

**RESOLUTION NO. 121-17**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND,  
CALIFORNIA, RENEWING AND CONTINUING THE LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO  
LANDSLIDE DAMAGE ON RIFLE RANGE ROAD FIRST DECLARED BY THE CITY  
OF RICHMOND ON MARCH 7, 2017**

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**WHEREAS**, the City Council declared the existence of a local emergency on March 7, 2017 due to the imminent hazard to Rifle Range Road resulting from a recent landslide activity; and

**WHEREAS**, the cause of the landslide is under investigation and is possibly due to soils deleteriously affected by a combination of heavy rains, winter storms, groundwater, water intrusion, or saturated soils; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council found that conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property had arisen as a result of continued movement of the landslide that imperils the roadway; and

**WHEREAS**, the City ratified the declaration of a local emergency under Resolution No. 15-17 on March 7, 2017 as required by California Government Code Section 8630; and

**WHEREAS**, California Government Code Section 8630 requires that the governing body shall review the need for continuing the local emergency at least once every 30 days until the local emergency is terminated; and

**WHEREAS**, the City Council renewed and continued the declaration of a local emergency under Resolution No. 25-17 on March 21, 2017, under Resolution No. 30-17 on April 4, 2017, under Resolution No. 37-17 on April 18, 2017, under Resolution No. 42-17 on May 2, 2017, under Resolution No. 50-17 on May 16, 2017, under Resolution No. 59-17 on June 6, 2017, under Resolution No. 65-17 on June 20, 2017, under Resolution 79-17 on July 11, 2017, under Resolution 88-17 on July 18, 2017, under Resolution 104-17 on September 12, 2017, and under Resolution No. 118-17 on October 3, 2017. The City Manager, pursuant to authority delegated by the Council, renewed and continued the declaration of local emergency on August 15, 2017.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Council of the City of Richmond hereby confirms the continued existence of the local emergency declared on March 7, 2017 on and around Rifle Range Road in the City of Richmond.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that during the existence of said local emergency the powers, functions, and duties of the emergency organization of this City shall be those prescribed by state law and the charter, ordinances, resolutions, and approved plans of the City of Richmond.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the Council of the City of Richmond hereby requests that the Governor of the State of California declare and proclaim a state of emergency in the City of Richmond with regards to the Rifle Range Road landslide.

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I certify that the foregoing resolution was passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond at a regular meeting thereof held October 17, 2017, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Choi, Martinez, Myrick, Recinos, Willis, Vice Mayor Beckles, and Mayor Butt.  
NOES: None.  
ABSTENTIONS: None.  
ABSENT: None.

PAMELA CHRISTIAN  
CLERK OF THE CITY OF RICHMOND  
(SEAL)

Approved:

TOM BUTT  
Mayor

Approved as to form:

BRUCE GOODMILLER  
City Attorney

State of California }  
County of Contra Costa : ss.  
City of Richmond }

I certify that the foregoing is a true copy of **Resolution No. 121-17**, finally passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Richmond at a regular meeting held on October 17, 2017.

  
Pamela Christian, Clerk of the City of Richmond