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ULKATCHO BAND COUNCIL RESOLUTION

BCR # 2023-69

Date Approved At Council Meeting: July 25, 2023s

AGENCY DISTRICT:

B.C. REGION

PROVINCE:

BRITISH COLUMBIA

PLACE OF APPROVAL

ANAHIM LAKE

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RE: <u>Evacuation Fire Alert for Area between Gatcho Lake Fire G 41158 Evacuation Order and Anahim Lake Peak Fire C51571 Evacuation Order (NEW AREA Salmon River area and Rainbow Lake area).</u>

WHEREAS:

The Ulkatcho First Nation supports an immediate Alert for the area between Gatcho Lake Fire and Anahim Peak Fire (Salmon River, Rainbow Lake) see attached CRDS Map

WHEREAS: The Wildfire in the area is imminently threatening the Ulkatcho First Nation /Territory

AND WHEREAS AND IT APPLICABLE: The Caribou Chilcotin Regional District and/or the Coastal Regional District has declared a State of Emergency due to the existing threat,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT: The Ulkatcho First Nation Chief and Council Declaration of a State of Local emergency (SOLE) for assurance of an Evacuation. The Ulkatcho First Nation Council hereby declare a State of Local Emergency pursuant to the authority of the Chief and Council as per its funding agreement with Canada which outlines that Chief and Council "shall provide for the preservation of Public Health and Safety and the prevention of the Environment."

NOW THEREFORE; BE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT: the Ulkatcho First Nation, employees, servants and agents are empowered by a duly signed Band and Council resolution to work in Collaboration with the primary response agency to perform all acts and implemental procedures that are considered necessary to prevent or to alleviate the effects of the emergency: including

Acquire or use any land or personal property considered necessary to prevent, respond to or alleviate the effects of an emergency or disaster.

Authorize or require any person to render assistance of a type that the person is qualified to provide or that otherwise is or may be required to prevent, respond to alleviate the effects of an emergency or disaster.

Control or prohibit travel not or from any area designated in the declaration within the Band Council's jurisdiction.

Provide for the restoration of essential facilities and the distribution of essential supplies and provide, maintain, and coordinate emergency medical, welfare and other essential services in any part of the Band Council's jurisdiction.

Chief Lynda Price

Coungilor Authony Sims

Coulcilor Mabelene Leon

Councilor Nelson (Charlie) Williams

Councillor Carinne Cahoose

Councilor Pamela Garner

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