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VILLAGE OF EAST HAMPTON

Office of

MAYOR

EMERGENCY ORDER #1 OF 2020

DECLARATION OF STATE OF EMERGENCY

The undersigned, as Mayor of the Village of East Hampton, pursuant to the authority by Article 2 – B, Section 24 of the Executive Law of the State of New York, has the authority to declare a state of emergency in the event of imminent danger to residents of the Village; and

WHEREAS, on January 30, 2020 the World Health Organization declared a Public Health Emergency of International Concern (PHEIC); and

WHEREAS, on January 31, 2020 the Health and Human Services Secretary declared a Public Health Emergency (PHE) for the United States as a result of the COVID – 19 (Coronavirus); and

WHEREAS, New York State Governor Andrew Cuomo declared a Public Health Emergency as a result of the COVID – 19 (Coronavirus) on March 7, 2020; and

WHEREAS, Suffolk County Executive Steve Bellone declared a Public Health Emergency as a result of the COVID – 19 (Coronavirus) on January 23, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2020 the World Health Organization characterized COVID – 19 (Coronavirus) as a pandemic; and

WHEREAS, on March 12, 2020 the first resident of the Town of East Hampton was confirmed as being infected with COVID – 19 (Coronavirus), and numerous other cases throughout Suffolk County have been diagnosed; and

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, the Town of East Hampton declared a State of Emergency as a result of COVID – 19 (Coronavirus); and

WHEREAS, the Village of East Hampton is taking appropriate actions to minimize the threat from COVID – 19 to the public health and welfare of its employees, residents and guests; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor does find that public safety is imperiled and an imminent danger does exist.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the powers vested in me by the Executive Law of the State of New York, I hereby direct the following, effective as of 6 ~~a.m.~~/p.m. on March 13, 2020 and until further notice,

IT IS ORDERED that the following emergency order be hereby adopted and implemented:

1. The East Hampton Village Mayor, in conjunction with the East Hampton Village Police Chief, is authorized to take whatever actions deemed necessary to protect public health and safety.
2. Village Hall, all Village Offices and all other Village facilities shall be closed to the public, as deemed necessary, with the exception of the Village Police Department.
3. The regularly scheduled public meetings of the Village Board of Trustees are subject to cancellation or rescheduling as videoconference meetings or subject to the provisions of New York State Executive Order No. 202.1 (Continuing Temporary Suspension and Modification of Laws Relating to the Disaster Emergency).
4. All public hearings of the Planning Board, Zoning Board of Appeals and Design Review Board are cancelled until further notice, except in instances where time constraints have been placed upon an application by way of a court order or decision, agreement, stipulation or other legal obligation. Regular meetings of such Boards, except for the aforementioned public hearings, shall continue.

Residents are urged to utilize all online services offered by the Village and to utilize email and/or telephone communications in place of traveling to any Village facilities.

This Emergency Order shall continue in full force and effect, unless otherwise amended, modified, or rescinded, or upon the declaration of the Mayor that the emergency no longer exists, whichever occurs sooner.

This Order shall be issued in triplicate and shall be filed within seventy-two (72) hours, or as soon as practical, in the Office of the Suffolk County Clerk, the Village Clerk and the Office of the Secretary of State of the State of New York.

DATED: March 13, 2020

TIME: 5:15 Pm



Richard T. Lawler
Mayor
Village of East Hampton

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EH Village Clerk
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