Disaster Declaration

WHERE AS, there is threat to life and property in BONNEVILLE COUNTY, as the result of a wildland fire.

Which occurred on August 21, 2016; and

WHERE AS, the resulting fire is threatening structures, roadways, infrastructures, public utilities, and other lines of communications as well as public order and safety.

WHERE AS, a disaster emergency as defined in Section 46-1002, Idaho Code, is in existence in BONNEVILLE COUNTY, due to the imminent threat to life and property created by potential exposure to the wildfire; and

WHERE AS, Section 46-1011, Idaho Code, authorizes the Commissioners of BONNEVILLE COUNTY, Idaho, to declare a disaster emergency to authorize the furnishing of aid and assistance, thereunder;

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved, and declared by the BONNEVILLE COUNTY, Idaho Board of Commissioners, as follows:

1. A disaster emergency is hereby declared to exist within BONNEVILLE COUNTY, created by potential exposure to wildfire, creating an imminent threat to life and property, and,

2. These conditions require the activation of the response and recovery aspects of all applicable local disaster emergency plans, and,

3. Such disaster may require State emergency assistance to supplement local efforts to protect, rehabilitate, and replace public property and to provide a coordinated multi-agency effort to mitigate, avert and lessen the threat and impact of the disaster.

Adopted unanimously, in open special session this 21st day of August, 2016, by those Commissioners subscribing their names.

COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Roger S. Christensen, Chairman

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ATTESTED:

Penny Manning, Bonneville County Clerk