RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE MATTER OF TERMINATING LOCAL EMERGENCY PROCLAMATION, FOR THE CAVE FIRE INCIDENT

RESOLUTION NO.	20-5

WHEREAS, Government Code, Sections 8558 and 8630, et seq., and Chapter 12 of the Santa Barbara County Code empower the Director of Emergency Services to proclaim the existence or threatened existence of a local emergency when the County is affected or likely to be affected by a public calamity and the Board of Supervisors is not in session, subject to ratification by the Board of Supervisors within seven days;

WHEREAS, conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property arose within this County, at approximately 1615 hours on November 25, 2019 due to a wildfire that has been named the Cave Fire;

WHEREAS, on the 25th day of November 2019, at 2230 hours, at which time the Board of Supervisors was not in session, the Director of Emergency Services of the County of Santa Barbara proclaimed the existence of a local emergency within the County of Santa Barbara for the entire Santa Barbara County Operational Area and requested the Governor of California to proclaim the County of Santa Barbara to be in a State of Emergency, within the meaning of Government Code Section 8558;

WHEREAS, On November 26, 2019, the Board of Supervisors, at an emergency meeting, ratified the local emergency for the Cave Fire incident and the request to the Governor of California to proclaim the County of Santa Barbara to be in a State of Emergency; and

WHEREAS, Government Code Section 8630(c) requires the Board of Supervisors to review the need for the continued existence of a Proclamation of Local Emergency at least every 60 days and Government Code Section 8630(d) requires termination of a Proclamation of Local Emergency at the earliest possible date that conditions warrant; and

WHEREAS, fire conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property in Santa Barbara County no longer exist and the Cave Fire was at 100% containment as of December 14, 2019; and

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IT IS ORDERED that the Proclamation of Local Emergency Caused by the Cave Fire is terminated.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this 14th day of January, 2020 by the following vote:

AYES: Supervisors Williams, Hart, Hartmann, Adam and Lavagnino

NOES: NONE

ABSTAIN: NONE

ABSENT: NONE

Chair, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: MONA MIYASATO CLERK OF THE BOARD APROVED AS TO FORM: MICHAEL C. GHIZZONI COUNTY COUNSEL

Deputy

Deputy County Counsel

KELLY HUBBARD

DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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