

**RESOLUTION**  
**A RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE LOCAL STATE OF EMERGENCY DUE TO THE ADVERSE EFFECTS FROM TROPICAL STORM ISAIAS**

**WHEREAS**, this 11<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2020, events related to Tropical Storm Isaias have occurred that includes severe winds and rain, and tidal surges, has or will cause flooding of low-lying areas, power outages, and disruption of services in Calvert County, Maryland;

**WHEREAS**, the principal executive officer of the County Commissioners of Calvert County has the authority pursuant to Maryland Annotated Code, Public Safety Article, §14-111 and is authorized to declare a local state of emergency;

**WHEREAS**, Commissioner President McConkey did execute Resolution 26-20, a declaration of a local state of emergency on August 4, 2020, whereupon the Calvert County Emergency Operations Plan became immediately effective, which confers, among other powers, the power to the President of the Board of County Commissioners of Calvert County the authority to take such measures as necessary to maximize the preservation of life and property, including the authority to request evacuation of areas;

**WHEREAS**, authority exists for a local state of emergency to be renewed for periods not longer than thirty (30) days with the approval of the Board of County Commissioners; and

**WHEREAS**, the impacts of Tropical Storm Isaias continue to be discovered, and the Department of Public Safety has recommended extension of the Declaration of local state of emergency.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Calvert County, Maryland that a local state of emergency continues;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Calvert County, Maryland that the extension of the declaration of a local state of emergency for an additional thirty (30) days, effective immediately upon the expiration of Resolution 26-20, is warranted for the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Calvert County;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Calvert County, Maryland that powers hereby extended shall continue to be exercised with compassion and due regard to the constitutional and legal rights of the citizens of Calvert County;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Calvert County, Maryland that, unless terminated earlier by a subsequent Resolution, this local state of emergency shall expire upon the end of the Thirty-Seventh (37<sup>th</sup>) day following the Effective Date without further action by the Board, if not sooner rescinded; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Board of County Commissioners of Calvert County, Maryland that the foregoing recitals are incorporated by reference.


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Date of Adoption: August 11, 2020  
Effective Date: August 4, 2020

Aye: 5  
Nay: 0  
Absent/Abstain: 0


ATTEST:

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
OF CALVERT COUNTY, MARYLAND

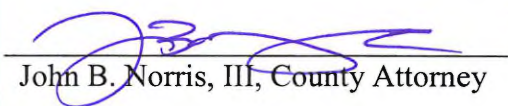
  
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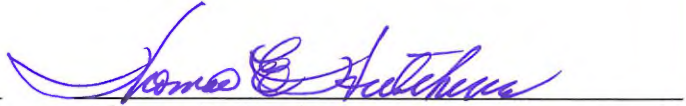
  
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