



**DECLARATION OF CONTINUING STATE OF EMERGENCY
PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA**

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, Palm Beach County declared a local State of Emergency due to the Coronavirus pandemic which was renewed on March 19, 2020 and expired on March 20, 2020 unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, effective on March 20, 2020, Palm Beach County issued a Declaration of Continuing State of Emergency due to the Coronavirus pandemic which expired on March 27, 2020, unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of March 27, 2020, by seven days which expired on April 3, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on April 3, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 3, 2020, by seven days which expired on April 10, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on April 10, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 10, 2020, by seven days which expired on April 17, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on April 17, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 17, 2020, by seven days which expired on April 24, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on April 24, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 24, 2020, by seven days which expired on May 1, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on May 1, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of May 1, 2020, by seven days which expired on May 8, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on May 7, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of May 8, 2020, by seven days which expired on May 15, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on May 15, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of May 15, 2020, by seven days which will expire on May 22, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the local emergency is continuing, and it is necessary to continue the local state of emergency for an additional seven days.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DECLARED that pursuant to Palm Beach County Code Article II, Section 9-35;

1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein by reference.
2. The Palm Beach County State of Emergency Declaration is hereby extended by 7 days pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and shall continue in full force and effect through May 29, 2020.
3. This Declaration shall expire at the date and time set forth herein unless further extended or terminated by the Board of County Commissioners, the Mayor, Vice Mayor or County Administrator as permitted in the Palm Beach County Code.
4. This Declaration shall be filed with the Clerk of the Court.

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PALM BEACH COUNTY

APPROVED AS TO
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

By: 


Mayor Dave Kerner

By: 

County Attorney

Date: 5.21.2020

ATTEST
CLERK & COMPTROLLER


By: _____
Deputy Clerk