

RESOLUTION No: 020-11**RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE COUNTY EMERGENCY OPERATIONS PLAN**

At a regular meeting of the Board of County Commissioners conducted Thursday, April 28, 2011, there came before the Board the matter of adopting an updated and revised emergency operations plan for the purpose of implementing and maintaining a comprehensive emergency management program to coordinate responses to emergencies or disasters occurring in Johnson County, Kansas.

The Board, upon a motion duly made, seconded and carried, adopted Resolution No. 020-11 , to-wit:

WHEREAS, on March 12, 1981 the Board of County Commissioners adopted Resolution No. 23-81 providing for the preparation and carrying out of plans for the protection of persons and property within Johnson County, Kansas in the event of an emergency or disaster; and

WHEREAS, on December 22, 1988 the Board of County Commissioners adopted Resolution No. 185-88 adopting an Emergency Preparedness Operations Plan for emergencies or disasters occurring in Johnson County, Kansas; and

WHEREAS, on December 17, 1998 and on July 7, 2005 the Board of County Commissioners approved updates to the emergency operation plan, which were adopted by motion and not by a resolution; and

WHEREAS, K.S.A. 48-929(d) provides for and authorizes the Board of county Commissioners to prepare and keep current a disaster emergency plan for the area under its jurisdiction; and

WHEREAS, the Board of county Commissioners deems it necessary, advisable, and in the best interests of the persons and property within Johnson county to revise and update its emergency operations plan for emergencies or disasters occurring in Johnson County, Kansas; and

WHEREAS, the Board of county Commissioners finds that the proposed and revised County Emergency Operations Plan (also known as the CEOP), attached to and made a part of this Resolution, has been prepared in accordance with the guidelines established and approved by the Kansas Division of Emergency Preparedness and is recommended for approval by the Johnson County Office of Emergency Management & Homeland Security.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Johnson County, Kansas, that the County Emergency Operations Plan, attached to and made a part of this Resolution, be and hereby is adopted and that the Plan shall be the disaster emergency plan used in the event of emergencies or disasters occurring in Johnson County, Kansas.

BE IT, FURTHER, RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Johnson County, Kansas that a copy of the County Emergency Operations Plan hereby adopted shall be filed with the Johnson County Office of Emergency Management & Homeland Security and shall be open to inspection and available to the public at all reasonable business hours. Further, the Johnson County Office of Emergency Management & Homeland Security shall prepare and distribute to all appropriate officials in written form a clear and complete statement of the emergency responsibilities of all local agencies and officials and the disaster chain of command.

BE IT, FURTHER, RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Johnson County Kansas, that this Resolution supersedes Resolution No. 185-88 and all other previously approved updates to the Emergency Operation Plan and hereby repeals any portions therein contained which are inconsistent with this Resolution.

This resolution shall be effective upon its adoption.


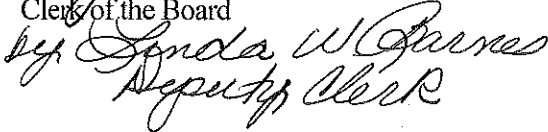
Resolution No. 020-11 adopted this 28th day of April, 2011.

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OF JOHNSON COUNTY, KANSAS

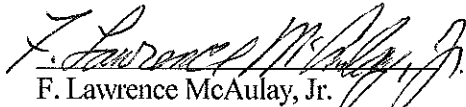

Ed Eilert, Chairman

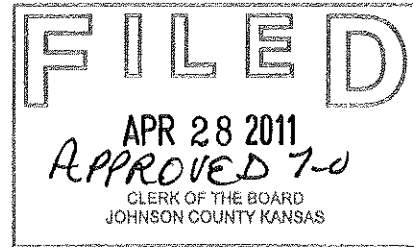


ATTEST:


Clerk of the Board

Deputy Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


F. Lawrence McAulay, Jr.
Director of Legal Services



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