

**RESOLUTION NO. 2019-1665**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PRESCOTT, YAVAPAI COUNTY, ARIZONA, AUTHORIZING THE CITY OF PRESCOTT (“CITY”) TO ADOPT AN EMERGENCY OPERATION PLAN (2019 EDITION); AND AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR AND STAFF TO TAKE ANY AND ALL STEPS NECESSARY TO ACCOMPLISH THE ABOVE.**

**RECITALS:**

WHEREAS, the City of Prescott (“City”), is obligated to adopt an Emergency Management Plan; and

WHEREAS, the City of Prescott Emergency Operations Plan (COPEOP) is coordinated with the State of Arizona Emergency Response and Recovery Plan (SEERP) and sets forth specific delegations of authority and delineates responsibilities of the City of Prescott personnel, officials and resource use and allocation in the event of an emergency; and

WHEREAS, The COPEOP meets the requirements of the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Comprehensive Planning Guide (CPG-101), the relevant portions of Title 26 of the Arizona Revised Statutes, including, but not limited to A.R.S. §26-308 which mandates: “State emergency plans shall be in effect in each such political subdivision of the state. The governing body of each such political subdivision shall take such action as is necessary to carry out the provisions thereof, including the development of additional emergency plans for political subdivisions in support of the state emergency plans”; and

WHEREAS, the City, in cooperation with Yavapai County Office of Emergency Management has prepared the COPEOP to provide a framework for the allocation of resources for the benefit of the City and its civilian population in an emergency response; and

WHEREAS, it is in the best interests of the City to adopt the COPEOP.

**ENACTMENTS:**

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PRESCOTT AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. THAT the City hereby approves and adopts the City of Prescott Emergency Operations Plan (2019 Edition).

Section 2. THAT the Mayor and Staff are hereby authorized to execute and operate under the auspices of the City of Prescott Emergency Operations Plan (2019

