

**CITY OF LIVINGSTON OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER  
EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 2-2022**

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**EXECUTIVE ORDER DECLARING A DISASTER EXISTS WITHIN THE CITY OF  
LIVINGSTON, MONTANA RELATED TO THE EFFECTS OF FLOODING**

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**WHEREAS**, the Park County, Montana and Livingston Montana have declared a state of emergency to exist due to unprecedented flooding, and that flooding has created disastrous effects that must be assessed and mitigated;

**WHEREAS**, beginning June 13, 2022, the flooding along the Yellowstone River in and around Livingston has created an imminent threat and the occurrence of widespread and severe damage to infrastructure limiting emergency services access to Livingston and Park County residents;

**WHEREAS**, flooding of unprecedented levels has limited access to a critical care hospital and emergency department, as well as having impacts on the City's Water Reclamation Facility;

**WHEREAS**, the Park County and Livingston recognize this flood disaster as an imminent and ongoing threat to the residents of Livingston;

**WHEREAS**, flooding and damage therefrom has currently been identified within the City of Livingston, and there is the expectation that damage will be ongoing and other severe losses will be discovered as the damages are assessed;

**WHEREAS**, identifying and implementing mitigation measures to serve the best interests of the City of Livingston and its people as well as protect key infrastructure will require the expenditure of moneys that may be in excess of the funds of the City;

**WHEREAS**, as a result of the high water and flooding conditions, the City has and will incur damages from regular operations as well as providing emergency evacuations and life-saving operations and protective measures and has or will incur costs to repair, replace or restore publicly owned facilities and infrastructure;

**WHEREAS**, the City has committed and will continue to commit all available resources to fight and alleviate damages resulting from the conditions created by the flooding.

**WHEREAS**, the availability and utilization of all necessary city government services, equipment, and suppliers under this disaster declaration will further the efforts to protect health and safety and to preserve the lives, property, and resources of the people of Livingston, Montana;

**WHEREAS**, under these conditions pursuant to § 10-3-406 MCA, the City Manager may mobilize city resources to protect life, health, and property;

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, LISA L. LOWY**, Interim City Manager of the City of Livingston, Montana, pursuant to the authority vested in me as principal executive officer under the laws of the State of Montana, Title 10, Chapter 3, MCA, and under other applicable statutes, do hereby declare that a disaster exists in the City of Livingston, as defined in § 10-3-103 and 10-3-403, MCA.

Declared by the City Manager of the City of Livingston, Montana, this 14th day of June, 2022.



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Lisa L. Lowy, Interim City Manager  
Livingston, Montana

ATTEST:

By:  \_\_\_\_\_  
Title: Recording Secretary, City of Livingston

