



MARIPOSA COUNTY

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RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2018-216

MEETING: May 15, 2018
TO: The Board of Supervisors
FROM: Dallin Kimble, County Administrative Officer
RE: Terminating Local Emergency Due to Flooding

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Adopt a Resolution Terminating the Local Emergency Due to March 2018 Floods.

On March 22, 2018, an atmospheric river event caused significant flooding, infrastructure damage and fatalities in Mariposa County. On March 23, Sheriff Doug Binnewies, acting as the Director of Emergency Services pursuant to Mariposa County Code Section 2.80.040, proclaimed a local emergency that was later ratified by the Board of Supervisors. Governor Brown also proclaimed a state of emergency on April 19, 2018, for eight counties including Mariposa.

Recovery efforts are ongoing and will continue in the months ahead. As the threatening flood conditions that motivated the proclamation no longer exist and there is no other need requiring the continuance of an active local emergency proclamation related to this incident, staff recommends the Board proclaim the end of this local emergency.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

The Board has terminated other local emergencies as the threat to persons and property has abated.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Do not approve this resolution. This local emergency will not be formally terminated.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

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ATTACHMENTS:

Resolution Terminating Local Emergency from March 2018 Floods (DOCX)
Resolution Ratifying Local Emergency Proclamation (DOCX)

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Proclamation of Local Emergency Due to March 22, 2018 Atmospheric River Event and Flooding (PDF)

RESULT: ADOPTED BY CONSENT VOTE [UNANIMOUS]

MOVER: Marshall Long, District III Supervisor

SECONDER: Merlin Jones, District II Supervisor

AYES: Smallcombe, Jones, Long, Cann, Menetrey

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RESOLUTION TERMINATING THE LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO FLOODING

WHEREAS, an atmospheric river event beginning on March 22, 2018, resulted in conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property, including significant flooding and damage to critical public infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, Sheriff Doug Binnewies, acting as the Director of Emergency Services, proclaimed the existence of a local emergency according to Section 8630 of the California Government Code and Chapter 2.80 of the Mariposa County Code on March 23, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors ratified that proclamation at their next regular meeting, held March 27, 2018; and

WHEREAS, emergency conditions, and their effects, have now abated sufficiently to cause the situation resulting from said conditions of extreme peril to be deemed to be within the control of the normal protective services, personnel, equipment, and facilities of and within said County of Mariposa; and

WHEREAS, ongoing recovery efforts include the continued commitment of California Disaster Assistance Act and any other applicable state or federal resources;

NOW, THEREFORE, the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors, State of California, does hereby terminate the said local emergency and any associated powers and authorities granted to staff and the Board of Supervisors. This Resolution takes effect upon approval.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mariposa, a political subdivision of the State of California, this 15th day of May 2018 by the following vote:

AYES: SMALLCOMBE, JONES, LONG, CANN, MENETREY
NOES: NONE
ABSENT: NONE
EXCUSED: NONE


ROSEMARIE SMALLCOMBE, Chair
Mariposa County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:


RENÉ LaROCHE
Clerk of the Board


STEVEN W. DAHLEM
County Counsel