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**SHASTA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

Monday, July 30, 2018

**SPECIAL MEETING**

9:07 a.m.: Chairman Baugh called the Special Meeting of the Board of Supervisors to order on the above date with the following present:

District No. 1 - Supervisor Kehoe  
District No. 2 - Supervisor Moty  
District No. 3 - Supervisor Rickert  
District No. 4 - Supervisor Morgan  
District No. 5 - Supervisor Baugh

County Executive Officer - Larry Lees  
County Counsel - Rubin E. Cruse, Jr.  
Administrative Board Clerk - Trisha Boss  
Administrative Board Clerk - Kristin Gulling-Smith

**PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Supervisor Rickert.

**BOARD MATTERS**

**LOCAL EMERGENCY "CARR FIRE"**  
**RESOLUTION NO. 2018-067**

Sheriff and Director of Emergency Services Region 3, Tom Bosenko gave a presentation on the local emergency declared July 26, 2018, as a result of the Carr Fire.

Deputy Chief Bret Gouvea gave an update on the status of the Carr Fire. The inspection of the City of Redding is 100% complete and he predicted that Shasta County would be completed that. An interactive map is in the process of being completed and will be posted to the Cal Fire website, which will provide real time updates. This information will be parcel specific.

Operations Section Chief Steve Crawford presented a map of the fire lines and fire progression. Structured re-entry has been given to utility companies to allow them to start restoring service to affected areas.

Deputy Chief Gouvea gave a status update on repopulation. Stakeholders are meeting twice daily; a list has been compiled that must be signed off on prior to repopulation. This is something they found effective when working in Sonoma County and Santa Rosa last year. He thanked Unified Commander Rick Young with Whiskeytown Park service for his great service.

In response to questions by Supervisor Morgan, Deputy Gouvea gave an explanation on what territory encompasses Zone 14.

In response to questions by Supervisor Baugh, Sheriff Bosenko stated for the process of repopulation the Sheriff's Office works along with several different agencies and departments, and it is done in phases.

Deputy Chief Gouvea gave a breaking update that the evacuation had been lifted for Zone 5 and gave the list of streets that this encompassed.

In response to questions by Supervisor Rickert, Sheriff Bosenko stated that an arrest of two individuals was made after they were caught burglarizing an evacuated home. He has received notification that Redding Police Department has also made arrests within evacuated areas. That it is a crime to be in an evacuated area. To keep criminals from accessing evacuated areas by foot, the Sacramento River Trail has been closed. The Redding Police department has increased the patrols on the River Trail and affected areas within Redding. He explained that Shasta County is receiving Law Enforcement Mutual Aid comprised of officers from other parts of California to assist with road blocks, road closures, and roving patrol.

In response to questions by Supervisor Rickert, Sheriff Bosenko stated that he District Attorney Stephanie Bridgett has confirmed that anyone caught in the evacuated areas or looting will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law.

In response to questions by Supervisor Moty, Deputy Chief Gouvea explained that the County and the City will both be using the same data to update interactive maps. Homes shown on the map will be color-coded to give a description of the status of the damage known as DINS (Damage Inspection Information).

In response to questions by Supervisor Kehoe, Deputy Chief Gouvea explained that the public can access this information through a web link.

County Executive Officer Larry Lees stated the County will provide a link on the home page of the Shasta County website.

In response to questions by Supervisor Rickert, Deputy Chief Gouvea stated they can announce when the interactive map is available through a press conference. CEO Lees stated that

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they will be making cards for the Board of Supervisors so they have the information to give to the public when they receive calls.

In response to questions by Supervisor Moty, Sheriff Bosenko states that they are several websites that have updated information.

Department of Public Works Director Pat Minturn gave a report of damage to structures and roadways. He stated that crews were going out to assess the current damage that day.

In response to questions by Supervisor Moty, Mr. Minturn stated his staff would provide support to law enforcement.

In response to questions by Supervisor Rickert, District Attorney Stephanie Bridget stated that price gouging is a criminal offense. Once an emergency is declared prices cannot be increased above 10%. Investigators are following up on several leads.

In response to questions by Supervisor Kehoe, Ms. Bridgett stated even in a situation of supply and demand, prices can't increase above 10% of what the price was before the emergency was declared. She explained that she met with her team that morning to discuss investigating the legitimacy of charities attempting to raise money as well.

In response to questions by Supervisor Kehoe, Ms. Bridgett stated that they will be actively involved in the rebuilding process. She stated they will be investigating contractors who may be working without a license, offering to do work at a discount, or even disappearing with people's money. She encourages everyone to get everything in writing.

Sheriff Bosenko stated that he has been in contact with the City of Redding Manager and the City's initial estimate of current damages is \$26 million. This is primarily infrastructures and roadways.

California Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) Regional Administrator Ron Quigley gave a presentation regarding resources to support the County in the recovery process. He explained Cal OES is experienced with working in these types of situations and are dedicated to working with the County and City.

CEO Lees stated that he will be meeting with Cal OES, along with City Manager Barry Tippin, regarding the Local Area Assistance Center for guidance moving forward. He explained that the County and the City will be working together on this.

Supervisor Moty informed CEO Lees that his contacts through California State Association of Counties have offered assistance and personnel that are willing to work with County staff.

Mr. Quigley stated that he has reached out to the done some outreach to the Sheriff and CEO of Ventura County for their advice and words of wisdom.

Sheriff Bosenko discussed the various government agencies and representatives assisting with aid, and gave the evacuation center locations.

Supervisor Moty recognized the ongoing efforts of the responders fighting the fire.

Ruth Ford of the U.S. Department of Agriculture Farm Service Agency spoke regarding services their agency is offering to assist with disaster relief.

Melinda Graves with the U.S. Department of Natural Conservation Service spoke in regards to the disaster recovery service that they offer.

Monique Welin thanked to the first responders for all of the work they are doing.

Supervisor Rickert read a public comment email from Rocky Slaughter who was unable to attend the meeting, that included websites he thought would be helpful and the emergency action plan that Santa Rosa found to be successful.

Supervisors Moty, Kehoe, Rickert, Morgan, and Baugh recognized the ongoing efforts of the responders fighting the fire.

By motion made, seconded (Moty/Kehoe), and unanimously carried, the Board of Supervisors, adopted Resolution No. 2018-067 which ratifies the Shasta County Director of Emergency Services' July 26, 2018, proclamation of a local emergency due to the wildland fire identified as the "Carr Fire," subject to the requirements of and in accordance with Government Code Section 8630.

(See Resolution Book No. 60)

10:25 a.m.: The Board of Supervisors adjourned.

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Chairman

ATTEST:

LAWRENCE G. LEES  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy

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