

**Monterey County Fire Chiefs ASSOCIATION  
FIRE OPERATIONS MANUAL  
Section 2 - Appendix A**

**RESOLUTION NO.**

**A RESOLUTION AGREEING TO PARTICIPATE IN A  
MONTEREY COUNTY AREA MUTUAL AID PLAN**

**WHEREAS**, the \_\_\_\_\_ (entity)  
provides adequate fire protection resources for ordinary emergency response requirements within  
its jurisdiction;

**WHEREAS**, local resources can become exhausted during the small percentage of large  
magnitude fire or disaster occurrences;

**WHEREAS**, mutual aid is the most cost-effective method of providing sufficient  
resources to a local jurisdiction for those extraordinary occurrences;

**WHEREAS**, it is of mutual benefit for fire agencies located within the County of  
Monterey to provide supplemental resources to each other in the event of a local emergency or  
disaster;

**WHEREAS**, a county area mutual aid plan is encouraged by, and is compatible with the  
State of California Emergency Services Act;

**WHEREAS**, participation in a county area mutual aid plan will not impose liability on  
the local entity;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THE** \_\_\_\_\_ (entity)  
does hereby agree: (1) to authorize their fire protection agency to provide mutual aid assistance  
to each participating city, district, state or federal organization, as identified in the Monterey  
County Area Mutual Aid Plan approved by the Monterey County Fire Chiefs Association  
\_\_\_\_\_ (day) of \_\_\_\_\_ (month), 200\_ and as may be amended from time to time by  
the Monterey County Fire Chiefs Association and ratified by this body.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the \_\_\_\_\_ (entity)  
this \_\_\_\_ day \_\_\_\_\_ of 200 \_\_\_\_, by the following vote:

**AYES:**

**NOES:**

**ABSENT:**

**APPROVED:**

**ATTEST:**