



# LINCOLN COUNTY MONTANA

## Resolution 2018-14

### Emergency Millage

#### **THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR LINCOLN COUNTY, MONTANA FINDS:**

1. Lincoln County did, on August 1, 2018 impose Resolution No. 2018-12 Emergency Declaration due to unprecedented wildland fire conditions and severe drought in Lincoln County; and
2. Lincoln County will continue to incur costs during the ongoing multiple fires within the county; and
3. Infrastructure and fire safety mitigation and costs incurred are essential to ensure the health, safety and welfare of residents of the county; and

#### **THE BOARD RESOLVES:**

That an emergency millage is hereby levied pursuant to Section 10-3-405 MCA because expenditures are expected to rise beyond the financial capability of the county. There shall be appropriated immediately to the Emergency/Disaster Fund an amount equivalent of two (2) mills on the taxable valuations of the county outside the incorporated municipalities, pursuant to Section 10-3-405 MCA. Said two (2) mills will be levied during Fiscal Year 2018/2019 and be utilized for expenditures and costs associated from the 2018 fire season.

#### **BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:**

That a copy of this resolution be filed with the County Clerk, County Treasurer, Department of Revenue and the Montana Disaster and Emergency Service Division in Helena.

#### **THE BOARD FURTHER RESOLVES:**

1. If a provision of this resolution conflicts with a provision of a previously adopted resolution, this resolution will prevail.
2. This resolution and its various sections, clauses and paragraphs are severable. If any part, sentence, clause or phrase is adjudged to be unconstitutional or invalid, the remainder of the resolution will not be affected.



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- 3. This resolution will be effective immediately upon adoption, in accordance with § 7-5-123, MCA.
- 4. This Board directs that this resolution be entered into the minutes and signed by the Chair of the Board in accordance with § 7-5-121, MCA.

END OF RESOLUTION

Approved as to Form:

Marcia Boris  
 Marcia Boris, County Attorney

Date presented to the Board 8-15-2018 Approved  Disapproved ( ) Amended ( )

Adopted this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August 2018.

LINCOLN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

Mike Cole  
 Mike Cole, Chair

ATTEST:

Robin A. Benson  
 Robin A. Benson, Clerk of the Board

