

EXECUTIVE ORDER 2020-01

Declaration of Local State of Emergency

Village of Morton, Tazewell County, Illinois

Pursuant to the authority vested in the office of Village President by the Illinois Municipal Code Section 5/11-1-6, the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act Section 3305/11, and I, Jeffrey L. Kaufman, the Village President of the Village of Morton do hereby declare that a Local State of Emergency exists as of this date, March 16, 2020, and shall continue until such time as provided in Section 12-4-5 of the Village Code.

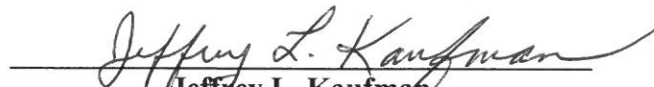
The nature of the emergency is the COVID-19 Worldwide Pandemic. The facts supporting determination of an emergency are as follows:

On March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization declared the outbreak of COVID-19 to be a worldwide pandemic. On January 31, 2020, the U.S. Health and Human Services Secretary declared a Public Health Emergency for the United States. The Governor of the State of Illinois issued a disaster proclamation on March 9, 2020 due to the impact of the COVID-19 virus. The State Emergency Management Agency has declared a public health emergency.

During the existence of the Local State of Emergency, the Village President shall execute such authority as provided under the Illinois Municipal Code, the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act and Section 12-4-4 of the Village Code.

This Declaration of Local State of Emergency shall be filed with the Village Clerk as soon as practicable.

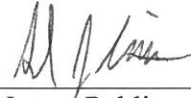
I, Jeffrey L. Kaufman, whose name is signed to this instrument, hereby affirm that I signed and executed this instrument as the Declaration of Local State of Emergency, and that I signed willingly, and that I executed it as my free and voluntary act for the purposes therein expressed.



Jeffrey L. Kaufman
Village President, Village of Morton

NOTARY ACKNOWLEDGMENT

On this 16th of March, 2020, the above-named Village President personally appeared and acknowledged the foregoing to be his free act and deed, before me.



Notary Public

My Commission Expires: 10/6/2020

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