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A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CALISTOGA, COUNTY OF NAPA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, ADOPTING A FIRE HAZARD SEVERITY ZONE AND DESIGNATION OF A VERY HIGH FIRE HAZARD SEVERITY ZONE FOR CALISTOGA LOCAL RESPONSIBILITY AREA

1 2 WHEREAS, the City of Calistoga designate's Very High Fire Hazard Severity 3 Zones as recommended by the Director of the California Department of Forestry and 4 Fire Protection and as designated on the map entitled Calistoga Area Very High Fire 5 Hazard Severity Zone; and 6 7 WHEREAS, the purpose of this resolution is to comply with Government Code Section 51179(a) by designation of a Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone within the 8 jurisdiction of the City of Calistoga; and 9 10 WHEREAS, by so designating a Very High Fire Hazards Severity Zone, identified 11 measures as contained in Government Code Section 51182 will retard the rate of spread 12 and reduce the potential intensity of uncontrolled fires that threaten to destroy life, 13 14 property and resources and require that those measures be taken; and 15 16 WHEREAS, the requirement of such measures provides for the protection of the 17 public safety, health, property and welfare of the City of Calistoga for development in areas designated as Very High Fire Hazard Severity Zone; and 18 19 20 WHEREAS, the City Council, based on the materials presented and recommendations of the Fire Chief and Building Official of the City of Calistoga finds that 21 22 it is necessary to adopt the Fire Hazard Severity Zone and Designation of Very High Fire 23 Hazard Severity Zone for Calistoga Local Responsibility Area. 24 25 NOW. THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of 26 Calistoga hereby adopts the Fire Hazard Severity Zone and designation of Very High 27 Fire Hazard Severity Zone, for Calistoga's Local Responsibility Area. 28 PASSED. APPROVED. AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of 29 30 Calistoga at a regular meeting held this 18th day of November, 2008, by the following 31 vote: 32 AYES: NOES: 33 **ABSTAIN/ABSENT:** 34 35 36 37 JACK GINGLES, Mayor 38 39 ATTEST: 40 41 SUSAN SNEDDON, City Clerk 42

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