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**MAYOR BRENDA T. BODNAR  
EXECUTIVE ORDER 2020-01**

**March 25, 2020**

**DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY FOR  
MAYFIELD VILLAGE, OHIO**

**WHEREAS**, COVID-19 is a respiratory disease that can result in serious illness or death, is easily spread from person to person, and appears to have a disparate detrimental effect on the older population; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 9, 2020, the Ohio Department of Health announced confirmed cases of COVID-19 in the State of Ohio, creating a dangerous condition that may affect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Ohio; and

**WHEREAS**, on that same date, Ohio Governor Mike DeWine, pursuant to Executive Order 2020-01D, declared a state of emergency for the entire State to protect the well-being of Ohio citizens from the dangerous effects of COVID-19 and to assist in protecting their lives, safety and health; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization declared COVID-19 a pandemic; and

**WHEREAS**, on that same day, the Cuyahoga County Executive declared a state of emergency within Cuyahoga County, Ohio; and

**WHEREAS**, on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2020, COVID-19 endangers the lives of the citizens of Mayfield Village, creating an emergency to life and public safety and disrupting commerce.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Brenda T. Bodnar, Mayor of Mayfield Village, Ohio, by virtue of the authority vested in me by all appropriate laws, charter provisions, statutes, ordinances and resolutions, including but not limited to the executive powers granted to the Mayor under Article IV, Section 5 of the Mayfield Village Charter, do hereby order and direct that:

1. A state of emergency is declared for Mayfield Village, Ohio to protect the well-being of the residents in Mayfield Village from the dangerous effects of COVID-19.
2. All public offices and employees of Mayfield Village are authorized to exercise, with the Mayor's approval, all emergency management efforts, including those contained in Section 5502 of the Ohio Revised Code, and are hereby directed to exercise the utmost diligence in the discharge of duties required of them for the

duration of the emergency and in execution of emergency laws, regulations and directives—federal, state and local.

3. All Village employees and citizens are called upon and directed to comply with necessary emergency measures, to cooperate with public officials in executing emergency continuity of operations plans, and to obey and comply with the lawful direction of officers and officials.

4. This Executive Order shall be interpreted broadly so as to qualify for aid or assistance from any available source, including but not limited to federal, state, regional and local governments or governmental agencies, as well as from private entities.

I have signed this Executive Order declaring a State of Emergency on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2020, in Mayfield Village, County of Cuyahoga, and State of Ohio. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately, will automatically renew every ten (10) days, and will cease to have force and effect upon Governor DeWine's cancellation of the declaration of emergency in the State of Ohio.

*Brenda T Bodnar*

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Brenda T. Bodnar, Mayor  
Mayfield Village, Ohio

Attest:

*Anthony J. Coyne*

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Anthony J. Coyne, Director of Law

Date: March 25, 2020