

RESOLUTION 05-02
FOR WAUPONSEE TOWNSHIP
AND
WAUPONSEE TOWNSHIP ROAD DISTRICT
GRUNDY COUNTY, ILLINOIS

WHEREAS, Wauponsee Township and Wauponsee Township Road District, Grundy County, Illinois believe it to be in the best interest to adopt the National Incident Management System(NIMS) in accordance with the Homeland Security President Directive - 5; and

WHEREAS, Emergency Response to critical incidents, whether natural or manmade, requires integrated professional management; and

WHEREAS, United command of such incidents is recognized as the management model to maximize the public safety response; and

WHEREAS, The NIMS has been identified by the Federal Government as being requisite emergency management system for all political subdivisions, including the Township of Wauponsee and the Wauponsee Township Road District; and

WHEREAS, NIMS establishes a single, comprehensive approach to emergency and disaster management to ensure that all levels of government across the nation have the capability to work efficiently and effectively together using a national approach to emergencies or disasters regardless of the cause, size, or complexity; and

WHEREAS, Failure to adopt NIMS as the requisite emergency management system may preclude reimbursement to the Township of Wauponsee and the Wauponsee Township Road District for costs expended during and after a declared emergency or disaster, and for training and preparation for such disasters or emergencies.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY Board of Trustees of Wauponsee and the Highway Commissioner of Wauponsee Township Road District, Grundy County, Illinois, that;

WAUPONSEE Township and Wauponsee Township Road District shall adopt the National Incident Management System concept of emergency planning and unified command.

PASSED THIS 14th day of September, 2005, by the Board of Trustees of Wauponsee Township, and the Highway Commissioner of Wauponsee Township Road District, Grundy County, Illinois.