



## Legislation Text

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### MEMORANDUM

**TO:** BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

**FROM:** Carol J. Huchingson, County Administrative Officer  
On Behalf of: Sara Goldgraben, Public Health Officer

**DATE:** June 26, 2018

**SUBJECT:** Consideration of Proclamation of a Local Health Emergency by the Lake County Health Officer Due to the Pawnee Fire Incident

#### EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

This item is being submitted as an "extra" agenda item. The justification for this request to consider an item not on the posted agenda is as follows:

The need to take action arose subsequent to the posting of the current agenda and there is a need to take immediate action before the next available agenda.

A wildland fire known as the Pawnee Fire began in Lake County on June 23, 2018, originating in the Spring Valley area of Clearlake Oaks, CA., forcing area-wide evacuations, destroying multiple structures and as of this writing, burning 8,000+ acres. Presently, the Pawnee Fire is 0% contained.

As a result of the occurrence of the Pawnee Fire, a local health emergency was Proclaimed by the Public Health Officer, Dr. Sara Goldgraben on June 25, 2018. Your Board must now confirm the existence of the local health emergency.

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

**FISCAL IMPACT (Narrative):** None

**STAFFING IMPACT (if applicable):** None

**RECOMMENDED ACTION:**

Dr. Sara Goldgraben, as the County Public Health Officer, respectfully requests that your Board confirm the existence of a local health emergency by confirming the attached proclamation.