


**ORDER: ADOPT RESOLUTION REQUESTING GOVERNOR TO PROCLAIM A
STATE OF EMERGENCY DUE TO THE IMPACT OF A SEVERE THUNDERSTORM
WITH HIGH WINDS MARCH 1, 2023**

Motion was made by Larry Gillespie, duly seconded by David Rikard, to adopt Resolution requesting Governor to proclaim a State of Emergency due to the impact of a severe thunderstorm with highs wind March 1, 2023.

The vote on the motion was as follows:

Supervisor Brent Larson, voted absent
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 6th day of March, 2023.



**Mike Roberts, President
Board of Supervisors**



Sherry Wall, Chancery Clerk

RESOLUTION REQUESTING GOVERNOR TO PROCLAIM A STATE OF EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, on March 1, 2023, the Board of Supervisors of **Lafayette County** found that due to the impact (or imminent threat) of Severe Thunderstorm with high wind, a condition of extreme peril (earthquake, flood, hazmat, hurricane, severe storm, winter storm, other) to life and property did exist in **Lafayette County**; and

WHEREAS, on March 1, 2023, 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.

DATE: 3-6-2023

Mike Roberts
President, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Sherry Wace
Clerk of the Board of
Supervisors
County of Lafayette

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State of Mississippi

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