

BOROUGH OF TATAMY

NORTHAMPTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

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DECLARATION OF DISASTER EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, on or about March 1, 2020 the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) outbreak began to spread through the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania on or about March 11, 2020 the first confirmed case was announced in Northampton County. The pandemic outbreak threatens to cause injury - both physical and mental, damage - financial and societal, and long suffering to the persons and property of the Borough of Tatamy, Northampton County, Pennsylvania; and

WHEREAS, the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) outbreak has endangered the health, safety and welfare of a substantial number of persons residing in Tatamy Borough, and threatens to create problems greater in scope than Tatamy Borough may be able to resolve; and

WHEREAS, emergency management measures are required to reduce the severity of this disaster and to protect the health, safety and welfare of affected residents in Tatamy Borough:

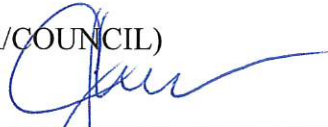
NOW, THEREFORE, we, the undersigned Mayor of Tatamy Borough and Council President of Tatamy Borough pursuant to the provisions of Section 7501 of the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Services Code, (35 PA C.S., Section 7501), as amended, do hereby proclaim the existence of a disaster emergency in Tatamy Borough.

FURTHER, we direct the Tatamy Borough Emergency Management Coordinator to coordinate the activities of the emergency response, to take all appropriate action needed to alleviate the effects of this disaster, to aid in the restoration of essential public services, and to take any other emergency response action deemed necessary to respond to this emergency.

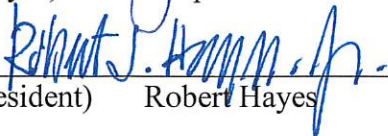
STILL FURTHER, we authorize officials of Tatamy Borough to act as necessary to meet the current demands of this emergency, namely: by the employment of temporary workers, by the rental of equipment, by the purchase of supplies and materials, and by entering into such contracts and agreements for the performance of public work as may be required to meet the emergency, all without regard to those time-consuming procedures and formalities normally prescribed by law, mandatory constitutional requirements excepted.

This Proclamation shall take effect immediately.


(MAYOR/COUNCIL)



(Mayor) Christopher Moren



(President) Robert Hayes



(member) Pamela Pearson



(member) Daniel Dewey

Attest:



(Secretary) Deanne Werkheiser

Date: March 17, 2020