FIRST EXTENSION OF STATE OF LOCAL EMERGENCY
RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19)


WHEREAS, section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes, provides authority for political subdivisions to declare a State of Local Emergency and to waive the procedures and formalities otherwise required of political subdivisions in order to take whatever action is necessary to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of the community;

WHEREAS, Chapter 252 of the Florida Statutes limits the duration of each State of Local Emergency to seven (7) days and it may be extended, as necessary, for additional terms in seven (7) day increments; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNTY COUNCIL OF VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN OPEN MEETING DULY ASSEMBLED IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBERS OF THE THOMAS C. KELLY ADMINISTRATION CENTER, 123 WEST INDIANA AVENUE, DELAND, FLORIDA, THIS 17TH DAY OF MARCH, 2020 A.D., AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I: That the effects of COVID-19 continue to pose a serious threat to the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of Volusia County and that an extension of a State of Local Emergency is declared, effective immediately throughout Volusia County, Florida
SECTION II: The Declaration of State of Local Emergency issued on March 13, 2020 is hereby extended effective as of 5:00 p.m., March 17, 2020 for a period of seven (7) days to 4:59 p.m., March 24, 2020.

COUNTY COUNCIL
VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA

Ed Kelley
County Chair

ATTEST:

George Récktenwald
County Manager
DECLARATION OF STATE OF LOCAL EMERGENCY RELATED TO CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19)

Consistent with the State of Emergency declared on March 9, 2020, by Governor Ron DeSantis in Executive Order Number 20-52 (Emergency Management–COVID-19 Public Health Emergency), the Presidential National Emergency Declaration for COVID-19 issued on March 13, 2020, and pursuant to section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes, and section 46-143, Code of Ordinances, County of Volusia, the county council hereby declares a State of Local Emergency, effective throughout Volusia County as of 6 p.m. eastern standard time on this date for a period of seven days. The County Manager and Emergency Management Director are hereby authorized to take those measures authorized by chapter 46 of the Code and Chapter 252 for their respective positions.

ORDERED this 13th day of March, 2020.

COUNTY COUNCIL
VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA

Ed Kelley
County Chair

ATTEST:

George Recktenwald
County Manager