

City of Cottage Grove
Local Declaration of State of Emergency

I, Faye Stewart, Interim City Manager & Emergency Manager, have the authority to declare areas of the City of Cottage Grove, "Emergency Areas" according to City Charter and Cottage Grove Municipal Code 8.20.040 Emergency Declaration.

On the 14th day of January, 2024 at 8:55 am the following area is declared an "Emergency Area":

City Limits of Cottage Grove, Oregon

The emergency is: Winter storm-related utility failures, tree damage, tree clearing, road clearing, sanitary and storm system failure.

The emergency shall continue from the above noted date and time until the emergency no longer exists, or when the threat of an emergency has passed.

Declaration of an emergency area under authority of the City of Cottage Grove Municipal Code empowers the City Manager with authority to exercise police power.

Lane County was notified.



Faye Stewart, Interim City Manager

On this _____ day of _____, at ____ o'clock ____ am ____ pm, by action of the Mayor and City Council of the City of Cottage Grove, this Declaration of Emergency is reaffirmed.

Candace Solesbee Mayor

On this _____ day of _____, at ____ o'clock ____ am ____ pm, this Declaration is rescinded by Council action.

**City of Cottage Grove
Declaration of State of Emergency
To Lane County**

To: Jeff Kincaid, Lane County Interim Emergency Manager

From: Faye Stewart, Interim Cottage Grove City Manager

Beginning on January 13, 2024, a winter storm bringing over 1" of freezing rain and ice throughout the City of Cottage Grove and surrounding areas threatening life and property.

The City of Cottage Grove declared this storm an emergency at 8:55 am on January 14, 2024.

Description of emergency:

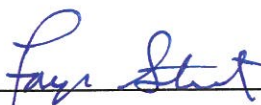
The winter storm created freezing rain and ice bring down trees and limbs causing a power outage throughout the City blocking roads, sidewalks, utility failures, tree damage, tree clearing, road clearing, sanitary, water, and storm system failures.

The geographic boundaries of the emergency are:

The City limits of Cottage Grove and surrounding region

This declaration of emergency shall be effective until the emergency no longer exists, or when the threat of emergency has passed.

I do hereby declare that a State of Emergency now exists in the City of Cottage Grove and that Cottage Grove has expended all appropriate and available resources. I respectfully request that Lane County provide assistance, consider the City of Cottage Grove an "Emergency Area" as provided in ORS 401, request appropriate support from State agencies and or Federal Government, and provide the following forms of assistance:

 _____ Signed	<u>1/14/2024</u> _____ Date	<u>8:55 am</u> _____ Time
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This request may be passed to County via radio, telephone, or FAX. Hard copies must be sent to County Office of Emergency Management with a copy placed in the final incident package.