EMERGENCY MEETING OF THE BIG STONE COUNTY BOARD April 13, 2023

The Big Stone County Board of Commissioners met in the Commissioners' Room at 8:00 AM on Thursday, April 13, 2023. Chairman Olson called the meeting to order with Commissioners Athey, Sandberg, Klages and Zimmel present. Also present was Coordinator Pam Rud. The Pledge of Allegiance followed.

Motion by Sandberg seconded by Klages and carried to approve the following resolution Declaring a State of Emergency for Big Stone County:

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WHEREAS the high snow amounts causing road damages beginning on March 1, 2023 and causing emergency road repairs; and

WHEREAS due to the high snow amounts the flooding event beginning on April 11, 2023, has impacted the population of Big Stone County, and its cities; and

WHEREAS the event has caused a significant amount of public property damage; and WHEREAS the Big Stone County Department of Emergency Management requests the Big Stone County Board of Commissioners to declare Big Stone County in a STATE OF EMERGENCY for the flooding event beginning on April 11, 2023.

WHEREAS the Board Chair – Brent Olson declares a State of Emergency on behalf of the residents of Big Stone County on the 13th day of April 2023;

NOW, THEREFORE LET IT BE RESOLVED that Big Stone County is under emergency activation of the Emergency Operations Center to aid in the response and recovery of Big Stone County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Big Stone County Board of Commissioners declares Big Stone County in a State of Emergency for conditions resulting from the flooding event of April 11th 2023.

Chairman Olson adjourned the meeting at 8:24 AM.

	ATTEST:
Brent Olson, Chairman	Pam Rud, Coordinator