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### DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY

**WHEREAS**, Due to the approach of and possible impacts from Hurricane Dorian; and

**WHEREAS**, as a result of the above-described disaster, I have determined that there is an imminent threat of, or existing conditions have caused or will cause, widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property, and public safety authorities will be unable to maintain public order or afford adequate protection for lives or property; and

**WHEREAS**, declaring a State of Emergency and imposing the restrictions and prohibitions ordered herein is necessary to maintain order and protect public health, safety, and welfare, and to secure property.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, pursuant to the authority vested in me as the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Currituck under Article 1A of Chapter 166A of the North Carolina General Statutes and Chapter 6, Article 3 of the Currituck County Code of Ordinances:

**Section 1.** A State of Emergency is hereby declared within the jurisdiction of the County of Currituck.

**Section 2.** The emergency area covered by this state of emergency shall be the entire county.

**Section 3. Evacuation:** A mandatory evacuation for the Currituck Outer Banks is effective 8am on September 4, 2019 and will remain in effect until safe re-entry is determined.

**Section 4.** I hereby order all Currituck County law enforcement officers and employees and all other emergency management personnel subject to our control to cooperate in the enforcement and implementation of the provisions of this Declaration, all applicable local ordinances, state and federal laws, and the Currituck County Emergency Operations Plan.

**Section 5.** I hereby order this declaration: (a) to be distributed to the news media and other organizations calculated to bring its contents to the attention of the general public; (b) to be filed with Clerk to the Currituck County Board of Commissioners and (c) to be distributed to others as necessary to ensure proper implementation of this declaration.

**Section 6.** This declaration shall take effect on September 3, 2019 at 12 noon, and shall remain in effect until modified or rescinded.

**DECLARED** this the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September, 2019 at 12 noon



Bob White, Chairman of the Board of Commissioners



**ATTEST:**



Currituck County Board of Commissioners Clerk