

**RESOLUTION NO. 2012-6**

**A RESOLUTION APPROVING NEBRASKA WATER/WASTEWATER AGENCY RESPONSE NETWORK (WARN) WATER AND WASTEWATER AND STORMWATER MUTUAL AID AGREEMENT.**

WHEREAS, NeWARN is a statewide Water/Wastewater Agency Response Network (WARN) of “utilities helping utilities” to prepare for the next natural or human-caused emergency; and

WHEREAS, NeWARN provides water and wastewater utilities with:

- A Mutual Aid Agreement and process for sharing emergency resources among water and wastewater agencies statewide.
- A mutual assistance program consistent with other statewide mutual aid and assistance programs and the National Incident Management System.
- The resources to respond and recover more quickly from a natural or human caused disaster; and
- A forum for developing and maintaining emergency contacts and relationships; and

WHEREAS, the City of Wayne is desirous of entering into a Mutual Aid Agreement with NeWARN for sharing emergency resources among water and wastewater agencies.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Wayne, Nebraska, that the NeWARN Water and Wastewater and Stormwater Mutual Aid Agreement, a copy of which is attached hereto, be approved as written, and the City Administrator and/or Mayor is authorized and directed to execute said Agreement on behalf of the City.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 17<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2012.

THE CITY OF WAYNE, NEBRASKA,

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Mayor

ATTEST:

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City Clerk