

PROCLAMATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY
[Gov. Code, § 8630]

WHEREAS, Government Code section 8630 and Solano County Code sections 7-12 (a) and (b) and 7-13 (a)(1), authorize the Solano County Administrator, acting as the Incident Commander for Emergency Services, to proclaim a local emergency as defined by Government Code section 8558, subdivision (c) when the Solano County Board of Supervisors is not in session; and

WHEREAS, the Solano County Incident Commander finds that conditions of extreme peril to life and property now exists in Solano County caused by the August 2020 Lightning Complex Fire, which began on August 17, 2020 in Napa County and crossed into Solano County on August 18, 2020.

WHEREAS, these conditions are or are likely to be beyond the control of the services, personnel, equipment, and facilities of Solano County; and

WHEREAS, the Solano County Board of Supervisors is not in session and cannot immediately be called into session.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE SOLANO COUNTY INCIDENT COMMANDER DECLARES AND PROCLAIMS THAT:

Conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property have arisen throughout Solano County and a local emergency now exists in Solano County.

During the existence of this local emergency the powers, functions, and duties of the emergency organization of Solano County shall be those prescribed by state law, by ordinances, resolutions and approved emergency plans of Solano County.

The Operational Area has experienced significant loss of homes and businesses and is requesting the director of Cal OES concur and request that the Governor include Solano County in a State of Emergency Declaration. Further, request any and all State and Federal assistance, as well as any other assistance that may be made available to assist Solano County and our residents in recovering from this disaster.

This local emergency proclamation shall expire in 7 days after its issuance unless confirmed and ratified by the Solano County Board of Supervisors.

This proclamation and its contents will be published and promulgated in as widespread a manner as is reasonably feasible under the conditions prevailing during this local emergency.

Date: August 19, 2020

By: 

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Solano County Incident Commander