RESOLUTION NO. 10-2005

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS, ADOPTING THE NATIONAL INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM (NIMS).

WHEREAS, the National Incident Management System (NIMS) is a core set of doctrine, concepts, principles, terminology, and organizational processes to enhance collaborative and incident management at all levels; and

WHEREAS, Governor Perry approved by Executive Order the National Incident Management System (NIMS) as the state standard in February 2005; and

WHEREAS, the Division of Emergency Management (DEM) requires all states to adopt NIMS as the standard means of managing emergencies at the state and local levels; and

WHEREAS, the Homeland Security Presidential Directive mandates that federal departments and agencies adopt NIMS as a condition for federal assistance; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Council of the City of Abilene, Texas are hereby authorized to adopt the National Incident Management System – Incident Command Systems as the standard command and control system during emergency operations; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ABILENE, TEXAS:

PART 1: That the National Incident Management System (NIMS) is approved.

PART 2: That this resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

PASSED this 28th day of April, A.D. 2005.

ATTEST:

APPROVED:

Staron & Hicks

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