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WHEREAS the Department of Emergency Management reported to the City Manager, beginning February 7, 1996, that heavy rains caused flooding, mud slides, and other severe problems within the City of Tacoma, and

WHEREAS these problems caused a threat to life and property, and

WHEREAS this grave situation caused by the extraordinary amount of rainfall constituted an emergency as defined by the City of Tacoma Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan and necessitated the utilization of emergency powers granted pursuant to Tacoma Municipal Code 1.10, RCW 35.33.081, and RCW 38.52.070(2); Now, Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TACOMA:

That the Proclamation of Emergency of the City Manager of February 8, 1996, proclaimed because of flooding, mud slides, and other severe problems within the City of Tacoma caused by heavy rains, was properly made under circumstances where prior approval of the City Council was not obtainable, and is hereby confirmed and ratified. Said Proclamation is attached hereto and adopted by the City Council as its own by reference thereto.

Adopted FEB 13 1996

Rick Rosenblatt

Attest: City Clerk

Brian Egan
Mayor

Approved as to form and legality:

Shelley Johnson
City Attorney

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PROCLAMATION OF EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Department of Emergency Management has reported to the City Manager, beginning February 7, 1996, heavy rains have caused flooding, mud slides and other severe problems within the City of Tacoma,

WHEREAS, these problems have caused a threat to life and property, and,

WHEREAS, this constitutes an emergency as defined by the City of Tacoma Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan and necessitates the utilization of emergency powers granted pursuant to City Code 1.10, RCW 35.33.081 and RCW 38.52.070(2); therefore,

BE IT PROCLAIMED BY THE CITY MANAGER that an emergency exists in the City of Tacoma; therefore, City of Tacoma departments are authorized to do the following:

- (1) enter into contracts and incur obligations necessary to combat such emergency situations to protect the health and safety of persons and property, and,
- (2) provide appropriate emergency assistance to the victims of such disaster,
- (3) take other emergency actions to protect life and property, as appropriate.

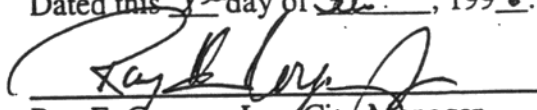
Each City of Tacoma department is authorized to exercise the powers vested under this proclamation in the light of the exigencies of an extreme emergency situation without regard to time consuming procedures and formalities prescribed by law (excepting mandatory constitutional requirements).

This Proclamation shall be confirmed by the City Council at the earliest practicable time.

Dated this 9th day of Feb., 1996.

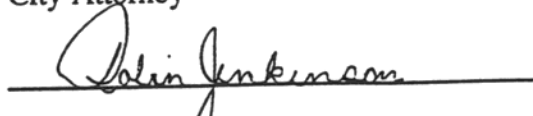


Brian Ebersole, Mayor



Ray E. Corpuz, Jr. City Manager

Approved as to form:
City Attorney



Recommended by:
Director of Emergency Management

