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[Concurring in the Continuation of the Revised Declaration of Local Emergency - Rim Fire (Stanislaus National Forest Area)]

Motion concurring in the continuation of the Revised Declaration of Local Emergency by the Mayor and in the actions taken to meet the emergency and directing the Clerk of the Board to agendize this matter 30 days from the date of passage of the proposed Motion or until terminated by the Mayor or the Board of Supervisors.

WHEREAS, On September 3, 2013, the Board of Supervisors concurred with the Declaration of Local Emergency received by Acting Mayor Mark E. Farrell, on August 22, 2013, pursuant to Motion No. M13-109, on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 130809, which is hereby declared to be a part of this Motion as if set forth fully herein; and

WHEREAS, On September 24, 2013, the Board of Supervisors concurred with the Declaration of Local Emergency received by Mayor Edwin M. Lee, on September 19, 2013, pursuant to Motion No. M13-116, on file with the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors in File No. 130900, which is hereby declared to be a part of this Motion as if set forth fully herein; and WHEREAS, Pursuant to California Government Code, Section 8630:

- (a) A local emergency may be proclaimed only by the governing body of a city, county, or city and county, or by an official designated by ordinance adopted by that governing body.
- (b) Whenever a local emergency is proclaimed by an official designated by ordinance, the local emergency shall not remain in effect for a period in excess of seven days unless it has been ratified by the governing body.
- (c) The governing body shall review the need for continuing the local emergency at least once every 30 days until the governing body terminates the local emergency.

(d) The governing body shall proclaim the termination of the local emergency at the earliest possible date that conditions warrant.

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Charter, Section 3.100(14), states that 'In the case of an emergency threatening the lives, property or welfare of the City and County or its citizens, the Mayor may direct the personnel and resources of any department, command the aid of other persons, and do whatever else the Mayor may deem necessary to meet the emergency; In meeting an emergency, the Mayor shall act only with the concurrence of the Board of Supervisors, or a majority of its members immediately available if the emergency causes any member of the Board to be absent. The Mayor shall seek the Board's concurrence as soon as is reasonably possible in both the declaration of an emergency and in the action taken to meet the emergency. Normal notice, posting and agenda requirements of the Board of Supervisors shall not be applicable to the Board's actions pursuant to these provisions; and

WHEREAS, The revised and declared local emergency continues to exist in the connection with the wild fire (Rim Fire) that began on August 17, 2013, in the Stanislaus National Forest area located in Tuolumne County, 3 miles northeast of Groveland and this fire has already impacted City assets and has potential to cause additional damage to property and equipment of San Francisco Public Utilities Commission and Recreation and Park Department resources; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors does hereby find that the aforesaid conditions of extreme peril justify and require a proclamation of the existence of a local emergency; and

WHEREAS, The Mayor's Office has transmitted an e-mail indicating that it is in the best interest of the City to continue the local emergency, and such copy is located in File No. 131015; and

WHEREAS, The Mayor has directed the head of each department and agency to observe his or her proper relationship in the command structure of the Incident Command

System (ICS), and be responsive to the orders and requests of the Lead Department designated to exercise supervision over his or her department during the course of this emergency; and

WHEREAS, The Governor of the State of California is hereby requested to include the area of the City and County of San Francisco in any emergency declaration by the State, and is further requested to ensure that the City and County of San Francisco is included in any emergency declaration that may be issued by the President of the United States; and

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco also requests the State of California make available recovery assistance under the terms of the California Disaster Assistance Act and expedite access to federal resources and any other appropriate federal disaster relief programs; and

WHEREAS, This Revised Declaration of Local Emergency shall be deemed to continue until it is terminated by the Mayor or the Board of Supervisors; all departments of the City and County of San Francisco are strictly enjoined to cooperate with the requests for material and personnel resources by the ICS staff of said City and County which is located in the Emergency Operations Center of the City and County of San Francisco; now, therefore, be it

MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors concurs with the Continuation of the Revised Declaration of Local Emergency issued by the Mayor, and in the actions taken by the Mayor to meet the emergency; and be it

FURTHER MOVED, That the Board of Supervisors hereby directs the Clerk of the Board to agendize this matter 30 days from the date of passage of the proposed Motion or until terminated by the Mayor or the Board of Supervisors.

