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RE: Santa Clara County Emergency Manager's Association (SCCEMA) and Milpitas Office of Emergency Services (OES) donation of All Hazards Emergency Alert Radios for Milpitas Unified Schools.

Proposal:

The Milpitas Unified School District (MUSD) has over 12,000 students, enrolled in a total of 14 MUSD Schools, serving students from Pre-Kindergarten through 12th grade. OES, along with the SCCEMA, recognizes the necessity to assist schools in preparation for emergency events, including early alert warning systems. Milpitas OES is proposing to provide each school within MUSD with one National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) All Hazards Radio.

Benefit:

Early notification of a pending disaster allows school district personnel to respond quickly, protect property and meet basic human needs in the aftermath of a catastrophic incident. This project will significantly enhance the City of Milpitas' ability to provide Public Alert and Warning to the larger educational community, one of our most vulnerable populations during weekdays through the school year when children are away from their parents and/or legal guardian.

Radio Dissemination:

The All Hazards Radios will be delivered to the school district offices upon acceptance by the MUSD School Board.

Obligation:

There is no obligation on behalf of the school district other than to utilize the radios as the instructions provide and take general care of them. In the event the radio becomes broken or non-functional, please return the radio to OES (see sticker on radio for return instructions).

For additional questions, please reach out to Toni Charlop, OES Coordinator for the City of Milpitas, (408) 586-2801, tcharlop@ci.milpitas.ca.gov.