

**RESOLUTION NO 2419****RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOLEDAD  
PROCLAIMING EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND  
REQUESTING THE GOVERNOR TO (1) PROCLAIM A  
STATE OF EMERGENCY; AND (2) REQUEST A  
PRESIDENTIAL DECLARATION**

**WHEREAS**, Soledad Municipal Code Section 2.20.080 empowers the Director of Civil Defense and Disaster, City Manager Belinda Espinosa, to proclaim the existence or threatened existence of a local emergency when said City is affected or likely to be affected by a public calamity; and

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Soledad Municipal Code Section 2.20.080, the City Council has been requested by Director Espinosa to proclaim the existence of a local emergency within the City of Soledad; and

**WHEREAS**, the Soledad City Council does hereby find that conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property have arisen within the City of Soledad, caused by rain storms and flooding, and that the aforesaid conditions of extreme peril warrant and necessitate the proclamation of the existence of a local emergency; and

**WHEREAS**, it has been determined that local resources are unable to cope with the effects of the local emergency conditions described above;

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED AND PROCLAIMED** that a local emergency now exists throughout the City of Soledad; and

**IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED AND PROCLAIMED** that during the existence of said local emergency, the powers, functions and duties of the Director of Civil Defense and Disaster and the emergency organization of the City of Soledad shall be those prescribed by state law, by ordinance and relevant resolutions of the City; and

**IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED** that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the Governor of the State of California with the request that he proclaim the City of Soledad to be in a State of emergency, and further that the Governor request an appropriate Presidential Declaration concerning said emergency from the President of the United States, and

**IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED** that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the State Director of the Office of Emergency Services, and

**IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED** that City Manager Belinda Espinosa is designated as the local Hazard Mitigation Coordinator of the City of Soledad for the purpose of assessing damage within the City of Soledad and consulting with Federal/State survey teams about hazard mitigation actions, and

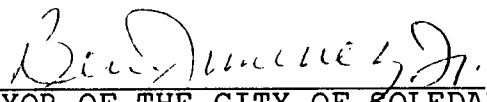
**IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED AND ORDERED** that City Manager Belinda Espinosa is hereby designated as the authorized representative for public assistance for the purpose of receipt, processing, and coordination of all inquiries and requirements necessary to obtain available State and Federal assistance

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of Soledad at a special meeting duly held on the 11th day of March, 1995, by the following vote:

AYES, and in favor thereof, Councilmembers. John Holguin, Richard Ortiz, Mayor Pro Tem Fabian Barrera, Mayor Ben Jimenez, Jr.

NAYES, Councilmembers. None

ABSENT, Councilmember. Fred Ledesma

  
 MAYOR OF THE CITY OF SOLEDAD

ATTEST.

  
 CITY CLERK OF THE CITY OF SOLEDAD