

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-3

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AMES, TEXAS, EXTENDING THE DECLARATION OF DISASTER ISSUED BY MAYORAL PROCLAMATION ON MARCH 17, 2020 IN RESPONSE TO COVID-19

WHEREAS, on March 17, 2020, John White, Mayor of the City of Ames, Texas, issued a Mayoral Proclamation declaring a state of disaster for the City of Ames to alleviate the suffering of people and to prevent the spread of COVID-19 throughout the City of Ames; and

WHEREAS, the conditions necessitating such disaster declaration continue to exist; and

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined that extraordinary measures must be taken to alleviate the suffering of people and to prevent the spread of COVID-19 throughout the City; and

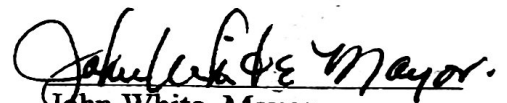
WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 418.108(b), Texas Government Code, a local state of disaster may not be continued for a period in excess of seven (7) days without the consent of the governmental body of the political subdivision.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AMES, TEXAS THAT:

SECTION 1. The declaration disaster, which was signed and executed by the Mayor on March 17, 2020, shall hereby be renewed and extended, as authorized by Section 418.018 of the Texas Government Code, until such time that said renewal and extension is cancelled by the City Council.

SECTION 2. Any and all restrictions and regulations relating to the movement of persons or the occupancy of premises issued by United States President Donald J. Trump, Texas Governor Greg Abbott or Liberty County Judge Jay Knight shall be given full effect within the City of Ames.

DULY PASSED AND APPROVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AMES, TEXAS, ON THIS THE 23rd DAY OF MARCH, 2020.


John White, Mayor

ATTEST:


Lillie Bernard, City Secretary