

WHEREAS on August 31, 2017, and on September 1, 2017, Governor Edmund G. Brown, Jr. proclaimed that states of emergency did then exist and continue to exist in Trinity County and Butte County as a result of the Helena and Ponderosa fires; and

WHEREAS Governor Brown's proclamation found that the Helena and Ponderosa fires have burned thousands of acres, continue to burn, have destroyed multiple homes and threaten other homes and structures, and caused the evacuation of residents; and

WHEREAS Governor Brown's proclamation found that the Helena and Ponderosa fires also have damaged and continue to threaten critical infrastructure, including power lines, and have forced the closure of roadways; and

WHEREAS the Bank Extraordinary Situation Closing Act, in Financial Code section 1092, empowers the Commissioner of Business Oversight, by proclamation, to authorize state-chartered banks to close any or all of their offices in affected areas until the Commissioner determines the extraordinary situation has ended, or until the officers of the bank determine that one or more offices should reopen; and

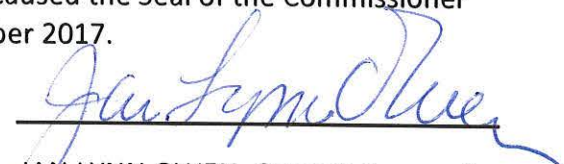
WHEREAS an extraordinary situation is any condition or occurrence that may interfere or is inconsistent with the conduct of normal business operations at one or more offices of a bank or which poses a threat to the safety or security of persons or property, or both;

NOW THEREFORE I, JAN LYNN OWEN, Commissioner of Business Oversight, in accordance with Governor Brown's proclamations that a state of emergency exists in Trinity County and Butte County, and by the authority vested in me by Financial Code Section 1092, HEREBY FIND AND PROCLAIM THAT AN EXTRAORDINARY SITUATION EXISTS IN TRINITY COUNTY AND BUTTE COUNTY.

I HEREBY AUTHORIZE state-chartered banks that have offices located in Trinity County and Butte County to close any or all of their offices until further proclamation of the Commissioner that the extraordinary situation has ended or until such time as the officers of the bank determine that one or more closed offices should reopen and for such further time as may reasonably be required to reopen.

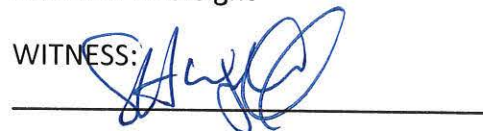
IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the Commissioner of Business Oversight to be affixed this 1st day of September 2017.





JAN LYNN OWEN, Commissioner of
Business Oversight

WITNESS:



SCOTT WYCKOFF, General Counsel