

DECLARATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY

Whereas, the Board of Supervisors for the County of Bath does hereby find that:

1. The lack of rainfall, low humidity and potential for winds has caused the County of Bath to face a dangerous fire condition; and
2. Due to the lack of moisture, a state of extreme peril for life and property necessitates the proclamation of the existence of an emergency; and
3. The County has a duty to declare a local emergency to protect the citizens and property located in Bath County.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED that an emergency now exists throughout said county; and that open air fires are prohibited; and

IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that during the existence of said emergency the powers, functions and duties of the Department of Emergency Services of the County of Bath shall be those prescribed by state law and the ordinances, resolutions and approved plans of the County of Bath in order to mitigate the effects of said emergency.

Dated: 11/18/2016



Chairman
Board of Supervisors
County of Bath

Attest: 
Clerk, Board of Supervisors
County of Bath