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**Board of Supervisors
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Deferral of Status Report on Emergency Management Plan

Dear Members of the Board:

On August 25, 1998 your Board received a status report on the development of the County's emergency management plan. At that time, staff anticipated that the plan draft would be ready for presentation to your Board after review by the County Disaster and Operational Area Councils.

The State Office of Emergency Services forwarded guidelines in September for including additional work elements related to crisis and consequence management following the President's national security directive from last year. These additional elements necessitated a change in the anticipated adoption schedule. Staff project that these elements can be included in the draft plan, reviewed by County staff and presented to the County Disaster Council and Operational Area Council for review by December. Following those meetings, any specific recommendations for revisions made by the respective Councils will be considered for addition to the plan draft prior to presentation to your Board for final approval.

It is therefore RECOMMENDED that your Board defer the status report on the local emergency management plan development and direct the General Services Department - Emergency Services Division to return with a further report on or before December 15, 1998.

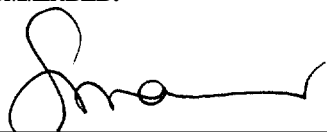
Very truly yours,

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RECOMMENDED:



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