

## CITY OF SAINT PAUL

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## **PROMULGATION**

Local government is responsible for ensuring the health, safety and welfare of its citizens. The welfare and safety of citizens is never more threatened than during disasters. The goal of emergency management is to ensure that mitigation, preparedness, response, and recovery actions exist so that public welfare and safety are preserved.

The City of Saint Paul has developed its first comprehensive Emergency Operations Plan (EOP) to ensure effective allocation of resources during an emergency to protect life, property and the environment.

The EOP provides a comprehensive framework for the City of Saint Paul's emergency management program. It addresses the roles and responsibilities of government organizations and provides a link to local, State, Federal, and private organizations and resources that may be activated to address disasters and emergencies on Saint Paul Island.

This document meets the requirements of the National Incident Management System. The City of Saint Paul Emergency Operations Plan ensures consistency with current policy guidance and describes the interrelationship with other levels of government. The plan will continue to evolve, responding to lessons learned from actual disaster and emergency experiences, ongoing planning efforts, training and exercise activities, and Federal guidance.

Therefore, in recognition of the emergency management responsibilities of the City of Saint Paul government and with the authority vested in me as the Mayor of the City of Saint Paul, I hereby promulgate the City of Saint Paul Emergency Operations Plan.

Jacob Merculief, Mayor	Date