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CITY COUNCIL MEETING AGENDA ITEM REPORT

DATE: June 10, 2026

SUBMITTED BY: Corey Fortin, City Administration

ITEM TYPE: Agreement

AGENDA SECTION: CONSENT AGENDA

SUBJECT: Memorandum of Agreement Between the Florida Division of Emergency Management (FDEM) and the City of Bradenton PB DEM-D0003 with Everbridge, Inc. for Emergency Alert Services

SUGGESTED ACTION: Approval

Is this item Quasi-Judicial?

No

Does this item require a public hearing?

No

EXPLANATION:

The City is currently under contract with OnSolve ("CodeRed") for the provision of emergency alert notifications to residents. In November of 2025 a data breach occurred within the CodeRed system. City Administration was concerned about the CodeRed security breach and the possibility of recurring breaches. In reviewing alternatives, the City has learned that municipalities can enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with the Florida Department of Emergency Services ("FDEM") to piggyback on their contract with Everbridge, Inc. to provide similar emergency alert notifications at no cost.

The attached Memorandum of Agreement is the form required by FDEM to be signed and returned to them for legal review prior to moving forward with the process. City Administration recommends approval of this Memorandum of Agreement as it will be a cost savings to the City for these services; and will alleviate City Administration's concerns about future data insecurities.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

A substantial savings to the City annually of approximately \$18,000.00.

ATTORNEY REVIEW/RECOMMENDATION:

Reviewed and approved by Blalock Walters.

SUGGESTED MOTION:

Motion to approve the Memorandum of Agreement with FDEM and authorize execution by the Mayor.

ATTACHMENTS:

[Memorandum of Agreement](#)