MAYORAL PROCLAMATION AMENDING THE CIVIL EMERGENCY DECLARATION

WHEREAS, Town Charter Section 29 authorizes the Town Council to provide for and preserve the health, cleanliness, ornament, good order and public welfare of the Town, its inhabitants and affairs; and

WHEREAS, Town Code Chapter 17, Section 17-3 provides authority to the Mayor, or in the Mayor’s absence the Vice-Mayor, to proclaim a civil emergency; and

WHEREAS, on April 24, 2020, Mayor Theodore Kanakos issued a Proclamation declaring a civil emergency, further postponing Town Council actions and public hearings; and

WHEREAS, beginning June 1, 2020, the Governor of the State of Delaware implemented Phase 1 of the State of Delaware’s Reopening Plan, which will be followed by Phase 2, proposed for implementation on June 15, 2020; and

WHEREAS, under the guidance of Governor Carney, in-person public meetings are allowable with certain restrictions as of June 1, 2020;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Theodore J. Kanakos, Mayor of the Town of Milton, Delaware, pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Milton Town Code in Chapter 17, and in the public interest and for the general welfare of the Town of Milton, acknowledge that a state of emergency still exists as declared by the Governor of the State of Delaware, and that all of the orders, conditions, and regulations promulgated in the Governor’s declaration and all of its subsequent modifications are, have been, and will be (in the case of modifications made after that date of the Proclamation) effective within the Town of Milton.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that in-person Town meetings and public hearings will resume effective June 15, 2020, absent an order of the Governor precluding such meetings. Conduct and participation at said meetings will be complaint with and guided by declarations issued by the Governor. Previously scheduled Town Council public hearings that were to occur but for the state of emergency will be rescheduled by Town Council Resolution at the Town Council meeting on June 15, 2020.
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Proclamation amends and replaces the prior Proclamation of April 24, 2020.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this Proclamation shall be: (1) promptly filed with the Town Clerk; (2) distributed to the news media; (3) posted at Town Hall, and on the Towns bulletin board to bring its contents to the attention of the general public; and (4) distributed to others as necessary to ensure proper implementation of this Proclamation of Civil Emergency.

IT IS FINALLY ORDERED that this Proclamation of Civil Emergency is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until rescinded or superseded by another applicable Proclamation.

Theodore J. Kanakos
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Date

Stephanie Coulbourn
Notary Public