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MINERAL COUNTY DECLARATION RESOLUTION

RESOLUTION NO. 03-17-2020

WHEREAS, there is a pandemic outbreak of Coronavirus (COVID-19); and March 12, 2020 President Trump declared an ongoing emergency because of COVID-19. On March 13, 2020 Governor Bullock declared a state of emergency in Montana related to COVID-19.

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization has declared the worldwide outbreak of COVID-19 *Novel Coronavirus a pandemic*;

WHEREAS, as of March 10, 2020, the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) indicates there are over 125,000 confirmed cases of COVID-19 worldwide with over 900 confirmed cases in the United States;

WHEREAS, the Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS) recognizes COVID-19 as a threat to the residents of Montana.

WHEREAS, the health, safety, and welfare of all the residents in Mineral County is of prime importance.

WHEREAS, the county will experience negative economic impact and the circumstances of this outbreak may exceed the capacity of the services, personnel, equipment, supplies and facilities of Mineral County.

NOW THEREFORE be it resolved by the Mineral County Commissioners that an emergency is hereby declared pursuant to Section 10-3-402 MCA

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be filed with the County Clerk and Recorder and the Montana Disaster and Emergency Services.

Passed and Adopted by the Mineral County Board of County Commissioners this 17th day of March 2020.

ATTEST:

Kelann McLees
Clerk & Recorder

Roman Zylawy
Commissioner

Laurie Johnston
Commissioner

Duane Simons
Commissioner

An emergency teleconference took place with Board Chair R Zylawy and Commissioner L Johnston @ 11:40 AM on March 17, 2020 to adopt this resolution. The Resolution will be signed on Friday, March 20, 2020