APPENDIX BP-2

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

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COUNTY, CITIES, TOWNS, AND VILLAGES

IN THE COUNTY OF DEKALB, STATE OF ILLINOIS

Each incorporated city, town, and village will be responsible for establishment of an Emergency Services and Disaster Agency, (E.S.D.A.), or naming a liaison officer in accordance with the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act. (20ILCS 3305/1, et. Seq).

The DeKalb County Emergency Services and Disaster Agency, (D.C.E.S.D.A.), may assist any city, town, or village wherever possible in the preparation of emergency plans. D.C.E.S.D.A. shall be responsible for coordinating any emergencies and disaster in DeKalb County serving as the focal point for government to request assistance from the State or Federal Agencies.

All cities, towns, and villages may request assistance in emergency and disaster situations from DeKalb County through the D.C.E.S.D.A. when local resources have been expended.

In its role of Coordinator, D.C.E.S.D.A. may request assistance of any city, town, or village to go beyond its incorporated boundaries with personnel and equipment to assist in unincorporated areas or to other cities, towns, or villages subject to manpower availability and prior commitments.

The E.S.D.A. Coordinator shall have direct responsibility for the organization, administration, training, and operation of D.C.E.S.D.A., subject to the direction and control of the Principal Executive Officer.

This Memorandum of Understanding replaces the prior one of 2017.

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Date Chairman, DeKalb County Board

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Date Mayor/President Russell C Stokes

City/Town/Village of: Town of Cortland