

**RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY**

**WHEREAS**, Ordinance No. 2447 of the County of Humboldt empowers the Director of Emergency Services, or the Director’s authorized representative, to proclaim the existence or threatened existence of a Local Emergency when said county is affected or likely to be affected by a public calamity and the 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 this county, caused by flooding commencing on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2024; at which time the Board of Supervisors of the County of Humboldt was not in session; and

**WHEREAS**, said 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; and

**WHEREAS**, the Director of Emergency Services of the County of Humboldt did proclaim the existence of a Local Emergency within the county on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2024;

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED** that said Local Emergency shall be deemed to continue to exist throughout said county as prescribed by state law, by (charter) ordinances, and resolutions of this county, and by the County of Humboldt Emergency Operations Plan, as approved by the Board of Supervisors on 7 April 2015, until its termination is proclaimed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Humboldt, State of California.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the State Director of the California Governor’s Office of Emergency Services with a request that she find it acceptable in accordance with provisions of the California Disaster Assistance Act; and

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Governor of the State of California with the request that he proclaim the County of Humboldt to be in a state of emergency.

Dated: \_\_\_\_\_

Board of Supervisors Chair

ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_

County of Humboldt Clerk