TOWN OF PALM BEACH

Information for Town Council Meeting on: July 10, 2018

To: Mayor and Town Council

Via: Kirk W. Blouin, Town Manager

From: Darrel Donatto, Fire Rescue Chief & Director of Emergency Management

Re: Approval of 2018 Statewide Mutual Aid Agreement

Resolution No. 90-2018

Date: April 10, 2018

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the Town Council approve Resolution No. 90-2018 authorizing the 2018 Statewide Mutual Aid Agreement, and that the Mayor sign the Agreement on behalf of the Town.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The State of Florida Emergency Management Act, Chapter 252, authorizes the State and its political subdivisions to provide emergency aid and assistance in the event of a disaster or emergency. The statute also authorizes the State to coordinate the provision of any equipment, services, or facilities owned or organized by the State or its political subdivisions for use in the affected area upon the request of the duly constituted authority of the area.

Approval of the Statewide Mutual Aid Agreement will allow the Town to maximize the prompt, full and effective use of resources of the State and participating governments in the event of an emergency or disaster.

FUNDING/FISCAL IMPACT

There is no funding/fiscal impact until such a time as resources are required under the Agreement due to an emergency or disaster event.

TOWN ATTORNEY REVIEW

The Town Attorney has reviewed Resolution No. 90-2018 and approves same as to legal form and sufficiency.

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cc: Darrel Donatto, Fire Rescue Chief

Dean Mealy, Purchasing Manager John Randolph, Town Attorney