<u>RESOLUTION NO. 2023 – 11</u>

A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY OR TOWN OF SARATOGA ISSUING A FLOOD DECLARATION

WHEREAS, the Town of Saratoga has imminent concerns of severe flooding which has occurred, or is imminently threatened to occur, due to high water levels, flow measures, continued precipitation, warming temperatures, aggressive runoff and/or extensive snowmelt from a winter with a higher than average level of precipitation, with threats of severe flooding beginning on or after April 4, 2023 and continuing; and,

WHEREAS, the current or expected flooding conditions have caused or are likely to cause damage to private and public property, disruption of utility service(s), and endangerment to the health and safety of the residents of the Town of Saratoga who reside, work or travel within the disaster area; and,

WHEREAS, all locally available public and private resources available to mitigate and alleviate the effects of this disaster will be or have been insufficient to meet the needs of the situation; and,

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the Town of Saratoga has had direct communication with the Emergency Manager or Deputy Emergency Manager from the Carbon County Office of Emergency Management, who concurs with the imminent concern for severe flooding in and around the Town of Saratoga, which may cause continued property damage, disruption, and endangerment to the health and safety of citizens.

Therefore, the Mayor of the Town of Saratoga has declared a state of emergency on behalf of the Town of Saratoga due to severe flooding, and will execute for and on behalf of the Town of Saratoga, the expenditure of emergency funds from all available sources, the invoking of mutual aid agreements, and the requesting of assistance from Carbon County.

Mayor, the Town of Saratoga

WITNESS my hand and the seal of my office

This ______day of ______, 2023

Attest: Town of Saratoga Clerk

Carbon County Office of Emergency Management, (Emergency Manager or Deputy Emergency Manager)

This ______day of ______, 2023