

Monroe County Disaster Emergency
Declaration for Flooding, Wind
Damage and Hail

Monroe County, Indiana
June 19, 2021

Authority

Whereas, Monroe County, Indiana has been impacted by or is immediately threatened by the following emergency conditions: Flash and Aerial Flooding, Wind Damage, and Hail Damage.

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Now, therefore, I, Julie Thomas as President of the Monroe County board of Commissioners, declare that a local disaster emergency exists for the next seven (7) days* in the county and hereby invoke those portions of the Indiana Code which are applicable to the conditions and have caused the issuance of this declaration to be in full force and effect in the county for the exercise of all necessary emergency measures necessary for protection of lives and property and the prompt restoration of local government services.

The effect of this declaration is to:

- (1) Activate the response and recovery aspects of all applicable county disaster emergency plans.
- (2) Authorize the furnishing of aid and assistance under the plans.

Such employees are also hereby directed to exercise the utmost diligence in the discharge of duties required of them for the duration of the emergency and in execution of emergency laws, regulations, and directives, state and local.

In accordance with IC 10-14-3-29, (d), this Declaration does not prohibit individuals engaged in employment necessary to maintain a safe rail system, restore a public utility or provide any other emergency public service from traveling within the County during this local disaster emergency.

All operating forces will direct their communications and requests for assistance and operations directly to the Monroe County Emergency Operating Center.

Reference is hereby made to all appropriate laws, statutes, ordinances, and resolutions, and particularly to section 10-14-3-29 of the Indiana Code.

This Declaration shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly in the office of the County Clerk.

In witness, whereof, we have hereunto set our hand this 19th, day of June, 2021.

Monroe County Board of Commissioners



Julie Thomas, President

The Board of Commissioners, at its June 23rd meeting hereby approve and affirm the action described in this Declaration.

Monroe County Board of Commissioners

President

Member

Member

Attest: _____

_____ County Auditor

*IC 10-14-3-29 states that a local disaster emergency declaration may not be continued or renewed for more than seven (7) days except by or with the consent of the governing body of the political subdivision.