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**VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**

ORDINANCE NO. 1086

**AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AND APPROVING THE
EXECUTION OF AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT
FOR THE VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK TO PARTICIPATE IN
THE ILLINOIS LAW ENFORCEMENT ALARM SYSTEM, FOR
THE VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK, COUNTY OF COOK, STATE
OF ILLINOIS.**

**ADOPTED BY THE
PRESIDENT AND BOARD OF TRUSTEES
OF THE
VILLAGE OF MELROSE PARK**

THIS 10TH DAY OF SEPTEMBER 2007

**RONALD M. SERPICO, Village President
MARY ANN PAOLANTONIO SALEMI, Village Clerk**

Board Of Trustees

**JOHN S. CONTEDEUCA
CATHLEEN COSSIDENT ITALIA
THOMAS KLEIN
ARTURO J. MOTA
ANTHONY J. PRIGNANO
MARY RAMIREZ TACONI**

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**Published by authority of the
President and Board of Trustees
Of the Village of Melrose Park,
Cook County, Illinois on
This 11TH day of SEPTEMBER 2007**

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WHEREAS, the Village of Melrose Park, County of Cook, State of Illinois (the "Village") is a duly organized and existing village created under the provisions of the laws of the State of Illinois, and is now operating under the provisions of the Illinois Municipal Code, and all laws amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, with full powers to enact ordinances for the benefit of the residents of the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Village President (the "President"), the Honorable Ronald M. Serpico, the Village Clerk, the Honorable Mary Ann Paolantonio Salemi, having taken office on May 2, 2005, and the Board of Trustees of the Village (the "Village Board"), the Honorable John S. Conteduca, Cathleen Cossident Italia, Thomas "TK" Klein, Arturo J. Mota, Anthony J. Prignano and Mary Ramirez Taconi, having taken office on May 14, 2007, constitute the duly elected, qualified and acting officials of the Village; and

WHEREAS, emergency response to critical incidents, whether natural or manmade, requires integrated professional management; and

WHEREAS, unified command among regional areas of such incidents is recognized as the management model to maximize the public safety response; and

WHEREAS, The National Incident Management System ("NIMS") has been identified by the United States federal government as being the requisite emergency management system for all political subdivisions; and

WHEREAS, failure to adopt and approve NIMS as the requisite emergency management system may preclude reimbursement to the Village for costs expended during and after a declared emergency or disaster and for training and preparation for such disasters or emergencies; and

WHEREAS, there exists an intergovernmental agreement providing for mutual aid and participation in the Illinois Law Enforcement Alarm System (“ILEAS”) in order to secure benefit of mutual aid in response to natural or manmade occurrences which may result in emergencies that exceed the resources, equipment and/or law enforcement personnel of the participating municipalities (the “Agreement”), a copy of which is attached hereto and incorporated herein as Exhibit “A”; and

WHEREAS, the President and the Village Board (collectively, the “Corporate Authorities”) find that it is advisable, necessary and in the best interests of the Village and its residents for the Village to be as prepared as possible for emergency response to critical incidents and to be able to assist other nearby political subdivisions when able; and

WHEREAS, the Corporate Authorities find that it is advisable, necessary and in the best interests of the Village and its residents for the Village to approve, execute, and enter into the Agreement; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the President and Board of Trustees of the Village of Melrose Park, Cook County, Illinois, as follows:

**ARTICLE I.
IN GENERAL**

Section 01. Incorporation Clause.

All of the recitals hereinbefore stated as contained in the preambles to this Ordinance are full, true and correct, and the Corporate Authorities do hereby, by reference, incorporate and make them part of this Ordinance as legislative findings.

Section 02. Purpose.

The purpose of this Ordinance is to authorize the President or his designee to enter into and approve the Agreement and to take all steps necessary to carry out the intention of this Ordinance.

Section 03. Invocation of Authority.

This Ordinance is enacted pursuant to the authority granted to this Village by the Constitution of the State of Illinois and the Illinois Compiled Statutes.