### Caldeira, Rick

From:

Alden. Amiee

Sent: To: Thursday, October 17, 2013 2:59 PM

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Calvillo, Angela; Jones, Jermain

Cc:

Caldeira, Rick; Nevin, Peggy, Givner, Jon; Rosenfield, Ben; Karimi, Bijan; Wong, Jeannie;

Zmuda, Monique; Carroll, Mary Ellen; Owen, Thomas

Subject:

RE: Recurring BOS item to continue the Local Emergency

### Hi Angela,

Thanks for your email. I want to strongly emphasize that the City cannot let the current emergency expire, which it will on October 24 unless renewed by the BOS on October 22. That is why it is critical to have this item on the next BOS agenda. Under state law, the emergency expires after 30 days unless renewed by the Board of Supervisors.

After this Tuesday, our request is for the Board to consider a standing item on their agenda every 4 weeks, for adoption without Committee reference, similar to what was done for the needle exchange emergency in years past. We certainly understand the desire for the Board to have continuing updates on the emergency, which we could talk with the PUC and Controller about providing on a regular basis.

The Controller and the PUC have strongly recommended that the City continue the local emergency in response to the Rim Fire. The PUC is still assessing the extensive damage to City assets in the fire zone, and is seeking flexibility to rapidly hire contractors to repair damage before heavy snow arrives upcountry. PUC anticipates needing to assess and quickly repair additional damage caused by winter snow and spring rains in the fire zone. Staff for the PUC, Controller, and DEM consulted with the California Office of Emergency Pervices earlier this month, who agreed that it is best to continue the emergency.

Please let me know if you would like any additional information. Thanks very much for your help. - Amiee

From: Calvillo, Angela

Sent: Thursday, October 17, 2013 1:14 PM

To: Jones, Jermain; Alden, Amiee

Cc: Caldeira, Rick; Nevin, Peggy; Givner, Jon

Subject: RE: Recurring BOS item to continue the Local Emergency

#### Hello Jermain and Aimee.

I have received your request. Before agreeing, I think a fair question is in knowing what the harm to the City would be if we went through the routine legislative process.

While the emergency is over, and we are in clean up and recovery mode, the approval process can be as short as two or three weeks if introduced by the Mayor as the Budget and Finance Committee meets weekly, and committee reports are also possible.

Thanks in advance for the information.

Angela

Angela Calvillo

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From: Jones, Jermain

Sent: Monday, October 07, 2013 11:05

To: Calvillo, Angela

Cc: Alden, Amiee; Caldeira, Rick; Nevin, Peggy

Subject: Recurring BOS item to continue the Local Emergency

#### Madame Clerk,

Our office, DEM, PUC and the Controller's office has determined that it is in the best interest of the City to continue the Local Emergency related to the rimfire for several months. Under state law, the local emergency has to be renewed every 30 days by the Board of Supervisors, or else it expires. Based on City Attorney advice, DEM has asked us to seek a monthly recurring item on the BOS agenda to continue the emergency. We request that a monthly recurring item occur on the following days.

- October 22
- November 19
- December 17
- The next date in January, within 30 days of Dec. 17.

Please let me know if there is anything that I need to do to get a recurring item on the board calendar.

Thanks, jermain

Jermain Jones Legislative Aide Office of Mayor Edwin M. Lee 415.554.7204

# OFFICE OF THE MAYOR SAN FRANCISCO



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October 18, 2013

Ms. Angela Calvillo San Francisco Board of Supervisors 1 Dr. Carlton B. Goodlett Place, Room 244 San Francisco, CA 94102

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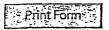
Sincerely,

Jason Elliott

Director of Legislative & Government Affairs

Office of Mayor Edwin M. Lee

cc: All Members, Board of Supervisors



# **Introduction Form**

By a Member of the Board of Supervisors or the Mayor

I hereby submit the following item for introduction (select only one):
☐ 1. For reference to Committee:
An ordinance, resolution, motion, or charter amendment.
2. Request for next printed agenda without reference to Committee.
3. Request for hearing on a subject matter at Committee:
4. Request for letter beginning "Supervisor inquires"
5. City Attorney request.
6. Call File No. from Committee.
7. Budget Analyst request (attach written motion).
8. Substitute Legislation File No.
9. Request for Closed Session (attach written motion).
☐ 10. Board to Sit as A Committee of the Whole.
11. Question(s) submitted for Mayoral Appearance before the BOS on
Please check the appropriate boxes. The proposed legislation should be forwarded to the following:  Small Business Commission  Youth Commission  Building Inspection Commission
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Clerk of the Board
Subject:
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Signature of Sponsoring Supervisor:
For Clerk's Use Only:

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