

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-18

**A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF LIBERTY COUNTY, FLORIDA DECLARING A LOCAL STATE
OF EMERGENCY FOR TROPICAL STORM IDALIA EVENT.**

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of County Commissioners of Liberty County (“Board”), Florida as follows:

1. Liberty County is a political subdivision of the State of Florida, which is authorized pursuant to Chapter 252, Florida Statutes to declare a local state of emergency in Liberty County and to exercise all statutorily authorized emergency powers to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of the community.
2. Liberty County anticipates that Tropical Storm Idalia Event will cause dangerous hurricane force winds, flooding, and possible tornados locally.
3. The Board hereby declares that a local state of emergency exists because of the Tropical Storm Idalia Event and recognizes that the potential exists that it could pose an immediate threat to citizens and property in Liberty County.
4. This emergency may require the immediate assistance of municipal, state, and federal aid to address any emergency impacts on the citizens of Liberty County.
5. The provision of this Declaration shall remain in effect for a period of seven (7) days, unless terminated earlier by the Board or the Chair of the Board.
6. **THIS RESOLUTION** shall become effective immediately.


Adopted this 28 day of August, 2023.

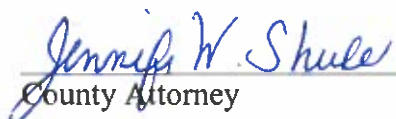
**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
LIBERTY COUNTY, FLORIDA**


~~Hannah Causseaux, Chair~~
Jim Johnson, Vice-Chair

ATTEST:

Approved as to form:


Daniel Stanley, Clerk


County Attorney