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**RESOLUTION NO. 10-01-03**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF GILA COUNTY, ARIZONA, DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY WITHIN GILA COUNTY AS A RESULT OF SEVERE WEATHER AND FLOODING THAT BEGAN ON JANUARY 19, 2010.**

**WHEREAS**, rain storms are continuing to occur and as of January 19, 2010, have caused damage to public and private structures and roads within Gila County;

**WHEREAS**, these storms have resulted in a condition of peril to the health and safety of many citizens; and

**WHEREAS**, the Chairman of the Gila County Board of Supervisors is authorized by resolution of the Board to declare an emergency.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Supervisors declares that an emergency now exists in Gila County resulting in the following:

- A. The Gila County Emergency Operating Plan is hereby activated and in effect until further notice;
- B. during this emergency, local government agencies assigned emergency roles in the Gila County Emergency Plan are an Emergency Organization of the County; and
- C. mutual aid from appropriate agencies is hereby requested.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that Matt Bolinger, Division Director of Emergency Operations Center and Health Preparedness of Gila County, is authorized to execute for and on behalf of Gila County any documents for the purpose of obtaining certain Federal and State financial assistance under the Disaster Relief Act (Public Law 288, 93rd Congress) and the appropriate Arizona Revised Statutes, or assistance which is otherwise available from the President's Disaster Relief Fund.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 20<sup>th</sup> day of January 2010.

Attest:

  
Marian Sheppard, Chief Deputy Clerk

**GILA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

  
Shirley L. Dawson, Chairman