RESOLUTION NO. _____


WHEREAS, the novel coronavirus known as COVID-19 has been declared a pandemic by the World Health Organization; and

WHEREAS, the President of the United States has declared a state of emergency in response to the national threat of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Idaho has declared a state of emergency for the State of Idaho in response to the state threat of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Caldwell has declared a state of emergency by that certain declaration of March 16, 2020, a copy of which is attached as Exhibit A and incorporated here by this reference as if set forth in full ("Emergency Declaration"); and

WHEREAS, the Emergency Declaration may be extended beyond seven (7) days as provided for in Idaho Code § 46-1011(1) only with the consent of the City Council; and

WHEREAS, it is the desire of the City Council to consent to extension of the Emergency Declaration until April 6, 2020 at 9:00 pm unless sooner terminated by the Mayor.

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Caldwell City Council hereby consents to extension of the Emergency Declaration attached as Exhibit A until April 6, 2020 at 9:00 pm unless sooner terminated by the Mayor.

PASSED BY THE COUNCIL of the City of Caldwell, Idaho this ___ day of ____________, 2020.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR of the City of Caldwell, Idaho this ___ day of ____________, 2020.

Approved

By ____________________________
GARRET NANCOLAS, Mayor

ATTEST:

By ____________________________
DEBBIE GEYER, City Clerk
DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY

FROM THE OFFICE OF MAYOR GARRET L. NANCOLAS
MAYOR OF THE CITY OF CALDWELL, IDAHO

WHEREAS, Idaho Code § 46-1001 et seq. contains the State Disaster Preparedness Act, the purpose of which, in part, is to "plan and prepare for disasters and emergencies resulting from natural or man-made causes, ... and to ... prevent and reduce damage, injury, and loss of life and property resulting from natural or man-made catastrophes, ... [t]o prepare assistance for prompt and efficient search, rescue, care, and treatment of persons injured, victimized or threatened by disaster[, to] provide for rapid and orderly restoration and rehabilitation of persons and property affected by disasters[, to] prescribe the roles of the governor, state agencies, and local governments in prevention of, preparation for, response to and recovery from disasters[, to] authorize and encourage cooperation in disaster prevention, preparedness, response and recovery[, to] provide for coordination of activities relating to disaster prevention, preparedness, response, and recovery by all state agencies, political subdivisions, and interstate, federal-state and Canadian activities in which the state and its political subdivisions may participate[, and to] provide for the payment of obligations and expenses incurred by the state of Idaho through the Idaho office of emergency management during a declared state of disaster emergency."; and,

WHEREAS, Idaho Code § 46-1002(2) defines a disaster as an "occurrence or imminent threat of widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property resulting from any natural or man-made cause;" and,

WHEREAS, Idaho Code § 46-1002(3) defines an emergency as an "occurrence or imminent threat of a disaster or condition threatening life or property that requires state emergency assistance to supplement local efforts to save lives and protect property or to avert or lessen the threat of a disaster; and,

WHEREAS, the novel coronavirus known as COVID-19 has been declared a pandemic by the World Health Organization; and,

WHEREAS, the President of the United States has declared a state of emergency in response to the national threat of COVID-19; and,

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Idaho has declared a state of emergency for the State of Idaho in response to the state threat of COVID-19; and,

WHEREAS, Idaho Code § 46-1011 vests the Mayor with the authority to declare a Local Disaster Emergency for the purposes of the State Disaster Preparedness Act; and,

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Caldwell has determined that COVID-19 poses an imminent threat of widespread damage, injury, and loss of life; and,
WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Caldwell has determined that state emergency assistance is required to supplement local efforts to save lives, protect property, and respond to the threat of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Caldwell has determined that the forgoing constitute a local disaster emergency requiring immediate action on the part of the City of Caldwell.

NOW THEREFORE, I, Garret L. Nancolas, Mayor of the City of Caldwell, County of Canyon, Idaho, do hereby declare that as of 12:00 pm on March 16, 2020 a STATE OF EMERGENCY exists in the City of Caldwell, Idaho. This DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY shall remain in effect until further notice is given, from the Office of the Mayor, that the state of emergency no longer exists. This declared STATE OF EMERGENCY shall not extend beyond a seven (7) day period from the date of its execution unless consent is obtained from the City Council of the City of Caldwell for such an extension.

IN ADDITION TO THE FOREGOING DECLARATION, THE FOLLOWING ACTS SHALL BE UNDERTAKEN, AND THE FOLLOWING DIRECTIVES SHALL BE IN PLACE, UNTIL SUCH TIME AS THEY ARE DECLARED TO END:

1. Pursuant to Idaho Code § 46-1011, this declaration of a local disaster emergency shall be given prompt and general publicity by the staff of the office of the Mayor, and this declaration shall be filed for recording promptly with the Canyon County Recorder.

2. The Clerk of the City of Caldwell shall add an item to the City Council meeting to be held at 7:00 PM on March 16, 2020 in the Community Room of the Caldwell Police Department, 110 S 5th Ave, Caldwell, ID 83605, to take up consideration of the extension of this declared state of emergency.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF CALDWELL, IDAHO, this 16th day of March, 2020.

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Mayor Garret L. Nancolas

[Signature]
City Clerk (or Deputy)

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