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Colorado Statutes/TITLE 24 GOVERNMENT - STATE/PRINCIPAL DEPARTMENTS/ARTICLE 32 DEPARTMENT OF LOCAL AFFAIRS/PART 21 OFFICE OF DISASTER EMERGENCY SERVICES/24-32-2109. Local disaster emergencies.

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(1) A local disaster may be declared only by the principal executive officer of a political subdivision. It shall not be continued or renewed for a period in excess of seven days except by or with the consent of the governing board of the political subdivision. Any order or proclamation declaring, continuing, or terminating a local disaster emergency shall be given prompt and general publicity and shall be filed promptly with the county clerk and recorder, city clerk, or other authorized record-keeping agency and with the division.

(2) The effect of a declaration of a local disaster emergency is to activate the response and recovery aspects of any and all applicable local and interjurisdictional disaster emergency plans and to authorize the furnishing of aid and assistance under such plans.

(3) No interjurisdictional disaster agency or official thereof may declare a local disaster emergency unless expressly authorized by the agreement pursuant to which the agency functions. An interjurisdictional disaster agency shall provide aid and services in accordance with the agreement pursuant to which it functions.

Source: L. 92: Entire part added, p. 1022, § 5, effective March 12.

ANNOTATION

Am. Jur.2d. See 53A Am. Jur.2d, Military and Civil Defense, §§ 447-449.

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ARVADA CHARTER

13.7. Continuity of government.

The City Council shall have the power to provide for continuity of the Government of the City of Arvada in event of natural or enemy caused disaster. Such power shall be employed in a manner which will preserve representative government in the City, and which will provide an orderly line of succession of officers notwithstanding the provisions of this Charter.

(Ord. No. 3712, § 2, 8-6-2001/11-6-2001)