

## A PROCLAMATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY

## IN CITY OF PLACERVILLE BY THE DIRECTOR EMERGENCY SERVICES

WHEREAS, the California Emergency Services Act, Chapter 7, of the California Government Code, commencing with § 8550 confers upon the governing bodies of the political subdivisions of this state emergency powers necessary to protect health and safety and preserve lives and property;

WHEREAS, § 8630 of the Government Code states that "a local emergency may be proclaimed only by the governing body of a county, city and county, or city or by an official so designated by ordinance adopted by such governing body;"

WHEREAS, the City of Placerville's Municipal Code, Chapter 1-23 empowers the Director of Emergency Services to proclaim the existence or threatened existence of an Emergency when this City is affected or likely to be affected by a public calamity and the City Council is not in session, subject to ratification by the City Council within seven days if the Emergency is ongoing; and,

WHEREAS, the Director of Emergency Services hereby find:

That conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property have arisen within this City, caused by the current storm and flooding which conditions are, or are likely to be, beyond the control of the services, personnel, equipment, and facilities of the City. Said conditions relate specifically to a break in the main sewer line entering the Wastewater treatment plant, damage to wastewater lines and other potential environmental and property damage, commencing on or about December 31, 2022, throughout the city; and,

That the City Council of the City of City of Placerville is not in session and cannot immediately be called into session;

That the aforesaid conditions of extreme peril warrant and necessitate the proclamation of the existence of a local emergency;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED that I, M. Cleve Morris, City Manager of the City of Placerville and Director of Emergency Services, declare that a local emergency now exists throughout this City until its termination; and

I FURTHER PROCLAIM AND ORDER that during the existence of said local emergency the powers, functions, and duties of the Director of Emergency Services and the emergency organization of the City shall be those prescribed by state law, and by ordinance and resolutions of this City approved by the City Council, and any applicable emergency operations plans.

I FURTHER ORDER that a copy of this proclamation be forwarded to the Director of the Governor's Office of Emergency Services.

Dated: 12/3/2022

Time: 10:41 am

M. Cleve Morris, City Manager

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Placerville to be affixed this 31st day of December, 2022.

ATTEST:

Regina O'Connell, City Clerk