



**WHATCOM COUNTY  
REQUEST FOR ASSISTANCE**

WHEREAS, the severity and magnitude of this disaster is beyond the capability of local resources:

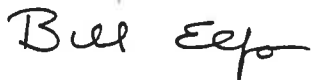
WHEREAS, Whatcom County needs supplemental assistance in the following areas:

- (1) Public Assistance for damages to infrastructure;
- (2) Other appropriate state and/or federal resources.

THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Whatcom County Executive does hereby declare Whatcom County a Disaster Area and requests the Honorable Governor of the State of Washington to grant or seek to obtain such assistance as herein requested.

Dated this 7th day of February 2017.

Recommended by:



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Sheriff Bill Elfo DMP  
Director of Emergency Management

Approved as to Form:



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Deputy Prosecuting Attorney



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Jack Louws, Whatcom County Executive

**Approved as to Form:**

**The Emergency Proclamation template has been approved as to form and is on file in the Whatcom County Division of Emergency Management office.**