

## VILLAGE OF GENOA CITY

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## Proclamation of State of Emergency

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

WHEREAS, international organizations, the federal governments, state government, and local governments are all working together to contain the further spread of the disease and treat existing cases;

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization has declared a Public Health Emergency of International Concern, and the Untied States Department of Health and Human Services has declared a Public Health Emergency;

WHEREAS, the State of Wisconsin and the federal government has declared a State of Emergency on or about March 13, 2020 due to COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, because of emergency conditions, the Village of Genoa City is unable to meet with promptness; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to section 323.11 and 323.14(4)(b) of the Wisconsin Statutes it is necessary and expedient for the health, safety, welfare and good order of the municipality to proclaim that emergency conditions exist; and

WHEREAS, the emergency has caused the Village of Genoa City to extend, commit and exhaust its pertinent available resources; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Genoa City requests State assistance and advises the State of Wisconsin of our emergency conditions:

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to Sections 323.11 and 323.14(4)(b) of the Wisconsin Statutes, as Village President, the chief executive officer, of the Village of Genoa City, Wisconsin, I hereby proclaim a State of Emergency, and hereby

- Authorize emergency purchases of goods and materials
- Authorize emergency purchases of services
- Authorize emergency costs to the labor force

This Proclamation shall take effect immediately and shall continue in effect until a quorum of the Governing Body convenes and rescinds the Proclamation.

Dated this 24th day of March, 2020

William Antti; Village President

Attest:

Claudia L Jurewicz; Village Clerk/Treasurer