



## Legislation Text

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### MEMORANDUM

**TO:** HONORABLE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

**FROM:** CAROL J. HUCHINGSON, County Administrative Officer  
On Behalf of: BRIAN MARTIN, Sheriff-Coroner-Director of Emergency Services

**DATE:** October 10, 2017

**SUBJECT:** Consideration of Resolution Confirming Existence of a Local Emergency Due to the Sulphur Fire Incident

#### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

This is to advise your Board that a matter arose since the posting of the current agenda which requires immediate Board discussion and/or consideration based upon the following facts:

A wildland fire known as the Sulphur Fire began in Lake County on October 9, 2017 at approximately 12:55 a.m., originating in the Clearlake Oaks area and progressing on to Clearlake and surrounding areas, destroying structures and burning 1800+ acres. Presently, the Sulphur Fire is 0% contained. As a result of the occurrence of the Sulphur Fire, a local emergency was proclaimed by the Lake County Sheriff/Director of Emergency Services Brian Martin on October 9, 2017. The Board of Supervisors must confirm the existence of a local emergency within seven (7) days of that date.

The existence of the emergency arose since the posting of the current agenda and the emergency conditions necessitate that this matter be taken up as soon as practically possible.

**FISCAL IMPACT:** \_\_\_ None \_\_\_ Budgeted \_\_\_ Non-Budgeted  
Estimated Cost:  
Amount Budgeted:  
Additional Requested:  
Annual Cost (if planned for future years):

**FISCAL IMPACT (Narrative):** N/A



**STAFFING IMPACT (if applicable):** N/A

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Sheriff Martin, as the County Director of Emergency Services, respectfully requests that your Board confirm the existence of a local emergency by offering the attached resolution for passage.

CC: Sheriff Brian Martin  
Undersheriff Chris Macedo  
OES Manager Dale Carnathan  
Disaster Finance Chief Cathy Saderlund