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Board of Supervisors

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RESOLUTION

DECLARATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Westmoreland does hereby find as follows:

1. That due to the lack of rainfall, the extremely dry conditions and the danger that any open burning could cause the County of Westmoreland is enacting a **Burning Ban until further notice.** The County of Westmoreland is facing a condition of extreme peril to the lives, safety, and property of the residents of Westmoreland County; and

2. That as a result of this extreme peril, the proclamation of the existence of an emergency is necessary to permit the powers of government to deal effectively with this condition of peril.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED that an emergency now exists throughout said County; and

IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that during the existence of said emergency the powers, functions, and duties of the Director of Emergency Services and the Coordinator of Emergency Services of the County of Westmoreland shall be those prescribed by state law and the ordinances, resolutions, and approved plans of the County of Westmoreland in order to mitigate the effects of said emergency.

Effective: July 9, 2024 at 6:00 PM

Dated: <u>July 9, 2024</u>

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Darryl E. Fisher, Chairman
Westmoreland County Board of Supervisors

Attest: _____
Interim Clerk, Board of Supervisors
Westmoreland County, VA