

LOCAL DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, The City of Isanti is experiencing the COVID-19 Pandemic; and,

WHEREAS, response and support to affected individuals, communities, medical systems, businesses and government has caused significant impact to the City as a whole; and,

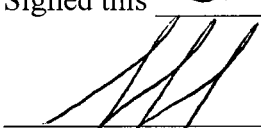
WHEREAS, Subject Matter Experts have determined that protective measures must be undertaken to reduce the impact of COVID-19 and activity will be beyond the usual resources of the City of Isanti; and,

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes Chapter 12.29 authorized the Mayor of Isanti to sign a Declaration of Local Emergency in the City of Isanti valid for up to 72 hours after which an open meeting of the City Council will be needed to continue this Declaration;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by Mayor Jeff Johnson of the City of Isanti, Minnesota, declare the City of Isanti to be in a Local State of Emergency effective the March 23, 2020 due to the ongoing and expected response to and recovery from; COVID-19 and direct the City Administrator and the Emergency Management Director to coordinate such actions and request such state and/or federal assistance as needed to protect lives and private property in the City of Isanti and the recovery of the City from the impacts of this situation to the extent practicable and allowed by law, ordinance, and code;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Mayor Jeff Johnson directs the City Administrator to proceed with a formal request for Council Action be place at an emergency meeting of the City Council as required by law.

Signed this 23 day of MARCH, 2020



Jeff Johnson, Mayor