



CITY of CALABASAS
CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

DATE: FEBRUARY 8, 2024

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND COUNCILMEMBERS

FROM: KINDON MEIK, CITY MANAGER

SUBJECT: ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION NO. 2024-1887, RATIFYING LOCAL EMERGENCY PROCLAMATION

MEETING DATE: FEBRUARY 14, 2024

SUMMARY RECOMMENDATION:

Ratify the Local Emergency declaration signed by the Director of Emergency Services (City Manager) on February 8, 2024 by adopting Resolution No. 2024-1887.

BACKGROUND:

In early February 2024 a powerful, slow moving, atmospheric river struck California beginning February 3, 2024, and continued for several days threatening life and safety, public and private property and structures, and other critical infrastructure. The City of Calabasas was impacted by high winds, substantial precipitation, closure and damage to highways and roads, potential for significant debris flows, river and urban and flooding, and widespread power outages. The coordination, collaboration, and the combined forces of different jurisdictions were needed to effectively respond to and recover from the effects of those storms.

On February 4, 2024, the Governor of the State of California and the Chair of the Los Angeles County Board of Supervisors declared a state of emergency. Pursuant to California Government Code section 8680.9, the proclamation must be issued

within 10 days of the incident and ratified by the governing body within 7 days. Renewal of the resolution should occur every 60 days until terminated.

To keep within the timeframe of the current storms, the Director of Emergency Services (City Manager) signed a Local Emergency proclamation on February 8, 2024.

DISCUSSION/ANALYSIS:

Ratifying the Local Emergency will ensure that city will be eligible for disaster reimbursement should the city incur damages related to the February storms.

FISCAL IMPACT/SOURCE OF FUNDING:

None

REQUESTED ACTION:

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ATTACHMENT:

- A. Local Emergency Proclamation February 8, 2024
- B. Resolution No. 2024-1887