

**Public Hearing June 18, 2009**  
**Emergency and Disaster Planning Ordinance**

Mr. Bliss opened the public hearing at 7:00pm.

Margaret Wirtenberg, Weston's representative to the Southwestern Regional Planning Agency said that they are beginning to do the regional update of their emergency disaster plan. She will pass this information along to the agency.

Mr. Bliss said the purpose of the ordinance is to make it clear who is responsible for what in a time of emergency or disaster. That is specified in state law already, but after 911, the feeling is that it should be clarified in an ordinance so that there was no question of authority. All the towns and cities in the state are being asked to add an ordinance, so that should something happen, it is clear who is responsible for management of all responses.

At 7:04 pm Mr. Bliss closed the hearing.

Respectfully submitted

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