

### EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS

WHEREAS, The first object of PTA is to promote the welfare of children and youth in home, school, community, and place of worship; and

WHEREAS, We live in an increasingly dangerous time (chemical spills, nuclear threats, floods, fires, power outages, etc.), and have little control over natural and man-made disasters; and

WHEREAS, Families need assistance and direction in being prepared for emergencies; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That PTAs at all levels work with Comprehensive Emergency Management Services, Emergency Medical Services, and the Red Cross to further the well being of families throughout the nation; and be it further

Resolved, That State PTAs be encouraged to sponsor usage of 72 hour kits; and be it further

Resolved, That National PTA has Emergency Preparedness as a priority concern.