## **RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY**

## **Resolution No. 23-18**

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 2447 of the County of Humboldt empowers the Board of Supervisors 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

WHEREAS, conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property did arise within this county, caused by numerous earthquakes, commencing on December 20, 2022, with over 200 aftershocks including a large, damaging aftershock on January 1, 2023; 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 20<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Humboldt ratified said Local Emergency Proclamation on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of December, 2022; and

WHEREAS, the aforesaid conditions of extreme peril continue to exist and necessitate the continued proclamation of the existence of a Local Emergency; and

WHEREAS, while the Humboldt County Code indicates that the frequency of emergency proclamation review should be every 30 days, it also states that the frequency of review shall be in accordance with Government Code section 8630 which provides for review every 60 days;

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, and by ordinance and the Humboldt County Code, and resolutions of this county, and by the County of Humboldt Emergency Operations Plan, as approved by the Board of Supervisors on 7 February 2023, until its termination is proclaimed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Humboldt, State of California.

Dated: February 7, 2023

Board of Supervisors Chairperson

Adopted on motion by Supervisor <u>Wilson</u>, seconded by Supervisor <u>Bushnell</u>, and the following vote:

	Supervisors Supervisors Supervisors Supervisors	 Bushnell, Madrone, Bohn, Wilson, Arroyo
ABSTAIN:	Supervisors	

STATE OF CALIFORNIA ) County of Humboldt )

I, KATHY HAYES, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, County of Humboldt, State of California, do hereby certify the foregoing to be an original made in the above-entitled matter by said Board of Supervisors at a meeting held in Eureka, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Board of Supervisors.

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By NICOLE TURNER Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Humboldt, State of California