

**NEW HANOVER COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS
CONTINUING DECLARATION OF STATE OF EMERGENCY**

Section 1: Whereas, New Hanover County is under a continuing State of Emergency originally enacted on March 20, 2020, pursuant to New Hanover County Code Chapter 17, Article III, Section 17.71 and Section 17.72, and North Carolina General Statutes Chapter 166A, Article 1A, 166A-19.22; and

Whereas, peaceful protests and demonstrations following the tragic death of George Floyd in Minneapolis, Minnesota are supported; and

Whereas, any such peaceful protests and demonstrations should be conducted pursuant to COVID-19 public health precautions and safety considerations.

Section 2: Pursuant to New Hanover County Code Chapter 17, Article III, Section 17.71 and Section 17.72, and North Carolina General Statutes Chapter 166A, Article 1A, 166A-19.22, the Chair of the New Hanover County Board of Commissioners further declares and proclaims the following curfew and restrictions:

- **Curfew.** A curfew will be in effect between the hours of 9:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. specific to gatherings of more than ten (10) persons, except at business establishments authorized by Gubernatorial Executive Order 141 for a specific business' commercial purpose and any emergency or law enforcement response.

Section 3: Therefore, the Chair of the New Hanover County Board of Commissioners declares the existence of a continuing State of Emergency in New Hanover County. Municipalities may consent to this Continuing Declaration of State of Emergency within their respective corporate limits.

Section 4: This Continuing Declaration of State of Emergency shall become effective Tuesday, June 2, 2020 at 3:00 p.m. and remain in effect until rescinded.

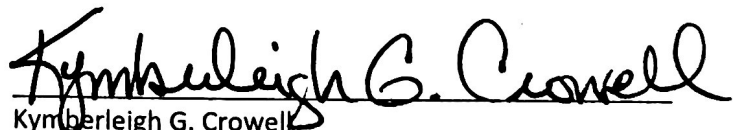
Adopted this the 2nd day of June 2020.

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Julia Olson-Boseman, Chair
Board of County Commissioners



Kimberleigh G. Crowell
Clerk to the Board