

Town of Brookville, Indiana

Declaration of Local Disaster Emergency

Whereas, beginning on the 11th day of August, 2026, violent thunderstorms and heavy rainfall have resulted in the Whitewater River reaching historic levels which have caused significant flooding within the municipal boundaries of the Town of Brookville, Indiana;

Whereas, Indiana Code § 10-14-3-29(a) allows for a local disaster emergency to be declared by the principal executive officer of a political subdivision and such a declaration may be for a period of seven (7) days unless renewed by the governing board of the political subdivision for a longer period of time;

Whereas, for purposes of Indiana Code § 10-14-3-29(a) and pursuant to Indiana Code § 36-5-2-2, the principal executive officer of the Town of Brookville, Indiana is the President of the Brookville Town Council and the governing board is the entire Brookville Town Council; and

Whereas, after consultation with Franklin County Emergency Management, the Brookville Police Department, the Town's Water/Wastewater Main Operator, and the Town's Street Superintendent, the President of the Brookville Town Council believes it is necessary that a local disaster emergency be declared in the Town of Brookville as set forth below.

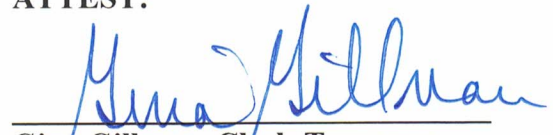
Therefore, be it proclaimed by the President of the Town Council of the Town of Brookville, Indiana as follows:

1. Pursuant to the provisions and restrictions of Indiana Code § 10-14-3, there is hereby declared a LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY in the Town of Brookville, Indiana to begin retroactive to the 11th day of August, 2026 due to violent thunderstorms and catastrophic flooding;
2. Said local disaster emergency shall be for a period of seven (7) days unless renewed by the Brookville Town Council. If the local disaster emergency is not renewed, it shall terminate automatically at the conclusion of the initial seven (7) days;
3. The effect of this local declaration emergency is to: (1) activate the response and recovery aspects of all applicable local or interjurisdictional disaster emergency plans; and (2) authorize the furnishing of aid and assistance under the plans.

All of which is declared by the President of the Town Council of the Town of Brookville, Indiana on this the 17th day of August, 2026.

ATTEST:


John Estridge, President
Town of Brookville, Indiana

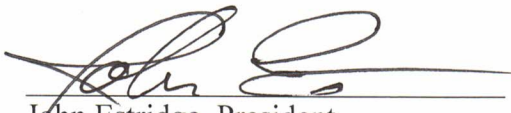

Gina Gillman, Clerk-Treasurer
Town of Brookville, Indiana

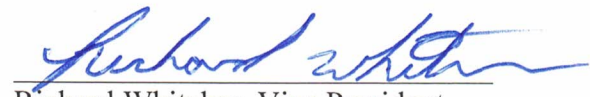
CONTINUATION OF LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY

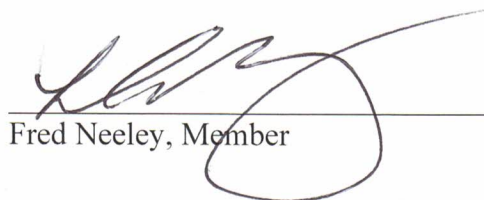
Comes now the Town Council of the Town of Brookville, Indiana and hereby declares that the local disaster emergency previously declared on the 17th day of August, 2026 shall be, and hereby is, continued until the 18th day of September, 2026 pursuant to Indiana Code § 10-14-3-29(b)(2).

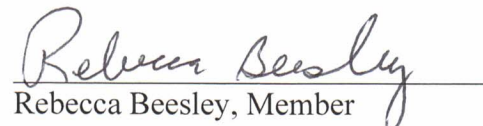
All of which was approved and declared by the Town Council of the Town of Brookville, Indiana on this the 17th day of August, 2026.

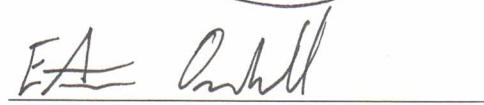
BROOKVILLE TOWN COUNCIL


John Estridge, President

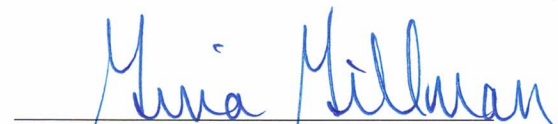

Richard Whitaker, Vice President


Fred Neeley, Member


Rebecca Beesley, Member


Ethan Orschell, Member

ATTEST:


Gina Gillman, Clerk-Treasurer

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