RESOLUTION NO. 10254

A RESOLUTION RATIFYING THE DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY BY ACTING CITY MANAGER JAMES L. REARDEN ON JUNE 20, 2018.

WHEREAS, on June 20, 2018 the National Weather Service issued a Flood Warning for the City of Great Falls; and

WHEREAS, said flooding posed a threat to public safety, property, and public infrastructure in areas including Woodland Estates, Big Bend, Lower River Road, Country Club Addition, Flood Road, and other incorporated areas; and

WHEREAS, in response to said threat the Acting City Manager James L. Rearden, the City's Acting Principal Executive Officer, declared a local state of emergency pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. § 10-3-402, thereby activating City emergency response services and staff; and

WHEREAS, the City of Great Falls by and through its governing body, the City Commission, wishes to preserve any opportunity for reimbursement for costs associated with said emergency response from entities including, but not limited to, the State of Montana and the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF GREAT FALLS, MONTANA:

- 1. The, "CITY OF GREAT FALLS, MONTANA MUNICIPAL EMERGENCY PROCLAMATION AND ORDER", executed by Acting City Manager James L. Rearden, a certified copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit "A" and incorporated herein by this reference, is hereby ratified by the Great Falls City Commission; and
- 2. A certified copy of this Resolution shall be filed with the Cascade County Clerk and Recorder and the Montana Disaster and Emergency Services Division in Helena.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Commission of the City of Great Falls, Montana, July 3, 2018.

	Bob Kelly, Mayor
ATTEST:	
	(CITY SEAL)
Lisa Kunz, City Clerk	
APPROVED FOR LEGAL CONTENT:	
Sara R. Sexe, City Attorney	

CITY OF GREAT FALLS, MONTANA MUNICIPAL EMERGENCY PROCLAMATION AND ORDER

WHEREAS, significant flooding may occur within the incorporated limits of the City of Great Falls Montana, beginning on June 20, 2018. Said flooding may cause injury to persons and damage to property in and about the City of Great Falls, including Woodland Estates, Big Bend, Lower River Road, Country Club Addition, Flood Road, and other incorporated areas.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the acting principal executive officer, of the City of Great Falls Montana, that a state of <u>emergency</u> is hereby declared in the incorporated City of Great Falls Montana, pursuant to Mont. Code Ann. §10-3-402, and all provisions of the City Emergency Operations Plan are ordered in effect. This proclamation is effective for twenty (20) days or until a disaster is declared under Mont. Code Ann. §10-3-403.

BE IT FURTHER PROCLAIMED, that copies of this Proclamation be filed with the City Clerk, Cascade County Clerk and Recorder, and the Montana Disaster and Emergency Services Division in Helena.

PROCLAMED by the acting Great Falls City Manager this 20th day of June, 2018.



