

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF LAKE**

**STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

**RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_**

**A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO LATE**

**JANUARY-EARLY FEBRUARY 2024 WINTER STORMS**

**WHEREAS**, Section 6-5 of the Lake County Code empowers the Director of Emergency Services to proclaim the existence or threatened existence of a local emergency when Lake County is affected or likely to be affected by a public calamity and the County Board of Supervisors is not in session, subject to ratification by the Board of Supervisors within seven days: and

**WHEREAS**, conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property have arisen within the County of Lake, caused by winter storms including excessive rainfall, high winds and snow, resulting in downed trees and power lines, flooding and other serious damage across the County to public infrastructure and residential properties; which began on the 31<sup>st</sup> day of January, 2024; and

**WHEREAS**, the Sheriff, as Director of Emergency Services of the County of Lake did declare the existence of a local emergency within the County on the 5<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2024 at which time the Board of Supervisors was not in session; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Supervisors does hereby find that the aforesaid conditions of extreme peril did warrant and necessitate the proclamation of the existence of a local emergency.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED**, said local emergency shall be deemed to continue to exist until its termination is proclaimed by the Lake County Board of Supervisors. The necessity for the continuation of this proclamation shall be reviewed by Board of Supervisors every 30 days until deemed no longer necessary.

**IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED**, during the existence of said local emergency the powers, functions, and duties of the emergency organization of Lake County shall be those prescribed by state law, by ordinances, and resolutions of the County.

**THIS RESOLUTION** was duly passed and regularly adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Lake, State of California, at a regular meeting thereof on this 6<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2024, motion by Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_ by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT or NOT VOTING:

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ATTEST: Susan Parker  
Clerk of the Board

CHAIR, Board of Supervisors

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APPROVED AS TO FORM:



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Lloyd Guintivano, County Counsel