## RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF DELTA, STATE OF COLORADO

## RESOLUTION NO. 2019-R-DDO

## A RESOLUTION RATIFYING DECLARATION OF A LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY IN RESPONSE TO PAONIA WATER OUTAGE

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to, §24-33.5-702, et seq., C.R.S., as amended, provides procedures for statewide and local prevention of, preparation for, response to, and recovery from disasters; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to §24-33.5-703(3) C.R.S., as amended, a "disaster" is defined to mean "the occurrence or imminent threat of widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property resulting from any natural cause or cause of human origin, including but not limited to fire, flood, earthquake, wind, storm, wave action, hazardous substance incident, oil spill, or other water contamination requiring emergency action to avert danger or damage, volcanic activity, epidemic, air pollution, blight, drought, infestation, explosion, civil disturbance, hostile military or paramilitary action, or a condition of riot, insurrection, or invasion existing in the state or in any county, city, town, or district of the state" and

WHEREAS, pursuant to §24-33.5-703(3.5) C.R.S., as amended, an "emergency" is defined to mean "an unexpected event that places life of property in danger and requires an immediate response through the use of state and community resources and procedures.

WHEREAS pursuant to §24-33.5-709(1) C.R.S., a local disaster may be declared "only by the principal executive officer of a political subdivision;" and

WHEREAS pursuant to §24-33.5-709 Chairman Don Suppes declared a local emergency at 11:00a.m. on 2/27/2019.

WHEREAS, pursuant to §§30-10-307 and 308, C.R.S., as amended, the chairman of the Board of County Commissioners (BOCC) is the principal executive office of Delta County and, in the absence of the chairman, the vice-chairman is statutorily authorized to act as the principal executive officer; and

WHEREAS, pursuant §24-33.5-709(1) C.R.S., as amended, the declaration of a local disaster "shall not be continued or renewed for a period more than seven days except by or with the consent of the governing board of the political subdivision;" and

WHEREAS, pursuant to §24-33.5-709(1) C.R.S., as amended, any order declaring, continuing, or terminating a local disaster emergency "shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the clerk and recorder," and

WHEREAS, pursuant to §24-33.5-709(2) C.R.S., as amended, the effect of declaring a local disaster emergency "is to activate the response and recovery aspects of any applicable local and interjurisdictional disaster emergency plans and to authorize the furnishing of aid and assistance under such plans; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Paonia has a raw supply water issue to their municipal water system, and;

WHEREAS, the Town of Paonia is attempting to assesses the situation and come up with options, and;

WHEREAS, the Water Outage could be throughout the Paonia Water System, and;

WHEREAS, the Current Water Outages exist in both the town and the county, and;

WHEREAS, there is no current time of restoration, and;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, there is hereby declared a local disaster emergency pursuant to §24-33.5-709, C.R.S., as amended.

ADOPTED this 27 thday of February 2019.

ATTEST:

Teri Stephensoz

Delta County Clerk and Recorder

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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF

Don Suppes, C

Mike Lane, Commissioner

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NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, there is hereby declared a local emergency pursuant to § 24-32-2109, C.R.S., as amended.

DATED at Delta County, Colorado this 27th day of February 2019, at 11:00 a.m.

Delta Board of County Commissioners Chair

Don Suppes – Chair District 2