

Declaration of Public Health and Civil Preparedness Emergency

WHEREAS, the First Selectman

In coordination with the State of Connecticut's response to the global pandemic of (COVID-19) disease associated with a novel coronavirus that is currently affecting multiple countries and states which has resulted in the spread of infections in Connecticut and surrounding states;

IT IS FURTHER DECLARED AND ORDERD that a public health and civil preparedness emergency exits thoughout the Town of Somers. It is further delcared that during the existence of said emergency the First Selectman shall exercise those powers, functions and duties prescribed by State law, the Town of Somers Charter, and all applicable ordinances, resolutions, special acts, and the Town of Somers Emergency Operations Plan. Through a Unified Incident Command System, the Town will take such actions that are reasonably necessary to protect the health, safety and welfare of the residents of Somers to minimize the effects of said emergency and to limit the transmission of the COVID-19 virus.

Ann Marie Logan Town Clerk

Executed under my hand and seal on this 12th day of March, 2020.

C.G. Bud Knorr, R.

First Selectman

TIME: 6:30

Glen W. Reynolds

Emergency Management Director