

## **RESOLUTION NUMBER 20-01**

### **A RESOLUTION DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY PURSUANT TO SECTION 31-9-10, *CODE OF ALABAMA, 1975*, AND AUTHORIZING THE USE OF ALL POWERS AND ACTIONS AUTHORIZED BY SAID STATUTE AND ALL OTHER APPLICABLE LAW AND AUTHORITY**

**WHEREAS**, there exists a state of emergency, as declared by both federal and state authorities, with respect to the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) pandemic and its containment and prevention; and

**WHEREAS**, under such circumstances, municipalities in Alabama have the authority, through their governing bodies, to declare local states of emergency and to exercise certain powers and take certain measures and actions as are authorized under Title 31, Chapter 9, Article 1 (§31-9-1, et. seq.), *Code of Alabama, 1975*; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council finds that the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) poses a real and present danger to the health and lives of the residents of the Town of Eva.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, be it **RESOLVED** this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2020, by the Town Council of the Town of Eva, Alabama, as follows:

1. A State of Local Emergency is hereby declared within the Town of Eva, effective as of 3:00 o'clock p.m. on the date hereof and continuing through and including 11:59 p.m. on the thirtieth (30<sup>th</sup>) day following the date hereof, unless extended by action of the Council, or ending sooner if the state of emergency declared by the Governor should be cancelled before the above said date or any extended date pursuant hereto.

2. The Mayor shall be the official vested with the authority to do all things expedient, appropriate or necessary to carry out the Council's intent by adoption of this Resolution, which is,

if and when warranted, the exercise of all those powers and the taking of all actions or measures authorized by §31-9-10, *code of Alabama, 1975*, and all other applicable law and authority, whether local, state or federal.

3. The foregoing authority granted to the Mayor shall be subject to such conditions and restrictions, or to such countermands, as the Council, in its discretion, may see fit from time to time to impose upon said authority.

**DONE** this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2020.

APPROVED BY:

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Gary Livingston, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Angela Holmes, Assistant Town Clerk