

**Proclamation of a Local Emergency by
Director of Emergency Services
and Request of the Governor to Proclaim a State of Emergency**

WHEREAS, California Government Code Section 8630 and Shasta County Code Section 2.72.060 of the County of Shasta empowers the Director of Emergency Services to proclaim the existence or threatened existence of a local emergency as defined by California Government Code Section 8558 when the Board of Supervisors is not in session; and

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

WHEREAS, this Proclamation of Local Emergency will be ratified, and as necessary reaffirmed, by the Board of Supervisors pursuant to applicable laws; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Emergency Services of the County of Shasta hereby finds:

1. On February 26, 2018, at approximately 4:00 p.m. unexploded ordinance of an unknown age and unknown stability was identified at associated outbuildings located in close-proximity to a residential structure located at 5747 Happy Valley Road, Anderson, in an unincorporated area of the County of Shasta (the "Property").
2. The Shasta County Explosive Ordinance Disposal (EOD) team responded to the residence and made a preliminary evaluation and determined that stockpiles of highly explosive materials and associated materials were discovered at the Property.
3. It has been determined by local EOD teams that the outbuilding on the Property, contains large quantities of varied volatile and potentially explosive materials which are deteriorated and unstable.
4. It has also been determined that the large quantities of varied volatile and potentially explosive materials are in an extremely cramped and cluttered environment, presenting investigation, remediation, safe removal, and other safety problems that require the continuing application of multiple local resources and potentially other local, state, and federal resources.
5. The highly explosive, unstable materials that have been identified create an ongoing condition of extreme peril which is a clear and present danger to persons and property within the unincorporated areas of the County and at the time of this proclamation there are still unknowns that may necessitate even broader cross-jurisdictional mutual aid and assistance.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED that a local emergency now exists in Shasta County pursuant to Government Code Section 8630 and other applicable laws; and

IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED 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 county shall be those prescribed by state law, and by ordinance and resolutions of

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this county approved by the Board of Supervisors, and by the Shasta Operational Area Emergency Operations Plan, as approved by the Board of Supervisors; and,

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that Sheriff Tom Bosenko, Director of Emergency Services, or his representative is hereby designated as the authorized representative of the County of Shasta for the purpose of receipt, processing, and coordination of all inquiries and requirements necessary to obtain available state and federal assistance.

COUNTY OF SHASTA

Dated: February 28, 2018

Time: *1550 HRS*

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Tom Bosenko", is written over a horizontal line.

Tom Bosenko, Sheriff-Coroner
Director of Emergency Services
County of Shasta
State of California