

PROCLAMATION DECLARING A PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY
IN RESPONSE TO THE COVID-19 CORONAVIRUS

WHEREAS, COVID-19, a novel strain of the coronavirus, was detected in December 2019, and has subsequently spread throughout numerous countries and the United States including Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS, international organizations, the federal, state, and local governments are all working together to contain COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, citing the World Health Organization's declaration of a Public Health Emergency of International Concern, and the United States Department of Health and Human Services declaration of a Public Health Emergency, the State of Wisconsin has declared a Public Health Emergency of Executive Order #72; and

WHEREAS, the Village of River Hills has been working to protect the community from the spread of this disease, and to prepare for the impacts it may have; and

WHEREAS, in order to protect the health and well-being of residents and visitors, the Village of River Hills must avail itself of all resources needed to respond to and contain the presence of COVID-19.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED, by the Village President of the Village of River Hills, that a local public health emergency now exists throughout the Village of River Hills; and

IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED, by the Village President of the River Hills, that during the existence of said local emergency the powers, functions and duties of the emergency manager coordinator, who is the Chief of Police, and the Village Manager shall be those prescribed by State law, and by ordinances and resolutions of the Village of River Hills.

IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED, by the Village President of the Village of River Hills, on behalf of the residents of the Village of River Hills, will do whatever is necessary and expedient to protect the health and well-being of the Village of River Hills.

Proclaimed this 17th day of March, 2020.

/s/ J. Stephen Anderson

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Village President, Village of River Hills

Attest:

/s/ Tammy LaBorde

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Clerk, Village of River Hills