March 13, 2007

Marin County Board of Supervisors 3501 Civic Center Drive San Rafael, CA 94903

**SUBJECT:** Board of Supervisors review of the need to continue the local emergencies for the County of Marin, in conformance with Government Code Section 8630.

Dear Supervisors,

**RECOMMENDATION:** Adopt the attached Resolution No. 2007- confirming the December 31, 2005, and the April 12, 2006, Emergency Proclamations of the Assistant Director of Emergency Services, ratified by Board of Supervisors Resolutions on January 6, 2006, and April 18, 2006.

**SUMMARY:** Declarations of Emergency for Marin County were proclaimed by the Assistant Director of Emergency Services on December 31, 2005, and on April 12, 2006. The Board of Supervisors adopted resolutions ratifying the first declaration on January 6, 2006, and the second declaration on April 18, 2006, and subsequently adopted resolutions reconfirming the need to continue the declaration of emergency. This Board letter and resolution constitute the required review in conformance with Government Code Section 8630.

The severe winter storms which created a local flooding disaster continue to cause extreme peril to life and property in many areas of Marin County, necessitating a second Declaration of Emergency for the County of Marin due to further flash floods, mudslides and damage to roads and other infrastructure. The County is currently continuing to conduct extensive emergency response and repair related activities in the field, as well as coordinating with local cities and towns. The local emergency is clearly still in effect, along with the need for financial assistance from the State and Federal agencies.

Please let me know if you have any questions or concerns.

Reviewed By:	[ ]	Auditor Controller	[ N/A ]
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Respectfully submitted.			

Matthew H. Hymel County Administrator Attachment