## MONTGOMERY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

## **RESOLUTION NO. 2020-10**

## A RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY AND EXERCISE OF EMERGENCY POWERS

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, the Board of County Commissioners declared A public health emergency, activated all local disaster emergency plans, authorized mutual aid, suspended certain of the procedures and formalities otherwise required by law, authorized the President of the Board to approve claims, authorized certain types of contracts with the State of Indiana, authorized emergency orders, and cancelled all meetings of the Montgomery County Government until further notice; and

WHEREAS, the declaration entered on March 16, 2020 expires by its own terms on March 23, 2020, and the Commissioners desire to extend the declaration.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MONTGOMERY COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, as follows:

- 1. The Commissioners hereby extend the declaration of a local disaster emergency, pursuant to Indiana Code §10-14-3-29, to and until 17 , 2020;
- 2. All action contained in the original declaration is extended to the date stated in this resolution;
- 3. The procedures and formalities otherwise required by law pertaining to the performance of work, the entering into of contracts, the incurring of obligations, the employment of permanent and temporary workers, the use of volunteer workers, the rental of equipment, the purchase and distribution of supplies, materials and facilities and the appropriation and expenditure of public funds are hereby waived;
- 4. For purposes of claims, the President of the Board may approve claims and submit the claims to the Auditor for payment;
- 5. The claims approved by the President since the entry of the original declaration are hereby approved and all emergency action taken by the President are hereby ratified;
- 6. The Commissioners delegate the authority to the President of the Board to may make, amend and rescind orders, rules and regulations necessary for emergency management purposes and to supplement the carrying out the emergency management law that are not inconsistent with orders, rules or regulations adopted by the governor or by a state agency exercising a power delegated to it by the governor, the emergency management program and emergency operations plan of the County, and any such orders, rules and regulations have the full force and effect of law when filed in the office of the clerk of Montgomery County;
- 7. All Montgomery County government public meetings are cancelled until further notice, subject to the right of the Commissioners to allow public meetings which are necessary to the operation and function of the County government; and

	This Resolution shall expire on may be extended by act of the Colopted the 23rd day of March, 202	ommissioners.
Adopted the 25th day of Water, 2020.		
		BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, MONTGOMERY COUNTY, INDIANA:  James D. Fulwider, President
		John Frey, Vice President
		Dan Guard, Member
ATTEST;	Jonnifer Andel Auditor	