

## **RESOLUTION AND AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ALABAMA INTER-LOCAL MUTUAL AID AGREEMENT**

**WHEREAS**, Act of Alabama 2025-206 amended the Code of Alabama 1975, §§31-9-9 and §31-9-11 to expand the scope wherein local emergency management organizations may provide reciprocal aid and assistance to other public or private agencies in the State of Alabama pursuant to a mutual aid agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, Act of Alabama 2025-206 grants the authority to the governing body of each local emergency management organization to develop mutual aid agreements with other public and private agencies within this state for mutual aid and assistance to protect the public peace, health, and safety, and to preserve the lives and property of the people of the state, and it further provides that employees of political subdivisions have the same powers and immunities when they act outside of the political subdivision pursuant to a mutual aid agreement; and

**WHEREAS**, each Entity desiring to participate in the Alabama Inter-Local Mutual Aid Agreement is required to adopt a resolution, signifying its desire to participate and its agreement to the terms and conditions of participation; and

**WHEREAS**, the BALDWIN County Commission desires to adopt and participate in the Alabama Inter-Local Mutual Aid Agreement and understands and agrees to the provisions as set out therein.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the BALDWIN County Commission that the Director of the BALDWIN County Emergency Management Agency is hereby granted authority to enter this and future mutual aid agreements, as needed, to support prevention, protection, mitigation, response, and recovery of planned or unplanned events, emergencies, and/or disasters.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that it is the intent of the BALDWIN County Commission, by adoption of this resolution, to enter into the Alabama Inter-Local Mutual Aid Agreement with all other participating Entities and to agree to all terms and conditions set out therein.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a copy of this resolution be immediately forwarded to the Alabama Association of Emergency Managers and the State of Alabama Emergency Management Agency with a request that the BALDWIN County Commission be included as a participant of the Alabama Inter-Local Mutual Aid Agreement.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, the BALDWIN County Commission has caused this Resolution to be executed in its name and on its behalf on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025.

Signed,

\_\_\_\_\_  
THOMAS O. TYLER, DIRECTOR  
BALDWIN COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY

\_\_\_\_\_  
JAMES E. BALL, CHAIRMAN  
BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION

ATTEST:

\_\_\_\_\_  
ROGER H. RENDLEMAN, COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR  
BALDWIN COUNTY COMMISSION