

**DECLARATION OF ONE HUNDRED THIRTY SECOND
EXTENSION OF STATE OF LOCAL EMERGENCY
COVID-19**

WHEREAS, Section 252.38(3), *Florida Statutes*, gives authority to political subdivisions to declare and enact a State of Local Emergency for a period of up to seven (7) days, thereby waiving the procedures and formalities otherwise required of the political subdivision by law pertaining to:

1. Taking whatever prudent action is necessary to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of the community;
2. Entering into contracts;
3. Incurring obligations;
4. Employment of permanent and temporary workers;
5. Utilization of volunteer workers;
6. Rental of equipment;
7. Acquisition and distribution, with or without compensation, of supplies, materials, and facilities;
8. Appropriation and expenditure of public funds; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marathon is currently in a state of local emergency, declared on March 16, 2020, due to the spread of Covid-19; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marathon Resolution 2017-109 grants the Mayor, or his/her designee authority to extend a State of Local Emergency that is going to expire for seven (7) days; and

WHEREAS, the current state of local emergency needs to be extended.

NOW, THEREFORE, as Mayor of the City of Marathon, I hereby extend the declared and enacted State of Local Emergency for all of the City of Marathon, for a period of seven (7) days beginning this day, September 26, 2022 until October 3, 2022. Pursuant to this declaration, all procedures and formalities otherwise required of the City, as listed in items 1 through 8 above, and Section 252.38, *Florida Statutes* are hereby waived.

Furthermore, in accordance with the City of Marathon Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan Section IV, the Executive Policy Group is hereby convened to address all City matters arising from the Covid-19 Virus Emergency.

The City Manager is authorized to take all actions necessary and appropriate to protect human life and property, including the promulgation of rules and orders as may be necessary subject to the limitations of Section 252.33, *Florida Statutes*. This proclamation further authorizes the City Manager to utilize all lawful authority granted to the City of Marathon by Federal, State, County, or City Emergency Management Laws, Rules, Regulations, Orders and, including but not limited to, Section 252.46 and Section 252.38(3)(a)(1) through Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), *Florida Statutes*, inclusive.

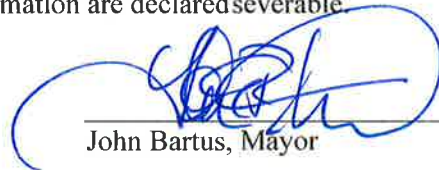
All existing laws, ordinances, and rules inconsistent with the provisions of Sections 252.31 to Section 252.905, *Florida Statutes*, inclusive, or inconsistent with any rule or order specifically promulgated under this proclamation shall be suspended during this period of time and to the extent that such conflict exists.

The City Manager shall follow Federal, State, and local guidelines in procuring services, materials, labor and equipment necessary to respond to the emergency, including recovery efforts. The City Manager shall abide by the "Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirements" for federal awards, codified at 2 C.F.R. §§200.317 through 200.326.

Emergency Directives signed by the Mayor, Vice Mayor, Mayor's Designee or the City Manager during the State of Local Emergency have the full force of law as specified in City of Marathon Resolution 2017-109.

Conflicts. Any and all Proclamations or parts of Proclamations in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Severability. If any provision of this Proclamation or the application is held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect other provisions, portions or applications of the Proclamation, which can be given effect without the invalid provision, portion or application, and to this end the provisions, portions, or applications of this Proclamation are declared severable.



John Bartus, Mayor

Date: September 20, 2022 Time: 8:35am