



## **EXTENSION OF DISASTER DECLARATION**

**WHEREAS**, on March 13, 2020, the Mayor of the City of La Porte, Texas, issued a proclamation declaring a state of disaster for the City of La Porte, Texas, resulting from COVID-19 (novel coronavirus); and


**WHEREAS**, the conditions necessitating declaration of a state of disaster continue to exist; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 418.108(b) of the Texas Government Code provides that a local state of disaster may not be continued for a period of excess of seven days without the consent of the governing body of the political subdivision;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF LA PORTE, TEXAS:**

1. That the state of disaster proclaimed for the City of La Porte, Texas, by the Mayor on March 13, 2020, shall continue until April 3, 2020, at midnight, unless renewed by the City Council.
2. This declaration is passed as an emergency measure and pursuant to Sec. 26-3 of the City of La Porte Code of Ordinances and shall become effective on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2020.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED, this 20<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2020.**

  
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Bill Bentley, Mayor Pro-Tem  
City of La Porte, Texas