

**CITY OF LA VISTA  
MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL REPORT  
MARCH 16, 2010 AGENDA**

<b>Subject:</b>	<b>Type:</b>	<b>Submitted By:</b>
PANDEMIC INFLUENZA PREPAREDNESS PLAN	◆RESOLUTION ORDINANCE RECEIVE/FILE	BOB LAUSTEN POLICE CHIEF

**SYNOPSIS**

A resolution has been prepared to approve the Pandemic Influenza Preparedness Plan developed by the City's Pandemic Influenza Leadership Operations Team (PILOT).

**FISCAL IMPACT**

N/A

**RECOMMENDATION**

Approval.

**BACKGROUND**

Although the threat of a global pandemic is not a new phenomenon, it appears to be an increasing risk with the H1N1 outbreak last year as well as the continued long-term threat of the H5N1 avian flu. Based on scenarios projected by the World Health Organization, Centers for Disease Control, National Institutes of Health, and Homeland Security Council, a global pandemic portends serious consequences for our City governmental process. We must anticipate possible consequences for our operations and the public, and develop plans that will allow us to continue operating throughout a pandemic cycle.

The City Administrator appointed a select staff to be part of the City's Pandemic Influenza Leadership Operations Team charged with the development and implementation of a pandemic response plan for the continuity of city services in the event of a pandemic. The basic strategy centers on these fundamental questions: What can we do to prevent flu? How do we conduct our work during a pandemic?

The result of the team's strategy for the continuity of essential municipal services is the La Vista Pandemic Influenza Preparedness Plan, attached for your review.

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA VISTA, NEBRASKA APPROVING THE LA VISTA PANDEMIC INFLUENZA PREPAREDNESS PLAN.

WHEREAS, it had been determined that a Pandemic Influenza Preparedness Plan has been developed in order to provide for the continuity of essential municipal services in response to pandemic in La Vista; and

WHEREAS, in order to provide for the continuity of essential municipal services in response to a pandemic in La Vista, the City Council of La Vista deems it advisable and in the best interest of the community to approve said Pandemic Influenza Preparedness Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the City Council of La Vista, Nebraska, that the Pandemic Influenza Preparedness Plan be, and hereby is, approved.

PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 16TH DAY OF MARCH, 2010.

CITY OF LA VISTA

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Douglas D. Kindig, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Pamela Buethe, CMC  
City Clerk