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INCORPORATED CITY OF MANLY

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**CITY OF MANLY
EMERGENCY PROCLAMATION**

WHEREAS, COVID-19 poses a serious threat to the public health and safety of the City of Manly, Iowa, as outline by the Center for Disease Control ("CDC"); and

WHEREAS, the Iowa Department of Public Health ("IDPH") has now determined that community spread of COVID-19 has occurred in the State of Iowa; and

WHEREAS, the CDC has recommended that persons do not congregate in gatherings of over ten (10) persons to attempt to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 in the general public; and

WHEREAS, the Governor Kim Reynolds has recommended that all school districts within the State of Iowa close for a period four (4) weeks to help to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 within the State; and

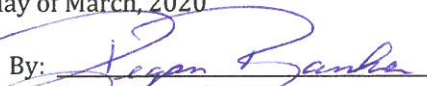
WHEREAS, the Superintendent of the Central Springs School District has heretofore closed the Central Springs School District for an indefinite period, expected to be at least four (4) weeks from March 16, 2020 and;

WHEREAS, SECTION 15.02 (2) of the Code of Ordinances of the City of Manly and Section 372.14 (2) of the Code of Iowa (2019) grant the Mayor powers to declare an emergency and govern through proclamation to protect the health and safety of the citizens of Manly.


NOW THEREFORE, I, Regan K. Banks, the duly elected Mayor of the City of Manly, Iowa do hereby proclaim the following:

1. That a state of emergency or public danger exists within the City of Manly because of threat of the spread of the COVID-19 virus.
2. That based upon the advice of the CDC and other public health agencies, I hereby declare that City Hall will be closed to the public beginning upon execution of this proclamation. Staff shall report as normal.
3. That pursuant to CDC recommendations, gatherings of ten (10) or more people are strongly discouraged until further notice.
4. That this Proclamation of Emergency may be modified and/or superseded by future Proclamation of the Office of the Mayor of Manly as future events warrant.
5. That any violation of any proclamation of the Office of the Mayor of the City of Manly, Iowa, shall be enforceable by the Manly Police Department and any violation of the same shall be a violation of Section 15.02 (2) of the Code of Ordinances and punishable as a simple misdemeanor.

Dated this 17th day of March, 2020

By: 
Regan K. Banks, Mayor

ATTESTED:

By: 
Dee Dunbar, City Clerk