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TO: S. Michael Rummel, Chair

Financial and Administrative Committee

FROM: Barry Burton, County Administrator

Rodney S. Marion, Human Resources Director

RE: Pay Range Upgrade- Emergency Manager

Your favorable consideration is requested to approve a salary range upgrade for the Emergency Manager position.

Current-Vacancy	Paygrade	Min.	<u>Mid</u>		Max
Emergency Management					
Coordinator	M9		\$74,438	\$93,048	\$78,649
	TO				
Proposed					
Emergency Manager	M12		\$112,270	\$140,287	\$168,304

County Administrator has had difficulty recruiting for the position of Emergency Manager. The qualified and highly qualified candidates are earning significantly more than the current starting salary of \$74,438. Human Resources conducted a salary survey and found that the local market's average pay grade minimums for the position is \$113,659.

If approved the hiring range would increase by \$37,832 to \$47,239. The department's operating budget can absorb the increase.

Thank you for your consideration of this request.