

Agenda Summary Report (ASR)

Franklin County Board of Commissioners

DATE SUBMITTED: 09-26-2022	PREPARED BY: Sean Davis
Meeting Date Requested: 10-4-2022	PRESENTED BY: Chris Lee
ITEM: X Consent Agenda <input type="checkbox"/> Brought Before the Board Time needed:	
SUBJECT: Approval of Revision 7 of the Franklin County, Columbia Generating Station Emergency Preparedness Plan via resolution	
FISCAL IMPACT: None	
<p>BACKGROUND: FEMA revised and published a major update to the Radiological Emergency Preparedness Program Manual, released in December 2019. This revision, required a re-write of our local plan in order to stay in compliance with the new guidance document.</p> <p>Washington State Emergency Management was involved in the coordination process of this plan. Washington State Emergency Management reviewed the Franklin County, Columbia Generating Station Emergency Preparedness Plan and agreed the plan was ready to be submitted to FEMA for approval.</p> <p>FEMA approved the plan on August 15, 2022. Upon FEMA's approval, Franklin County will utilize this plan as the basis for any FEMA training, drills and/or exercise for the Radiological Preparedness Program. Additionally, Franklin County will use this plan as the basis for a response to an emergency emanating from the Columbia Generating Station nuclear plant on the Hanford Nuclear Reservation.</p>	
RECOMMENDATION: Approval of the Franklin County, Columbia Generating Station Emergency Preparedness Plan	
COORDINATION: The revision of this plan was coordinated with entities throughout the Benton and Franklin County area. All response agencies and applicable public, private and non-governmental agencies were all included in the re-write process. Washington State Emergency Management and FEMA Region X have both reviewed and approved the document as ready for implementation starting with the September and October 2022 Nuclear Plant exercises.	
ATTACHMENTS: FEMA Rx approval document/email and exercise report or synopsis Hyperlink to the plan: https://franklinem.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/09/CGS-REP-Rev7.pdf	
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I certify the above information is accurate and complete.



Sean Davis, Director

FRANKLIN COUNTY RESOLUTION _____

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS,
FRANKLIN COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

***APPROVAL OF THE FRANKLIN COUNTY, COLUMBIA GENERATING STATION
EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS PLAN***

WHEREAS, the Franklin County, Columbia Generating Station Emergency Preparedness Plan has been re-written to be in compliance with the REP Program Manual issued by FEMA in December 2019;

WHEREAS, Washington State Emergency Management has reviewed the Franklin County, Columbia Generating Station Emergency Preparedness Plan and approved the written document to be forwarded to FEMA for approval;

WHEREAS, FEMA has evaluated the Franklin County, Columbia Generating Station Emergency Preparedness Plan and approved the written document on August 15, 2022;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Franklin County Board of Commissioners hereby adopts the Franklin County, Columbia Generating Station Emergency Preparedness Plan and subsequent revisions.

APPROVED this day of October 2022.

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
FRANKLIN COUNTY, WASHINGTON**

Chair

Chair Pro Tem

Member

ATTEST:

Clerk to the Board