

RESOLUTION NO. 1048

CITY OF LACEY

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LACEY FINDING THAT THE EXTENSIVE DAMAGE CAUSED BY THE SEVERE STORM EVENT ON MAY 4, 2017 CONSTITUTED AN EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the Lacey City Manager reported to the Mayor that the severe storm event that occurred on May 4, 2017 caused an emergency by creating extensive power outages, damaged structures and homes, disruption to utilities and transportation, fallen trees & debris, and flooding in parts of Lacey; and

WHEREAS, due to downed power lines and trees there was substantial likelihood of risk to persons, property, and the environment unless further efforts were taken to reduce the threat; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor declared a local emergency on May 5, 2017, which allowed the City of Lacey to undertake emergency purchases and emergency public works pursuant to RCW 36.32.270 and RCW 39.04.020 as such purchases or public works required immediate action occasioned by the emergency.

NOW THEREFORE, the Lacey City Council declares as follows:

Section 1. The conditions stated in the above recitals, incorporated herein, constituted an emergency for the City of Lacey, which necessitated activation of the City of Lacey Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan and the utilization of emergency powers granted pursuant to RCW 36.40.180, 38.52.070(2) and 38.52.110(1); and LMC 6.01 (Ordinance no. 1103).

Section 2. Pursuant to the emergency declared at Section 1, City departments and offices, as designated pursuant to the PLAN, were authorized to enter into contracts and incur obligations necessary to combat such emergency to protect the health and safety of persons, property, and the environment, and provide emergency assistance to the victims of such emergency, consistent with the PLAN.

PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LACEY, WASHINGTON, this 22 day of June, 2017.

LACEY CITY COUNCIL

By Andy D. Snyder

Mayor

Attest:

Carol Little

City Clerk

Approved as to form:

[Signature]

City Attorney