

Emergency Proclamation by the Mayor

Proclamation 20-04

WHEREAS, on May 19, 2020, severe flooding occurred in the City of Whitehall, Ohio due to the storms that swept through on May 19, 2020 and ending on March 20, 2020; and

WHEREAS, with the threat of the spread of the COVID-19 virus and now with the backup of sanitary sewer lines and flooding in basements throughout the city it is now necessary to ensure a speedy cleanup in order to contain bacteria and viruses; and

WHEREAS, in order to necessitate a speedy and thorough cleanup of streets, residential basements, businesses, city hall and the police station as soon as possible, it is necessary to declare a state of emergency in the City of Whitehall ; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to contract as soon as possible with vendors to assist with the cleanup; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kim Maggard, Mayor of the City of Whitehall, as a result of the above-noted conditions, and pursuant to Whitehall City Code Section 509, do hereby proclaim a State of Emergency pertaining to the thorough cleanup and sanitization of City Hall and the Police Station, and encourage business owners and citizens to clean and sanitize flooded areas.

Signed and sealed with the official seal of the City of Whitehall this 20th day of May, A.D., Two Thousand and Twenty at Whitehall, Ohio.

By:

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Kim Maggard", written over a horizontal line.

Kim Maggard, Mayor