

RESOLUTION NO. 12 (2023)

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CRAIG EXTENDING THE STATE OF LOCAL EMERGENCY DECLARED BY THE CITY MANAGER

WHEREAS, beginning on April 14th, 2023, the City suffered, and continues to be threatened with, serious injury and damage constituting a disaster of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property, consisting of flooding within the City limits of Craig, Colorado; and

WHEREAS, on April 14th, 2023, in order to undertake emergency measures to protect the life, health, safety and property of the citizens of the City and persons conducting business therein, and in order to attempt to minimize the loss of human life and the preservation of property, the City Manager, as City's principal executive officer, proclaimed a "local emergency" in accordance with C.R.S. § 24-33.5-709(1); and

WHEREAS, the continuation of warm weather and the anticipated projected snow melt, in the weeks to come, require emergency action and remediation as the City anticipates continuation of response and ultimately moving to assessment of impacts of the anticipated flooding and recovery efforts, including debris management and repairs to infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, C.R.S. § 24-33.5-709(1) states that a local emergency proclaimed by the City Manager shall not be continued or renewed for a period in excess of seven (7) days without the consent of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, conditions continue to exist which, for the protection of the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Craig, warrant the continuation of the previously proclaimed local emergency; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager is requesting that the City Council continue the proclamation of local emergency as established by the City Manager on April 14th, 2023 until such time as the City Manager determines the conditions justifying this local emergency no longer exist.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF CRAIG, COLORADO:

1. The City Council hereby finds that conditions continue to exist which, in the best interests of the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Craig, warrant the continuation of the previously proclaimed local emergency until such time as the conditions warranting this local emergency no longer exist.
2. The City Council hereby authorizes, approves and consents to the continuation of the state of local emergency until such time as the City Manager determines in writing that the conditions justifying this local emergency no longer exist and such written determination is filed with the Moffat County Clerk and Recorder.

READ AND APPROVED THIS 20th DAY OF APRIL 2023 BY THE CITY COUNCIL
FOR THE CITY OF CRAIG, COLORADO.

Ryan Hess, Mayor

ATTEST:

Liz White, City Clerk