

RESOLUTION 20 - 35

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

DECLARATION OF A LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY  
IN BONNER COUNTY, IDAHO

Flooding May 26, 2020

WHEREAS, Idaho Code 46-1011 - LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCIES states as follows:

- (1) A local disaster emergency may be declared only by a mayor or chairman of the county commissioners within their respective political subdivisions. It shall not be continued or renewed for a period in excess of seven (7) days except by or with the consent of the governing board of the political subdivision. Any order or proclamation declaring, continuing, or terminating a local disaster emergency shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the local county recorder.
- (2) The effect of the declaration of a local disaster emergency is to activate the response and recovery aspects of any and all applicable local or intergovernmental disaster emergency plans and to authorize the furnishing of aid and assistance thereunder.
- (3) No intergovernmental agency or official thereof may declare a local disaster emergency, unless expressly authorized by the agreement pursuant to which the agency functions. However, an intergovernmental disaster agency shall provide aid and services in accordance with the agreement pursuant to which it functions.

WHEREAS, there is a threat to life and property in Bonner County due to snow melt, warming temperatures and rain resulting in flooding; and

WHEREAS, flooding has the potential to cause mudslides and damage to roads and levees; and

WHEREAS, rising lakes, rivers and streams have the potential to endanger life, property, and structures; and

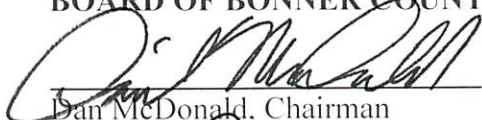
WHEREAS, planning and mitigation efforts may result in the immediate work effort to minimize the threat; and

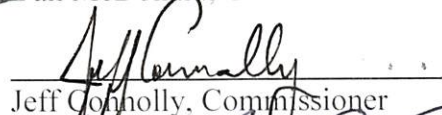
WHEREAS, the county does not have the resources and therefore is requesting assistance from other agencies; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the Bonner County Board of Commissioners, by virtue of the authority vested in Section 46-1011 of the Idaho Code, do hereby find and declare a local disaster emergency exists in Bonner County, Idaho. This declaration is due to \_\_\_\_\_.

*Verbal Declaration by the chairman*  
~~ADOPTED~~ as a Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of Bonner County, Idaho upon a majority vote on the 21st day of May, 2020.

BOARD OF BONNER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

  
Dan McDonald, Chairman

  
Jeff Connolly, Commissioner

  
Steve Bradshaw, Commissioner

ATTEST: Michael W. Rosedale

By   
Deputy Clerk

THE SECRETARY OF THE  
TREASURY  
WASHINGTON, D. C.  
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SIR  
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 7th inst. in relation to the proposed amendment to the National Bank Act, and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

Very respectfully,  
J. M. Smith  
Secretary of the Treasury

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Emergency  
Management  
Item #1

May 26, 2020

## Memorandum

To: Commissioners

From: Bob Howard, Director

Re: Declaration of a Local Disaster Emergency

Distribution: Original to BOCC  
Email copy to Emergency Management  
Clerk, Mike Rosedale

The purpose of this Memorandum is to confirm the delegation of authority to Emergency Management Director Bob Howard, to activate, manage and authorize expenditures associated with the Emergency Management Operations in support of emergency or disaster.

On Thursday, May 21, 2020 at 2:50 pm the Board of County Commissioners made a verbal declaration of a local disaster emergency due to snow melt, warming temperatures and rain resulting in flooding in Bonner County.

Attached for your review and approval is the resolution to officially declare that a local disaster emergency exists in Bonner County, Idaho.

A suggested motion would be: **Mr. Chairman based on the information before us I move to approve Resolution #20-35 and declare that a local disaster emergency exists in Bonner County, Idaho due to snow melt, warming temperatures and rain resulting in flooding.**

Recommendation Acceptance: ☒ yes ☐ no

  
Commissioner Dan McDonald, Chairman

Date: 5/26/20