

EXECUTIVE ORDER

DECLARING A DISASTER EMERGENCY IN THE VILLAGE OF NORTHPORT

WHEREAS, on January 30, 2020 the World Health Organization designated the novel coronavirus, COVID-19 outbreak as a Public Health Emergency of International Concern; and

WHEREAS, on January 31, 2020, United States Health and Human Services Secretary Alex M. Azar declared a public health emergency for the entire United States to aid the nation's healthcare community in responding to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, both travel related cases community contact transmission of COVID-19 have been documented in New York State and more are expected to continue; and

WHEREAS, New York State is addressing the threat that COVID-19 poses to the health and welfare of its residents and visitors, by declaring an Disaster Emergency" to be effective until September 7, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Northport concurs with the Governor's findings and finds that the protection of the health and safety of the residents and public at large is the primary focus;

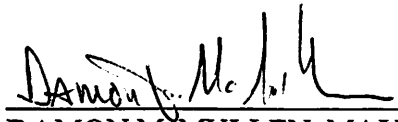
NOW, THEREFORE, I DAMON McMULLEN, Mayor of the Village of Northport, do hereby find that an impending disaster may occur and therefore, pursuant to the authority vested in me pursuant to Section 24 of Article 2-B of the Executive Law of the State of New York, declare a disaster emergency effective immediately within the Village of Northport and shall remain in effect until further notice; and

Further, pursuant to Section 24 of Article 2-B of the Executive Law of the State of New York, I direct that all Village administration and departments implement a disaster preparedness plan of the Village of Northport including fire, rescue, police and emergency services and all other relevant Village departments and to take action as is necessary to provide assistance as may be necessary to protect the public health and safety; and

I DO HEREBY ORDER AND DIRECT that in addition, the following emergency provisions be effective during the length of the emergency, **if necessary and at my direction**:

- (1) All competitive bidding procedures and rules under the General Municipal Law and pursuant to adopted policies for emergency services of any kind shall be suspended in their entirety;
- (2) Establish a curfew;
- (3) prohibit/control traffic, except essential emergency vehicles and personnel;
- (4) Designate specific zones within the occupancy/use of buildings and the ingress/egress of vehicles and persons may be prohibited or regulated;

- (5) Prohibit and control the presence of persons on public streets and places;
- (6) Establish or designate emergency shelters and/or emergency medical shelters; and
- (7) Suspend any of its local laws, ordinances or regulations which may prevent, hinder or delay necessary action in coping with a disaster or recovery.
- (8) The Mayor, or in his absence the Deputy Mayor may during the emergency, appoint Village personnel to fill vacancies or perform emergency services and duties.



DAMON McMULLEN, MAYOR VILLAGE OF
NORTHPORT

Dated: Northport, New York
March 16, 2020