



R23-014

**A RESOLUTION OF THE MONO COUNTY
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TERMINATING THE
LOCAL HEALTH EMERGENCY RELATED TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC
DECLARED BY THE COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER ON MARCH 15, 2020, AND
RATIFIED AND EXTENDED BY THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
ON MARCH 17, 2020, AND TERMINATING
THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS DECLARATION OF A LOCAL STATE OF
EMERGENCY DECLARED ON MARCH 17, 2020 (R20-30)**

WHEREAS, on January 31, 2020, the Secretary of Health & Human Services (HHS) declared a public health emergency, under section 319 of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. 247d) in response to the novel coronavirus (COVID-19); and

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization announced that the COVID-19 outbreak met characterizations to be declared a worldwide pandemic; and

WHEREAS, on March 4, 2020, the Governor of the State of California, in accordance with the authority vested by the State Constitution and statutes, including the California Emergency Services Act, and Government Code Section 8625, proclaimed a State of Emergency in California in response to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, section 101080 of the Health and Safety Code authorizes local health officers to declare a local health emergency within the health officer's jurisdiction, or any portion thereof, whenever the health officer reasonably determines that there is an imminent and proximate threat of the introduction of any contagious, infectious, or communicable disease; and

WHEREAS, on March 15, 2020, the Mono County Health Officer declared a local health emergency as a result of imminent and proximate threat to public health from the introduction of COVID-19 in Mono County; and

WHEREAS, on March 17, 2020, the Board of Supervisors of Mono County ratified the Health Officer's declaration of health emergency and also declared a state of local emergency pursuant to the California Emergency Services Act (Government Code section 8630 et seq.); and

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of California, has announced a plan to end the California COVID-19 State of Emergency on Tuesday, February 28, 2023, and resume public

1 health guidance and response efforts that align with current and future federal Health & Human
2 Services and Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC) guidance and requirements; and

3 **WHEREAS**, the President of the United States, has announced the intent to end the
4 national emergency and public health emergency declarations on Thursday, May 11, 2023,
5 related to the COVID-19 pandemic; and

6 **WHEREAS**, the Health Officer of the County of Mono has determined, and the Board
7 of Supervisors concurs, that the local declarations of emergency are no longer required because
8 conditions related to COVID-19 are now within the capabilities of local health care providers
9 and the County to manage and address;

10 **NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF
11 MONO RESOLVES** that:

12 **SECTION ONE:** The Local Health Emergency declared by the County Health Officer
13 on March 15, 2020, and ratified and extended by the Board of Supervisors on March 17, 2020,
14 shall terminate at 11:59 p.m. on Tuesday, February 28, 2023.

15 **SECTION TWO:** The Local State of Emergency declared by the Board of Supervisors
16 in response to the COVID-19 pandemic through Resolution R20-30 on March 17, 2020, shall
17 terminate at 11:59 on Tuesday, February 28, 2023.


18 **PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED** this 21st day of February 2023, by the
19 following vote, to wit:

20 **AYES:** Supervisors Duggan, Gardner, Kreitz, Peters, and Salcido.

21 **NOES:** None.

22 **ABSENT:** None.

23 **ABSTAIN:** None.


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Rhonda Duggan (Feb 22, 2023 08:23 PST)

25 Rhonda Duggan, Chair
26 Mono County Board of Supervisors

27 **ATTEST:**

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30 Clerk of the Board

27 **APPROVED AS TO FORM:**

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30 Stacey Silton (Feb 22, 2023 08:22 PST)
31 County Counsel