

RESOLUTION

DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, does hereby find that due to the recent lack of rain, coupled with windy conditions, the County faces dangerous conditions of sufficient severity and magnitude to warrant coordinated local government action to prevent or alleviate the damage, loss, hardship, or suffering threatened or caused thereby, including an immediate prohibition on open burning; and

WHEREAS, a condition of extreme peril of life and property necessitated the declaration of the existence of an emergency; and

WHEREAS, due to exigent circumstances, the Board of Supervisors was unable to convene to consent to the declaration of a local emergency.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, that, pursuant to Section 44-146.21 of the *Code of Virginia*, 1950, as amended, the Declaration of a Local Emergency dated March 15, 2006, by Sanford B. Wanner, Director of Emergency Management for James City County, be, and the same hereby is, confirmed.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Director of Emergency Management and the Emergency Operations Division of the James City County Fire Department shall exercise those powers, functions, and duties as prescribed by state law and the ordinances, resolutions, and approved plans of James City County in order to mitigate the effects of said emergency.



Bruce C. Goodson
Chairman, Board of Supervisors

<u>SUPERVISOR</u>	<u>VOTE</u>
HARRISON	AYE
ICENHOUR	AYE
MCGLENNON	AYE
BRADSHAW	AYE
GOODSON	AYE

ATTEST:



Sanford B. Wanner
Clerk to the Board

Adopted by the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, this 28th day of March, 2006.