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A PROCLAMATION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRISBANE RECOGNIZING SEPTEMBER 2010 AS NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS MONTH

WHEREAS, President Obama has declared September as National Preparedness Month; and

WHEREAS, this year is the fifth anniversary of Hurricane Katrina, one of the most tragic and destructive disasters in American history; and

WHEREAS, all Americans are asked to participate in strengthening the security and resilience of our Nation by preparing for the full range of hazards threatening the United States in the 21st Century; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of Brisbane and employees of Brisbane businesses can prepare themselves by:

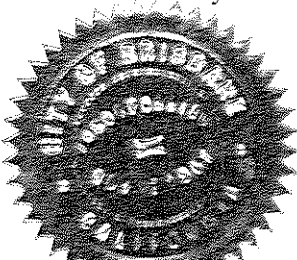
- Getting an emergency supply kit
- Making a family emergency plan
- Becoming informed about different emergencies that may affect them
- Getting involved in community preparedness and response efforts; and

WHEREAS, opportunities to obtain information and get involved include:

- Obtaining disaster preparedness skills by attending the free, city-sponsored Community Emergency Response Team training
- Visiting websites such as Ready.gov and Citizen Corps.gov
- Attending the September 18 San Mateo County Disaster Preparedness Day fair
- Visiting the city's Public Safety Booth at the Community Festival on October 2
- Participating in the Brisbane Community Emergency Volunteers;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Brisbane does hereby proclaim September 2010, "National Preparedness Month," and calls upon all citizens and civic organizations to reaffirm their commitment to readiness and the necessity of preparedness.

Dated this 13th day of September, 2010.



W. Clarke Conway
Mayor of the City of Brisbane