

# **MEMORANDUM**

**DATE**: October 20, 2020

TO: Mayor Patz and Councilmembers

**FROM:** Lori Elefant, Management Analyst, Human Resources

Trish Raver, Human Resources Director

**SUBJECT:** City Council Guide to Disaster Operations

#### RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the City Council conduct a study session on Disaster Operations, specifically City Council's role in Disaster Operations.

# **BACKGROUND**

For 2019-2020, the City Council established Disaster Preparedness as one of their priorities/goals to focus on during the year. Human Resources staff has created a "City Council Guide to Disaster Operations" guidebook, and, based on the guidebook, a presentation for City Council relevant to this priority/goal.

# **DISCUSSION**

During the study session, the Human Resources Department will present on the guidebook which includes the following sections:

- 1. Introduction to Disaster Operations and the City Council's Role
- 2. Overview of Disaster Preparedness
- 3. City of Emeryville's Emergency Management Organization
- 4. Emergency Operations Center (EOC) Organization
- 5. Responding to a Disaster
- 6. City Council Preparedness

#### FISCAL IIMPACT

There is no fiscal impact from presenting this information.

# STAFF COMMUNICATION WITH THE PUBLIC

None

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# CONCLUSION

Staff recommends the City Council conduct this Study Session on Disaster Operations.

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# APPROVED AND FORWARDED TO THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EMERYVILLE

Christine Daniel, City Manager

# **ATTACHMENTS**

- Presentation on City Council Guide to Disaster Operations
- City Council Guide to Disaster Operations 2020