ECONOMIC / BUSINESS IMPACT ESTIMATE

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF CHARLOTTE COUNTY, FLORIDA, AMENDING CHAPTER 2-1, ARTICLE III, SECTION 2-1-36, OF THE CODE OF LAWS AND ORDINANCES OF CHARLOTTE COUNTY, FLORIDA: "EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT OFFICE CREATED"; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICT WITH OTHER ORDINANCES; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

PUBLIC PURPOSE:

The ordinance is designed to establish the Office of Emergency Management ("OEM") as an independent Department, separate from the Department of Public Safety. The Ordinance serves the public health by ensuring the efficient management of the OEM.

ECONOMIC IMPACT:
(Part A)

Consider costs and benefits to everyone affected by the proposed ordinance. Identify specific groups that will be impacted and estimate costs and benefits.

A. *Cost of Implementation of Ordinance*
-The costs associated with the ordinance are de minimis.

B. *Source of Funds/Ultimate Burden of Costs*
-The ultimate costs of implementing the ordinance will be borne by administration.

C. *Benefits of Implementation*
-The benefits of implementation are an improved organizational structure placing the OEM in a more streamlined position in order to establish a more direct line of communication with Administration.

D. *Describe data/methods used to make above estimates*