## SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA



3.10 (ID # 9470)

**MEETING DATE:** Tuesday, April 9, 2019

FROM: EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT:

**SUBJECT:** EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT: Adoption of Resolution No. 2019-075 Extension of Proclamation of Local Emergency for Severe Weather Event.

**RECOMMENDED MOTION:** That the Board of Supervisors:

1. Adopt resolution No 2019-075 extending the proclamation of Local Emergency for the Severe Weather Event.

**ACTION:Policy** 

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

On motion of Supervisor Perez, seconded by Supervisor Spiegel and duly carried by unanimous vote, IT WAS ORDERED that the above matter is approved as recommended.

Ayes:

Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington, Perez and Hewitt

Nays:

None

Absent:

None

Date:

April 9, 2019

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Kecia Harper Clerk/of the Bo

Deputy

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FINANCIAL DATA	Current Fiscal Year:	Next Fiscal Year:	Total Cost:	Ongoing Cost	
COST					
NET COUNTY COST		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·			
SOURCE OF FUNDS: N/A			Budget Adju	Budget Adjustment: No	
			For Fiscal Year: 18/19		

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION: Approve

#### **BACKGROUND:**

#### **Summary**

The local emergency began due to an intense winter storm that delivered extreme amounts of rainfall over the Riverside County Operational Area including the Canyon 1, Holy Fire, and Cranston Burn areas beginning February 13, 2019. The storm caused flooding, mud and debris flows which in turn caused the evacuation of residents, road closures, damage to property and critical infrastructure, and necessitated the rescue of residents to include numerous swift water resources. The Director of Emergency Services proclaimed that a "Local Emergency" exists in Riverside County, which was ratified by the Board of Supervisors at their meeting of February 26, 2019.

It is requested that the Board of Supervisors adopt Resolution No. 2019-075 to extend the Proclamation of Local Emergency.

#### **Impact on Residents and Businesses**

Approximately 16,700 County residents were evacuated from their homes or required to shelter in place and were at high risk of injury, death, or loss of property due to mud and debris flows from the Canyon 1, Cranston, and Holy Burn Scar areas. The County has implemented emergency measures to protect the public by controlling traffic and prohibiting ingress and egress into affected areas due to conditions considered dangerous to lives and property.

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#### RESOLUTION NO. 2019-075

# A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE EXTENDING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY BY THE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

WHEREAS, Section 8630, Article 14, of the California Emergency Services Act requires that the County Board of Supervisors review, at least every thirty (30) days until such Local Emergency is terminated, the need for continuing the Local Emergency; and

WHEREAS, a period of Local Emergency presently exists in the County of Riverside in accordance with the proclamation and confirmation thereof by the County Board of Supervisors on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2019, as a result of conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property within this County, caused by the extreme weather conditions throughout the County on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of February 2019; and

WHEREAS, the County Board of Supervisors of Riverside County has reviewed the need to continue the existence of the Local Emergency; and

WHEREAS, the local emergency created by the extreme weather conditions left communities extremely vulnerable due to the heavy debris flow and flooding throughout the County, particularly in the Canyon, Holy, and Cranston burn areas.

WHEREAS, the situation resulting from said condition of extreme peril is still deemed to be beyond the control of normal protective service, personnel, equipment, and facilities of and within said County of Riverside; now, therefore,

BE IT PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside that the period of Local Emergency is extended for thirty (30) additional days unless sooner terminated.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that said Local Emergency shall be deemed to continue to exist until its termination is proclaimed by the County Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside. ROLL CALL: Ayes: Jeffries, Spiegel, Washington, Perez and Hewitt Nays: None Absent: None The foregoing is certified to be a true copy of a resolution duly adopted by said Board of Supervisors on the date therein set forth. Kecia R. Harper, Clerk of said Board