Section 04. State Law Adopted.

All applicable provisions of the Illinois Compiled Statutes, including the Illinois Municipal Code, as may be amended from time to time, relating to the purposes of this Ordinance are hereby incorporated herein by reference.

Sections 05-09. Reserved.

**ARTICLE II.
AUTHORIZATION**

Section 10.00. Authorization.

That the Village Board hereby authorizes and directs the President or his designee and the Village Attorney to enter into and approve the Agreement in substantially the same form as attached hereto, in accordance with its terms, or any modification thereof, and to ratify any and

all previous action taken to effectuate the intent of this Ordinance. The Village Board further authorizes and directs the President to execute the Agreement, with such insertions, omissions and changes as shall be approved by the President and the Village Attorney. The Village Clerk is hereby authorized and directed to attest to and countersign and/or record the Agreement and any such other documentation as may be necessary to carry out and effectuate the purpose of this Ordinance. The Village Clerk is also authorized and directed to affix the Seal of the Village to such documentation as is necessary. That the Corporate Authorities hereby authorize the officers, employees and/or agents of the Village to take all action necessary or reasonably required to carry out, give effect to and consummate the intent of this Ordinance and to take all action necessary in conformity therewith.

Section 11.00 – Section 15.00 Reserved.

**ARTICLE III.
SAVINGS CLAUSES,
PUBLICATION, EFFECTIVE DATE**

Section 16.00 Headings.

The headings for the articles, sections, paragraphs and sub-paragraphs of this Ordinance are inserted solely for the convenience of reference and form no substantive part of this Ordinance nor should they be used in any interpretation or construction of any substantive provisions of this Ordinance.

Section 17.00 Severability.

The provisions of this Ordinance are hereby declared to be severable and should any provision, clause, sentence, paragraph, sub-paragraph, section, or part of this Ordinance be determined to be in conflict with any law, statute or regulation by a court of competent jurisdiction, said provision, clause, sentence, paragraph, sub-paragraph, section, or part shall be

excluded and deemed inoperative, unenforceable, and as though not provided for herein, and all other provisions shall remain unaffected, unimpaired, valid and in full force and effect. It is hereby declared to be the legislative intent of the Village Board that this Ordinance would have been adopted had not such unconstitutional or invalid provision, clause, sentence, paragraph, sub-paragraph, section, or part thereof been included.

Section 18.00 Repeal of Prior Ordinances.

All prior ordinances and resolutions in conflict or inconsistent herewith are hereby expressly repealed only to the extent of such conflict or inconsistency.

Section 19.00 Publication.

A full, true and complete copy of this Ordinance shall be published in pamphlet form or in a newspaper published and of general circulation within the Village as provided by the Illinois Municipal Code, as amended.

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Section 20.00 Effective Date.

This Ordinance shall be in full force and effect upon its passage, approval and publication, as provided by law.

On The Individual Poll And Voice Vote Of The Board of Trustees:

AYE VOTES: Trustee Conteduca, Trustee Mota, Trustee Prignano,
Trustee Taconi

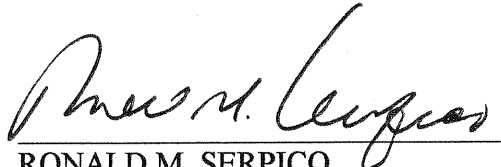
NAY VOTES:

ABSTAIN:


ABSENT: Trustee Italia, Trustee Klein

SO PASSED, ADOPTED, APPROVED AND ENACTED IN AND AT THE VILLAGE
OF MELROSE PARK, COUNTY OF COOK, STATE OF ILLINOIS, THIS TENTH DAY OF
SEPTEMBER, 2007 A.D.

APPROVED:


RONALD M. SERPICO,
VILLAGE PRESIDENT

ATTEST:


Mary Ann Paolantonio Salemi
Village Clerk

(SEAL)

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