

Memorandum

TO: HONORABLE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL

FROM: Kip Harkness

Deputy City Manager

SUBJECT: FLOOD RECOVERY UPDATE

DATE: March 20, 2017

Approved 3/20/17

<u>INFORMATION</u>

On Friday, March 10, 2017 the City of San Jose deactivated the Recovery Operations Center and transitioned the coordination and execution of flood recovery activities to City Hall. The ongoing flood recovery work is being coordinated by the City Manager's Office. Staff from all relevant departments are continuing to work on flood recovery efforts through daily coordination meetings that address immediate needs and twice-weekly long-term recovery planning meetings. The areas of work currently undertaken by staff include: damage assessment coordination, debris management, finance and logistics, flood prevention and emergency response preparation, housing and general assistance, management coordination, permitting assistance, public information and outreach, re-entry issues, support for businesses, and volunteer coordination.

The Administration has requested that the March 28 City Council item regarding the extension of the emergency resolution be expanded to include an update on the flood recovery efforts. This item will include an update on flood recovery efforts, resources available to impacted residents, and provide an opportunity for Council discussion and public comment.

/s/ KIP HARKNESS Deputy City Manager

For questions, please contact Kip Harkness, Deputy City Manager, at (408) 535-3545.

