

DISASTER DECLARATION

RESOLUTION DECLARING LOCAL DISASTER

WHEREAS, the City of Englewood has suffered from a severe storm that occurred on July 24, 2018; and the City experienced rainfall amounts over a two day period starting on July 23, 2018 that were between 2" and 5" (total) causing washouts and flood conditions. High winds caused extensive damage to trees and structures. Power lines, electric and phone service was interrupted in many areas. Other roads temporarily closed Tuesday were Santa Fe, Oxford Avenue, Kenyon Avenue & Windermere, Highway 285 & Cherokee, Broadway & Tufts, and Acoma Street;

WHEREAS, the City of Englewood experienced widespread or severe damage to major roads, residential and commercial property, public and private property, disruption of utility service, and endangerment of health and safety of the residents of Englewood;

WHEREAS, the cost and magnitude of responding to and recovering from the impact of the ensuing event is far in excess of locally available public and private resources;

WHEREAS, pursuant to the provisions of Section 24-33.5-709, Colorado Revised Statutes and any other legal authority;

WHEREAS, the Englewood City Manager, has determined that it would be appropriate and in the interests of the public health and safety, and protection of property to declare a local disaster;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The Englewood City Manager, on behalf of the City, hereby declares the City of Englewood to be a local disaster area.
2. The effect of this declaration of disaster shall be to activate the response and recovery aspects of any and all applicable local and inter-jurisdictional disaster emergency plans and to authorize the furnishing of aid and assistance under such plans.


BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall be effective upon the date and time given below, and shall remain in effect for a period not to exceed seven days thereafter except by the consent of the majority of the City Council of the City of Englewood. Copies will be filed promptly with the Colorado Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management and the Englewood City Clerk.

SIGNED AND EFFECTIVE at Englewood Colorado, this 25th day of July, 2018.

Englewood City Council

By: 
Mayor

Attest:


City Clerk

***Fax to Colorado Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Management when complete:
720-852-6750***

Copy to be filed with the City Clerk and Arapahoe County Office of Emergency Management.