

City of Alexandria, Virginia

MEMORANDUM

DATE: January 21, 2016

TO: THE HONORABLE MAYOR AND MEMBERS OF CITY COUNCIL

FROM: MARK B. JINKS, CITY MANAGER

SUBJECT: RESOLUTION AFFIRMING LOCAL EMERGENCY DECLARATION FOR JANUARY 2016 SNOW BLIZZARD.

ISSUE: Resolution affirming Local Emergency Declaration for JANUARY 2016 SNOW BLIZZARD.

RECOMMENDATION: That City Council adopt the attached resolution (Attachment 1).

DISCUSSION: As a result of the imminent Snow Blizzard of January 2016 occurring on January 22-23, 2016, I issued a Local Declaration of Emergency (Attachment 2) so that the City was positioned to take advantage of any State or federal assistance that might become available.

State law requires that City Council affirm my Local Emergency Declaration within 14 days. I recommend that Council adopt the resolution.

ATTACHMENTS:

Attachment 1: Proposed Resolution

Attachment 2: Local Emergency Declaration

STAFF:

Corey A. Smedley, Emergency Management Coordinator/Deputy Fire Chief