## **RESOLUTION 2021-25**

## DISASTER DECLARATION Lincoln County Kansas

WHEREAS, on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2021, the Board of Commissioners of Lincoln, County, Kansas finds that certain conditions have caused, or eminently threaten to cause widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property in disaster proportion in Lincoln County, Kansas;

WHEREAS, Lincoln County has suffered from a High/Historic Wind Incident that occurred on 12/15/2021 at approximately 10:00 AM Central Time to 12/16/2021 approximately 2:00 AM Central Time causing severe damage to public and private property, disruption of utility service, and endangerment of health and safety of the citizens of Lincoln County within the disaster area.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of Commissioner of Lincoln County, Kansas:

That the Board of County Commissioners of Lincoln County, Kansas under and by virtue of the authority vested in it by K.S.A. 48-932 does hereby declare a state of emergency exists.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED that the area within the border of Lincoln County, Kansas covered by this declaration is the entire area of Lincoln County, Kansas

BE FURTHER RESOLVED that said Board has all rights and/or powers to perform such functions as are vested in said Board by and through the provisions of the Emergency Preparedness Act of 1975.

IT IS FURTHER RESOLVED AND PROCLAIMED that this resolution shall remain in effect for a period of thirty (30) days unless terminated earlier or renewed by consent of the governing body.

ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF LINCOLN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, this 16<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2021.

Dawn M Harlow, County Clerk

Randy Lohmann, Chairman

Dennis Ray, Vice-Chairman

Darrell K. Oetting, Member