

**Ref: 2008-MM24.4**

September 30, 2008

**EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:**

City Council on September 24 and 25, 2008, referred the following Motion to the Executive Committee:

**MM24.4 Report on Follow-up Procedures After a Disaster - the Secord Fire and Sunrise Propane Explosion**  
*Moved by Councillor Del Grande, seconded by Councillor Ford*

**SUMMARY:**

The City has experienced two major traumas on its citizens, namely the Secord Fire and the Sunrise Propane Explosion.

The City has an Emergency Preparedness Plan but it is unclear whether that plan has a follow through after a disaster is addressed.

For example, in the Propane scenario what after help was provided? Was there a central co-ordinating activity to bring resources, both City and private/public, in a one-stop help format?

**RECOMMENDATION:**

1. That City Council request the City Manager to submit a report to Council, through the Executive Committee, on the post-disaster recovery activity, its effectiveness, completeness and organizational framework, for the Secord and Sunrise occurrences.

for City Clerk

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