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DECLARATION LAKE COUNTY PUBLIC WORKS DIRECTOR IN SUPPORT OF THE NEED FOR EMERGENCY ACTION IN THE ROBINSON CREEK BRIDGE REHABILITATION PROJECT

I, Scott DeLeon hereby declare the following:

- I, Scott DeLeon, am the Director of the Lake County Public Works Department. On or about February 12, 2018, and in my official capacity on behalf of the County of Lake, (hereinafter, the "County") I entered into a right-of-way contract for a temporary construction easement (the "Contract") with Nancy Jane Williams (hereinafter, the "Property Owner") involving her real property herein identified by Assessor Parcel Numbers 004-081-04 and 004-081-03. Said easement agreement was necessary in order to undertake and facilitate the construction of the County's Robinson Creek Bridge Rehabilitation Project (hereinafter, the "Project"). The Project requires a coordinated effort between County, the Property Owner, and the State Department of Fish and Wildlife.
- The Contract provides for a series of payments to be made by the County to the Property Owner. All such payments have been made with the exception of the final payment in the amount of \$29,498.00 which, pursuant to the terms fo the Contract is due and payment within 30 days of the County's completion of the Project.
- Although no formal notice of completion has been issued, the Project is substantially complete and final completion requires some final coordinated efforts by the County, the Property Owner, and the State Department of Fish and Wildlife in order to comply with a deadline from the State Department of Fish and Wildlife which was unknown to both the County and the Property Owner at the time of the execution of the Contract.
- The Contract requires that the Property Owner be allowed to construct water lines across Robinson Creek and in order to comply with that contract requirement and the unexpected acceleration of the Project timeline by the State Department of Fish

and Wildlife, it has become a matter of urgency that the final check for this substantially completed Project be issued to the Property immediately.

- Due to the emergency nature of the above-described situation, I request under my authority as the Lake County Public Works Director and the signatory on behalf of the County to the Contract, that said final payment in the amount of \$29,498.00 be immediately issued to the Property Owner.
- 6. I take full responsibility for this request and will take all necessary steps to inform the Board of Supervisors of this action taken under my authority and will seek its validation of this action at the next available meeting of that body.

I declare under the penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed at Lakeport, California on October 11, 2018.

Scott DeLeon

Public Works Director

County of Lake