

**EAST PROSPECT BOROUGH
YORK COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

RESOLUTION NO.: 4-2007

A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE NATIONAL INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (NIMS) AND RECOMMENDING THAT ALL PUBLIC SAFETY AGENCIES, EMERGENCY RESPONDERS, HAZARDOUS MATERIAL USERS AND TRANSPORTERS, HOSPITALS AND SCHOOL DISTRICTS SITUATED WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY ADOPT NIMS ALSO.

WHEREAS, pursuant to Homeland Security Directive (HSPD)-5, the President of the United States directed the Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security to develop and administer a National Incident Management System (NIMS), which would provide a consistent nationwide approach for federal, state, local, and tribal governments to work together more effectively and efficiently to prevent, prepare for, respond to, and recover from domestic incidents, regardless of cause, size, or complexity; and

WHEREAS, NIMS provides for interoperability and compatibility among Federal, State, and local capabilities and includes a core set of concepts, principles, terminology, and technologies covering the incident command system, unified command, training, management of resources and reporting; and

WHEREAS, by Proclamation, dated December 20, 2004, the Governor of Pennsylvania mandated that NIMS be utilized for management of all incidents within the Commonwealth and that such Proclamation to be effective immediately; and

WHEREAS, failure to adopt NIMS as the requisite emergency management system may preclude reimbursement to a political subdivision for the costs expended during and after a declared emergency or disaster and for training and preparation for such disasters or emergencies.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT SO RESOLVED by the Borough Council of East Prospect Borough that the Borough of East Prospect hereby adopts the National Incident Management System (NIMS) and recommends that all public safety agencies, emergency responders, hazardous materials users and transporters, hospitals, and school districts situated within or serving East Prospect Borough do the same.

APPROVED at a duly convened meeting of the Borough Council this 11 day of September, 2007.

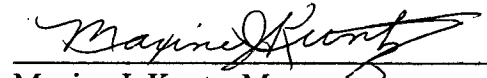
Attest:


Donald E. Barshinger, Secretary

EAST PROSPECT BOROUGH
COUNCIL


Blaine C. Garner, President

APPROVED this 11 day of September, 2007.


Maxine J. Kuntz, Mayor