

**STATE OF MONTANA
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 13-2019**

**EXECUTIVE ORDER DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY TO EXIST IN
TETON COUNTY WITHIN THE STATE OF MONTANA**

WHEREAS, on May 26, 2019, a favorable weather pattern for flooding developed along the Rocky Mountain Front and produced a 48-hour period of rainfall ranging from three-quarters of an inch to six inches on top of snow levels above 7,000 ft;

WHEREAS, the National Weather Service reported impacts from the storm to include river and overland flooding;

WHEREAS, Teton County enacted an emergency declaration and activated applicable portions of jurisdictional emergency plans and programs;

WHEREAS, on May 26, 2019, the State Emergency Coordination Center (SECC) was activated and monitored flooding near the Rocky Mountain Front;

WHEREAS, the availability and utilization of all necessary state government services, equipment and supplies under this declaration will further the efforts to protect health and safety and to preserve the lives, property and resources of the people of the State of Montana; and

WHEREAS, under these conditions pursuant to §§ 10-3-302, 10-3-311 and 10-3-312, MCA, the Governor may mobilize state resources to protect life, health, and property and may expend funds up to the amount determined by the Office of Budget and Program Planning to meet contingencies and needs arising from these conditions.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, STEVE BULLOCK, Governor of the State of Montana, pursuant to the authority vested in me under the Constitution and the laws of the State of Montana, Title 10, Chapter 3, MCA, and under other applicable statutes, do hereby declare an emergency to exist within the State of Montana, specifically Teton County, as defined in §§ 10-3-103 and 10-3-302, MCA.

This Order is effective retroactively to May 25, 2019.

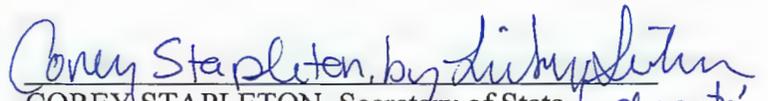
GIVEN under my hand and the GREAT SEAL of
the State of Montana this 4 day of
September, 2019.





STEVE BULLOCK, Governor

ATTEST:



COREY STAPLETON, Secretary of State / deputy