



City of Grass Valley  
City Council  
Agenda Action Sheet

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**Title:** Local Emergency Proclamation (Winter Storm of February 2023)

**CEQA:** Not a project

**Recommendation:** To continue the Winter Storm February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023 to March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 proclamation declaring a Local State of Emergency

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**Prepared by:** Timothy M. Kiser, City Manager

**Council Meeting Date:** 12/12/2023

**Date Prepared:** 12/7/2023

**Agenda:** Consent

**Background Information:** Due to conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property have arisen within the City of Grass Valley, caused by the winter storm February 24<sup>th</sup>, 2023 to March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2023 which cut power, downed trees, blocked roads and created other hazards to health and human safety commencing at which time the City Council of the City of Grass Valley was not in session. The city found it necessary to proclaim the existence of a local emergency throughout the city.

On March 2<sup>nd</sup>, Tim Kiser, the Emergency Services Director, proclaimed an existence of a local emergency. On March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2023, at a special City Council Meeting council adopted Resolution 2023-07 confirming the Emergency Services Director's proclamation of a local emergency.

**Council Goals/Objectives:** This resolution executes portions of work tasks towards achieving/maintaining Strategic Plan - Public Safety. The City of Grass Valley is devoted to providing a safe Place to Live, Work, and Play.

**Fiscal Impact:** The City will be requesting reimbursement for repair costs from the California Office of Emergency Services. If approved, costs would be reimbursable around 75% and sufficient General Funds exist to cover any shortfall.

**Funds Available:** N/A

**Account #:** N/A

**Reviewed by:** \_\_\_ City Manager