

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Chairman of the Board of Bannock County Commissioners declares an Emergency Declaration to repair the mainline rupture and subsequent damage under Idaho Code §31-1608 on the 29th day of July, 2022; and

WHEREAS, Idaho Code §31-1605 authorizes the County to make a general reserve appropriation not to exceed five per cent (5%) of the current expense budget; and

WHEREAS, upon the happening of any emergency, to include emergencies where there is an immediate need to preserve order, public health or for the restoration to a condition of usefulness of public property, Idaho Code §31-1608 allows county commissioners to make necessary expenditures to provide for and meet such emergencies; and

WHEREAS, Idaho Code §31-1608 provides that such funding may be paid from any moneys on hand in the county treasury in the fund properly chargeable with such expenditures; and

WHEREAS, a disaster emergency exists because of the mainline rupture at the Bannock County Detention Center; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Idaho Code §§31-1608 and 67-2808 a continuing declaration allows for the immediate expenditure of public money without compliance with formal bidding procedures if public interest and necessity demand it.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, the Board of Bannock County Commissioners do hereby declare:

That the damage caused by the mainline rupture and potentially structure settling constitutes an emergency risking the order, health and public property. Such declaration shall remain in effect until repairs are complete.

That this Declaration shall be filed with the Bannock County Recorder's Office and be given prompt and general publicity.

BANNOCK COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Ernie Moser, Chair



Terrel N. Tovey, Member



Jeff Hough, Member

Attest:



Jason C. Dixon, Clerk