

**CHAPTER 6
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

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Article 2. Miscellaneous Provisions.

Section 6-10. Definitions.

1. **Emergency Management.** The term “Emergency Management” shall mean the preparation for, and carrying out of, all emergency functions, other than functions for which primary responsibility is assigned elsewhere by Federal, State or local Law or Ordinance, to protect the public peace, health and safety and to preserve lives and property in the Town of Mountain Park, Oklahoma, during an emergency resulting from enemy attack, sabotage or other hostile action, or from any flood, drought, fire, hurricane, earthquake, storm or other catastrophe in or near said Community, and involving imminent or actual peril to life and property. These functions include administration, organization, planning , recruiting training, education, information, welfare service, relief service, police service, warden service , fire service , rescue service, medical service, health service, transportation service, communications service, street service, utilities service, general engineering service, plant protection service, supply service , mutual aid, mobile support, evacuation and all other functions necessary or incidental to the preparation for any carrying out of the foregoing functions.
2. **Enemy-Caused Emergency.** The term “enemy-caused emergency” shall mean any state of emergency caused by actual or impending attack, sabotage or other hostile action, anywhere within the United States and involving imminent peril to lives and property in the Town of Mountain Park, Oklahoma. Such emergency shall be deemed to exist only

when the Mayor shall so declare by public proclamation and such emergency shall be deemed to exist until the aforesaid Mayor shall declare its termination by public proclamation, or until the Town Board of Trustees shall declare its termination by Resolution.

3. Natural Emergency. The term “natural emergency” shall mean any state of emergency caused by any actual or impending flood, drought, fire, hurricane, earthquake, storm or other catastrophe in or near the Town of Mountain Park, Oklahoma, and involving imminent peril to lives and property. Such emergency shall be deemed to exist and to be terminated under the same conditions as prescribed for an “enemy-caused emergency.”

Section 6-11. Liability.

1. Neither the Town of Mountain Park, Oklahoma, nor any officer **or employee thereof** or **any** member of the Emergency Management Organization provided for in this Code of Ordinances, shall be liable for personal injury or property damage sustained by any person appointed or acting as a volunteer Emergency Management worker or member of any agency engaged in Emergency Management activity prior to, or during, either an enemy-caused or a natural emergency.
2. Nor shall the Town or any such officer, **employee** or member be liable for the death or injury of any persons, or damage to property, resulting from such Emergency Management activity prior to, or during, either an enemy- caused or a natural emergency.

Section 6-12. Federal, State or Private Aid May Be Accepted.

Whenever the Federal Government, the State of Oklahoma, or any person, firm or corporation shall offer to the Town of Mountain Park, Oklahoma, any services, equipment, supplies, materials or funds by way of gift, grant or loan, for purposes of Emergency Management, the Mayor may accept such offer and may authorize the Emergency Management Director to receive the same, subject to the terms of the offer and the rules and regulations, if any, of the agency making the offer.

Section 6-13. Incorporation of the “Oklahoma Intrastate Mutual Aid Compact.”

Title 63 O.S. 695.1 through 695.10 address intrastate mutual aid agreements and is commonly referenced as the “Oklahoma Intrastate Mutual Aid Compact.” The ““Oklahoma Intrastate Mutual Aid Compact,” including without limitation § 695.7 which provides immunity to employees of a community rendering aid is hereby incorporated fully by reference.

Sections 6-14 through 6-49. (Reserved for future use.)

Article 3. Penalty.

Section 6-50. Penalty.

Any person, firm or corporation who violates any provision of this Chapter, shall be guilty of an offense and, upon conviction thereof, shall be fined in any sum not to exceed the limits established in Section 11-40, Article 3, Chapter 11 of this Code of Ordinances. Each day upon which a violation continues shall be deemed a separate offense.