## RESOLUTION 22 - 93

#### **EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

# DECLARATION OF A LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY IN BONNER COUNTY, IDAHO

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: Idaho code 67-2808 allows for emergency expenditures.

The governing board of political subdivision may declare that an emergency exists and that the public interest and necessity demand the immediate expenditure of public money if:

- (i) There is a great public calamity, such as an extraordinary fire, flood, storm, or other disaster.
- (ii) It is necessary to do emergency work to safeguard life, health, or property.

WHEREAS: There is a threat to life and property in Bonner County as the result of heavy rain and saturated soils, and

WHEREAS, Heavy rain and saturated soils caused mudslides and damage to roads, and

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

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 threat to life and property in Bonner County as the result of snow melt and warming temperatures and rain resulting in flooding in Bonner County

ADOPTED as a Resolution of the Board of County Commissioners of Bonner County, Idaho upon a majority vote on the 8th day of November 2022.

BOARD OF BONNER COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Dan McDonald, Chairman

Jeff Connolly, Commissioner

Steve Bradshaw, Commissioner

ATTEST:\_Michael W. Rosedale

Deputy Clerk

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## **BONNER COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT**

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November 8, 2022

### Memorandum

Emergency Management Item #3

To:

Commissioners

From: Bob Howard, Director

Re:

Declaration of a Local Disaster Emergency

On Saturday November 5th Bonner County Road and Bridge became aware of an active landslide on Rocky Point Road, whereas all Bonner County Road and Bridge equipment has been converted for snowplow operations.

We request the Board of County Commissioners to approve the attached Disaster Declaration to allow for emergency repairs to be completed by an available contractor.

Distribution: Original to BOCC

Email copy to Emergency Management

Clerk, Mike Rosedale Road and Bridge

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 #22-93 nd declare that a local disaster emergency exists in Bonner County, Idaho due heavy rain and saturated soils causing a landslide on Rocky Point Road.

Recommendation Acceptance: Xyes □ no &

Commissioner Dan McDonald, Chairman

Date: 11/8/22

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