

**COMMISSIONERS MINUTES**

**AUGUST 9, 2013**

The Elmore County Commissioners met in special session on the above date in the Commissioners Room, basement of the Elmore County Courthouse, 150 South 4<sup>th</sup> East, Mountain Home, Idaho.

Present at the meeting were Chairman Al Hofer and Commissioner Bud Corbus. Commissioner Wes Wootan was on speaker phone. Also present was Clerk Barbara Steele.

The special session was called to declare a disaster in Elmore County due to the Pony Complex Fire, south of the South Fork of the Boise River, and the Elk Complex Fire, north of the South Fork of the Boise River which are forcing the immediate evacuations of Prairie and Elk Flats. The special session is called as an emergency pursuant to I.C. 67-2343(2) as there may be damage to persons or property and/or the loss of life and property.

Motion by Hofer, second by Corbus, to approve and adopt Resolution No. 520-13.

**HOFER ..... -AYE**  
**CORBUS ..... -AYE**  
**WOOTAN ..... -ABSENT**                      **Motion carried and so ordered.**

**ELMORE COUNTY  
DECLARATION OF LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY  
RESOLUTION NO. 520-13**

**AT A MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ELMORE COUNTY (the “County”) COMMISSIONERS (the “Board”), STATE OF IDAHO, ON THE 9<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF AUGUST, 2013, THE FOLLOWING RESOLUTION WAS UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED, TO WIT;**

**WHEREAS**, the Board, pursuant to Idaho Code §46-1011, has the authority to declare a state of local disaster emergency regarding the County; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board has determined that the wild fires located in the County, commonly known and referred to as the Pony Complex Fire and the Elk Complex Fire, are a local disaster emergency; and

**WHEREAS**, a local disaster emergency exists in the County and the County requires state emergency assistance to supplement local efforts to protect life and property and to activate the response and recovery aspects of any and all applicable local or intergovernmental disaster emergency plans and to authorize the furnishing of aid and assistance thereunder; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board requests that the Governor of the State of Idaho, together with the other appropriate state officials, along with other appropriate federal officials, to make such declarations, and provide such assistance within County as required and allowed by law.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that Elmore County Board of Commissioners does hereby declare, pursuant to Idaho Code §46-1011, that a local disaster emergency exists in Elmore County, Idaho; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Governor of the State of Idaho be advised of this local disaster emergency and is requested to take all action available for the amelioration of the above described local disaster emergency; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Elmore County Recorder be directed to properly file this Resolution pursuant to Idaho Code Section 46-1011 and that the Elmore County Clerk provide prompt and general publicity of this declaration.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** , that this Resolution shall remain in effect for seven days, unless it is extended by the Elmore County Board of Commissioners.

Approved as a Resolution of the Elmore County Board of Commissioners effective on this 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 2013.

**ELMORE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**  
/S/ **ALBERT HOFER, Chairman**  
/S/ **FRANKLIN L. CORBUS, Commissioner**  
/S/ **WESLEY R. WOOTAN, Commissioner**  
**ATTEST: /S/ BARBARA STEELE, Clerk**

Motion by Hofer, second by Corbus, to adjourn.

**HOFER** ..... **-AYE**  
**CORBUS** ..... **-AYE**  
**WOOTAN** ..... **-ABSENT**

**Motion carried and so ordered.**

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**ALBERT HOFER, Chairman**

**ATTEST:**

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**BARBARA STEELE, Clerk**