

**RESOLUTION NO. 81-2020**

**A RESOLUTION CONFIRMING THE MAYOR'S PROCLAMATION OF A STATE OF LOCAL EMERGENCY FOR WESTWOOD, KANSAS**

**WHEREAS;** on April 6, 2020, the Mayor of Westwood, Kansas, issued a Proclamation of a State of Local Emergency for the City of Westwood, Kansas as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic in the United States, Kansas and Johnson County (the "Proclamation");

**WHEREAS,** on March 12, 2020, the Governor of the State of Kansas proclaimed a State of Disaster Emergency related to COVID-19 (as extended or modified, the "Statewide Disaster Proclamation"), the terms of which are incorporated herein by this reference;

**WHEREAS,** on March 22, 2020, the Local Health Officer of Johnson County, Kansas, issued an Emergency Order imposing a "stay-at-home" order with certain exceptions (as extended or modified, the "County Stay-at-Home Order"), the terms of which are incorporated herein by this reference;

**WHEREAS,** on March 28, 2020, the Governor of the State of Kansas issued Executive Order No. 20-16 which, among other things, established a state-wide "stay home" order in conjunction with the Kansas Essential Function Framework for COVID-19 response efforts (as extended or modified, the "Statewide Stay-at-Home Order"), the terms of which are incorporated herein by this reference; and

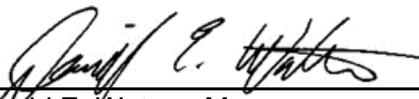
**WHEREAS,** the Mayor's Proclamation is consistent with the Statewide Disaster Proclamation, the County Stay-at-Home Order, the Statewide Stay-at-Home Order, and the City's "home rule" authority under Article 12, Section 5 of the Kansas Constitution

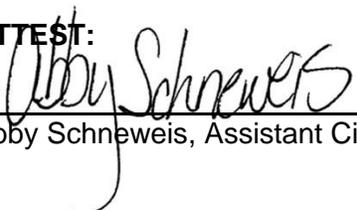
**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF WESTWOOD, KANSAS:**

**SECTION 1.** Pursuant to K.S.A. 48-932, and amendments thereto, and Chapter 1, Article 7 of the Westwood City Code, the Governing Body extends the Mayor's Proclamation such that it shall remain in effect through the earlier of (a) May 3, 2020, (b) the date the Proclamation is rescinded by the Mayor, (c) the date the Proclamation is terminated pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 1, Article 7 of the Westwood City Code, or (d) the date by which all of the Statewide Disaster Proclamation, the County Stay-at-Home Order, and the Statewide Stay-at-Home Order expire or are terminated in accordance with their respective terms.

**SECTION 2.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

**ADOPTED** by the Governing Body this 9th day of April, 2020.

  
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David E. Waters, Mayor

**ATTEST:**  
  
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Abby Schneeweis, Assistant City Clerk

**APPROVED AT TO FORM AND LEGALITY:**

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Ryan B. Denk, City Attorney