RESOLUTION NO. 2023-092

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF
THE COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE RATIFYING EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Ordinance No. 533 empowers the Director of Emergency Services of the County of Riverside 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 County Board of Supervisors is not in session, subject to the ratification by the County Board of Supervisors within seven (7) days; and

WHEREAS, conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property have arisen within the County of Riverside caused by extreme winter weather, snow, rain, and a melting snowpack that occurred on March 21, 2023; and,

WHEREAS, additional storms are expected to come into the County this week and in the foreseeable future that are capable of exacerbating damage to flood control and critical infrastructure due to more rainfall on the oversaturated ground and melting snow; and,

WHEREAS, the Director of Emergency Services of the County of Riverside did proclaim the existence of a Local Emergency within said County on the 30th day of March; now, therefore,

IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that the proclamation of a Local Emergency by the Director of Emergency Services of the County of Riverside is hereby ratified, and that said Local Emergency shall be deemed to continue to exist until its termination is proclaimed by the County Board of Supervisors of the County of Riverside.