AT A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF JAMES CITY, VIRGINIA, HELD ON THE 10TH DAY OF AUGUST, NINETEEN HUNDRED NINETY-THREE, AT 3:30 P.M. IN THE COUNTY GOVERNMENT CENTER BOARD ROOM, 101 MOUNTS BAY ROAD, JAMES CITY COUNTY, VIRGINIA.

A. ROLL CALL

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Judith N. Knudson, Chairman, Jamestown District (Absent) Stewart U. Taylor, Vice Chairman, Stonehouse District

Perry M. DePue, Powhatan District Jack D. Edwards, Berkeley District David L. Sisk, Roberts District David B. Norman, County Administrator Leo P. Rogers, Assistant County Attorney

B. BOARD CONSIDERATION

1. <u>Declaration of Local Emergency</u>

Mr. Russell L. Lowry, Emergency Services Coordinator, stated that on Friday, August 6, 1993, at 7:30 p.m. a local emergency was declared due to severe damage caused by a tornado which touched down in the southeastern part of James City County. He further stated that the declaration of local emergency would lend support should the Governor request the President of the United States to declare those areas in Virginia receiving extensive damage as disaster areas.

Staff recommended approval of the resolution confirming the declaration of local emergency.

The Board discussed scope of damage to residences, reimbursement eligibility, and length of time until emergency declaration canceled.

Mr. DePue made a motion to approve the resolution.

On a roll call, the vote was: AYE: Edwards, DePue, Sisk, Taylor (4). NAY: (0).

RESOLUTION

LOCAL EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County of James City, Virginia, does hereby find that:

 On August 6, 1993, the County of James City, Virginia, incurred heavy property damage and faced threats to the life and safety of its citizens due to heavy rains and tornadic winds;

- 2. Due to the heavy rains, and tornadic winds a disaster has occurred that displaced families and destroyed property, both personal and business, that necessitates the proclamation that an emergency existed.
- NOW THEREFORE PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, confirms the declaration of an emergency on August 6, 1993, by the James City County Director of Emergency Services.
- IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that during the existence of said emergency powers, functions, and duties of the Director of Emergency Services and the Emergency Services organization of the County of James City shall be those prescribed by State law and the ordinances, resolutions, and approved plans of the County of James City in order to mitigate the effects of said emergency.

Mr. Edwards made a motion to adjourn.

On a roll call, the vote was: AYE: Edwards, DePue, Sisk, Taylor (4).

NAY: (0).

The Board adjourned at 3:47 p.m.

David B. Norman Clerk to the Board

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