



City of East Grand Forks

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DECLARATION FOR LOCAL STATE OF EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, as Mayor of East Grand Forks I find that the following situation exists:

Predicted flooding of the Red River of the North and the Red Lake River by the National Weather Service. The National Weather Service is predicting the river levels may reach 46 feet or higher.

WHEREAS, the river is considered to be at flood stage when it reaches 28 feet; and

WHEREAS, I find that conditions can change rapidly due to temperature change, ice blockages, or many other possible variables that can affect the flood waters; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Steven Gander, Mayor of East Grand Forks declare this situation to be a local emergency effective on March 24, 2020.

This declaration of a local emergency will invoke the city's disaster plan. The portions that are necessary for response to and recovery from the emergency must be used.

3-24-20

Date

Steven Gander

Steven Gander, Mayor of East Grand Forks

ATTEST:

Megan Nelson

City Clerk, Megan Nelson