RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2018-449

MEETING: September 18, 2018

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Doug Binnewies, Sheriff-Coroner-Public Administrator

RE: Mariposa County Emergency Operations Plan 2018

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Approve the proposed comprehensive Mariposa County Emergency Operations Plan (EOP).

The Mariposa County Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) of 2005 continues in draft form and has been periodically updated over the years. However, in late 2016 it was the consensus of county government that the EOP should be comprehensively reviewed and brought up to current best practices.

In 2017, Paul Bockrath of Preparative Consulting, through collaboration between state and local personnel, was identified as having the expertise, knowledge and background to help Mariposa County build a comprehensive all-hazards emergency operation plan.

This effort was spearheaded by primary county departments, including federal, state and local stakeholders to prepare this proposed all-hazards Emergency Operations Plan for Mariposa County which incorporates current best practices.

The Mariposa County Emergency Operations Plan is a multi-discipline, all hazards plan that establishes a single, comprehensive framework for the management of extraordinary incidents, disaster, or emergency situations within Mariposa County. The plan provides the concepts, processes and structures necessary when carrying out assigned roles and functional responsibilities to departments and agencies, consistent with California’s Standardized Emergency Management System (SEMS), the National Incident Management System (NIMS) and the Incident Command System (ICS).

This plan was developed in accordance with best practices, and specifically with guidance from the California Governor’s Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Comprehensive Planning Guide (CPG101).

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:
The Mariposa County Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) exists but was in need of updating. The Board was previously briefed and supported the comprehensive review and rebuild of the working EOP document. The EOP is a required document for response and recovery related funding.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:
Continue to use the 2005 working draft version which could possibly jeopardize participation in Federal and/or State grant funding as well as disaster/incident cost-recovery mechanisms.

ATTACHMENTS:
Mariposa County Emergency Operations Plan 2018

RESULT: ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Kevin Cann, District IV Supervisor
SECONDER: Marshall Long, District III Supervisor
AYES: Smallcombe, Jones, Long, Cann, Menetrey