ORDER: APPROVE A REQUEST TO THE GOVERNOR TO PROCLAIM LAFAYETTE COUNTY TO BE IN A STATE OF EMERGENCY FROM THE WINTER STORM FEBRUARY 13, 2021

Motion was made by Brent Larson, duly seconded by Chad McLarty, to approve a request to the Governor to proclaim Lafayette County to be in a State of Emergency from the Winter Storm February 13, 2021.

The vote on the motion was as follows:

Supervisor Brent Larson, voted yes Supervisor Larry Gillespie, voted yes Supervisor David Rikard, voted yes Supervisor Chad McLarty, voted yes Supervisor Mike Roberts, voted yes

After the vote, President Roberts, declared the motion carried, this the 15th day of March, 2021.

Mike Roberts, President Board of Supervisors Sherry Wall, Chancery Clerk

RESOLUTION REQUESTING GOVERNOR TO PROCLAIM A STATE OF EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, on February 13, 2021, the Board of Supervisors

of Lafayette County found that due to the impact (or imminent threat)

of Winter Weather Storm a condition of extreme peril (earthquake, flood, hazmat, hurricane, severe storm, winter storm, other)

to life and property did exist in Lafayette County; and

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WHEREAS, on February 13, 2021, in accordance with State Law 33-15-17(d) the Board of Supervisors declared that an emergency does exist throughout said county; and

WHEREAS, it has now been found that local resources are unable to cope with the effects of said emergency;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DECLARED AND ORDERED that a copy of this declaration be forwarded to the Governor of Mississippi with the request that he proclaim the **County of Lafayette** to be in a State of Emergency; and

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that Steve Quarles, Emergency Management Coordinator, is thereby designated as the authorized representative of the County of Lafayette for the purpose of receipt, processing, and coordination of all inquiries

and requirements necessary to obtain available State and Federal assistance.	
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