

Local Emergency Disaster Declaration

Jefferson County, Indiana

Authority:

Whereas, Jefferson County, Indiana has been impacted by a Flood which began on or about February 22, 2018 and has affected a majority of roadways, personal and public properties in all communities, and;

Now, therefore, we, the Jefferson County Board of Commissioners, declare that a local disaster emergency exists in the County and that we hereby invoke and declare those portions of the Indiana Code which are applicable to the conditions and have caused the issuance of this proclamation, to be in full force and effect in the County for the exercise of all necessary emergency authority for protection of the lives and property of the people of this County and the restoration of local government with a minimum of interruption.

Reference is hereby made to all appropriate laws, statutes, ordinances, and resolutions and particularly to Indiana Code 10-14-3-29.


All public offices and employees of Jefferson County are hereby directed to exercise the utmost diligence in the discharge of duties required of them for the duration of the emergency and in execution of emergency laws, regulations, and directives—state and local.

All citizens are called upon and directed to comply with necessary emergency measures, to cooperate with public officials and disaster service forces in executing emergency operations plans, and to obey and comply with the lawful directions of properly identified officers.

All operating forces will direct their communications and requests for assistance and operations directly to the Jefferson County Emergency Management Agency.

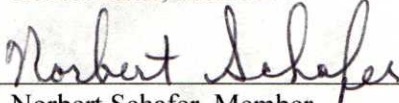
In witness, whereof, we have hereunto set our hand this 26th day of February, 2018.

Jefferson County Board of Commissioners



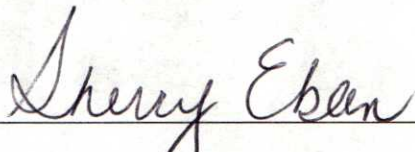
David Bramer, President

Robert Little, Member



Norbert Schafer, Member

Attest:



Jefferson County Auditor