



# Mendocino County

## Legislation Text

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**To:** Board of Supervisors

**From:** Transportation Executive Office

**Meeting Date:** March 7, 2017

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**Item Type:** Consent Agenda

**Time Allocated for Item:** N/A

**Agenda Title:**

Adoption of Resolution Declaring Continuation of a Local Emergency Related to the January, February, and March 2017 Winter Storms Event (County Wide)

**Recommended Action/Motion:**

Adopt Resolution declaring continuation of a local emergency related to the January, February, and March 2017 Winter Storms Event (County Wide); and authorize Chair to sign same.

**Previous Board/Board Committee Actions:**

The Board adopted a Resolution on January 24, 2017 declaring a local emergency related to the January and February storms.

**Summary of Request:**

Beginning January 8, 2017, severe winter storms and flooding conditions caused major, widespread safety problems to the County Maintained Road System. The Mendocino County Chief Executive Officer/Director of Emergency Services, by delegation, on January 18, 2017, proclaimed that a local emergency exists throughout the County. On January 24, 2017, the Board of Supervisors proclaimed that a local emergency exists throughout the County.

The County continues to experience the effects of the significant rainfall the County received in January, including localized flooding, landslides and road closures. The County received additional rainfall in February, which has had continued impacts on public facilities and infrastructure. The proposed Resolution is necessary for the Board of Supervisors to continue to ratify the original proclamation declaring the continuation of a local emergency due to the severity of the storm's impact on our County Maintained Road System.

**Alternative Action/Motion:**

Do not adopt the recommended Resolution declaring continuation of a local emergency related to the 2017 Winter Storms event. This option could make it more difficult to fund repairs to storm-induced safety problems and damage to facilities.

**Supplemental Information Available Online at:** N/A

**Fiscal Impact:**

**Source of Funding:** N/A

**Current F/Y Cost:** N/A

**Budgeted in Current F/Y:** N/A

**Annual Recurring Cost:** N/A

**Supervisory District:** All

**Vote Requirement:** Majority

**Agreement/Resolution/Ordinance Approved by County Counsel:** Yes

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**CEO Liaison:** Janelle Rau, Deputy CEO

**CEO Review:** Yes

**Comments:**