



City Council

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EUGENE CITY COUNCIL AGENDA

June 26, 2024

12:00 p.m. CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION

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Meeting of June 26, 2024; Her Honor Mayor Lucy Vinis Presiding

Councilors

Matt Keating, President

Jennifer Yeh

Mike Clark

Lyndsie Leech

Randy Groves, Vice President

Alan Zelenka

Greg Evans

Emily Semple

12:00 p.m. CITY COUNCIL WORK SESSION

1. WORK SESSION: Emergency Management and Preparedness

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June 26, 2024 Work Session

EUGENE CITY COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY



Work Session: Emergency Management and Preparedness

Meeting Date: June 26, 2024
Department: Central Services
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Agenda Item Number: 1
Staff Contact: Jennifer Lleras Van Der Haeghen
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ISSUE STATEMENT

The City of Eugene Emergency Management program helps the organization and community prepare, respond to, and recover from disasters and other emergencies. This work session is an opportunity for the Mayor and City Council to receive information about their role and responsibilities as elected officials in emergency situations.

BACKGROUND

The Eugene Springfield Multi-Jurisdictional Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) is an all-hazards plan which outlines how the cities of Eugene and Springfield will prepare for and respond to emergencies. The purpose of the plan is to establish a comprehensive approach to protect the life, safety and health of the community. The Basic Plan describes how the cities' emergency management systems are organized and provides a framework for collaboration and coordination in order to provide the most efficient and effective use of resources during emergencies and major disasters. The Basic Plan also supports and facilitates emergency management coordination at the federal, state, and county levels.

Section 3.2.1 of the EOP outlines the role for Mayor and Council in emergency situations. Mayors and City Councils general responsibilities include:

- Convene the City Council for emergency session(s). (*Mayor*)
- Assist in communication and coordination efforts with elected officials of other governmental entities. (*Mayor*)
- Ensure the line of succession. (*Mayor and City Council*)
- Be available to address the community and act as a conduit of communications and support within their respective wards or at evacuation centers. (*Mayor and City Council*)
- Review emergency expenditures and ensure adequate appropriation of financial resources to meet emergency expenses. (*Mayor and City Council*)
- Coordinate emergency public information with City Manager's Office staff and Lead Public Information Officer (PIO) assigned to the EOC. (*Mayor and City Council*)
- Meet as needed to provide policy direction and enact ordinances to reduce the impact to residents. Examples may include flood plain ordinances, land use and development codes, and anti-price-gouging ordinances. (*Mayor and City Council*)

Additional information about roles and responsibilities for other City officials and the community will be addressed during the work session.

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RELATED CITY POLICIES

The [City of Eugene Strategic Plan](#) outlines direction and organizational priorities for the 2023-2026 period.

This item aligns with the Urgent Community Needs focus area within the plan.

- Strategic Goal: Advance climate action and community resilience to natural and human-caused disasters.
 - o High-Impact Action: Continue to prepare for natural disasters through implementation of the Natural Hazards Mitigation Plan and the Emergency Operations Plan.

[Eugene Springfield Multi-Jurisdictional Emergency Operations Plan](#)

PREVIOUS COUNCIL DIRECTION

None.

COUNCIL OPTIONS

Information Only.

CITY MANAGER'S RECOMMENDATION

Information Only.

SUGGESTED MOTION

None.

ATTACHMENTS

None.

FOR MORE INFORMATION

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