

In the Matter of DECLARATION OF)
DROUGHT EMERGENCY)

(AMENDED)
R.S. No. 2022-31
May 24, 2022

RESOLUTION


WHEREAS, due to below normal snowpack in the Snake River Basin, and a low water supply, the cumulative snow water equivalent (SWE) levels are suggesting that many Southern Idaho reservoirs will not fill, or reach their capacity this year. The streamflow forecasted in Idaho suggests that it is between 25 and 75 percent of its median levels which will affect commerce in Bannock County

WHEREAS, Idaho Code § 31-828 authorizes the County Commissioners to perform all acts that may be necessary to the full discharge of the duties of the chief executive authority of the County Government; and

WHEREAS, Idaho Code § 46-1011 provides that the Bannock County Commissioners may declare a local disaster emergency in excess of seven days;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that a disaster declaration is hereby made in Bannock County for the significant economic losses anticipated for Bannock County producers/farmers and/or ranchers due to drought-like conditions, and shall remain in effect until further notice, or until otherwise terminated by resolution, whichever occurs sooner. Bannock County requests assistance from all other entities and resources, including but not limited to the State of Idaho, the Federal Government, and its respective agencies.


BOARD OF BANNOCK COUNTY COMMISSIONERS



Ernie Moser, Chairman

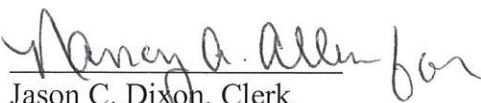


Terrel N. Tovey, Member



Jeff Hough, Member

ATTEST:



Jason C. Dixon, Clerk