizes Metro to exercise several regional planning functions including "metropolitan aspects of natural disaster planning and response coordination", the budgetary implications for FY 93-94 and beyond, and how the organizational structure would function.

During discussion about the role of MPAC, the committee agreed that recommendations from this group should come through the Council rather than go directly to MPAC.

Before approving the resolution, Councilor Moore suggested amending the resolution to correct the numbering and to make the following clarifying change in the third "Whereas":

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