County of Tyrrell, North Carolina Tyrrell County Board of Commissioners

Declaration of a State of Emergency

WHEREAS, Tropical Storm Isaias is located in the Atlantic Ocean and is threatening the eastern coast of the United States and specifically the County of Tyrrell; and

- **WHEREAS**, as a result of the above-described emergency, the Tyrrell County Board of Commissioners has determined that there is an imminent threat of, or existing conditions have caused or will cause, widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property, and public safety authorities will be unable to maintain public order or afford adequate protection for lives or property; and
- **WHEREAS**, declaring a State of Emergency and imposing the restrictions and prohibitions ordered herein is necessary to maintain order and protect public health, safety, and welfare, and to secure property.
- **NOW, THEREFORE**, pursuant to the authority vested in the Tyrrell County Board of Commissioners pursuant to Chapter 166A of the North Carolina General Statutes and the Tyrrell County State of Emergency Ordinance enacted on May 5, 2020:
- **Section 1.** A State of Emergency is hereby declared within the County of Tyrrell as more particularly described in Section 2.
 - **Section 2.** The area covered by this state of emergency shall be:

All areas within the jurisdiction of the County of Tyrrell

- **Section 3.** The Chairman of the Board of Commissioners and the County Manager are hereby authorized and empowered to impose those prohibitions and restrictions as set forth in G. S. 166A-19.31 and the Tyrrell County State of Emergency Ordinance enacted on May 5, 2020 as the same are necessary and suitable and proper to be so authorized and at the appropriate time released.
- **Section 4.** All Tyrrell County law enforcement officers and employees and all other emergency management personnel subject to the control of the Tyrrell County Board of Commissioners shall cooperate in the enforcement and implementation of the provisions of this Declaration, all applicable local ordinances, state and federal laws, and the Tyrrell County Emergency Operations Plan.
- **Section 5.** It is hereby ordered that this declaration: (a) to be distributed to the news media and other organizations calculated to bring its contents to the attention of the general public; (b) to be filed with Clerk to the Board of Commissioners; (c) to be

distributed to others as necessary to ensure proper implementation of this declaration; and (d) and filed in compliance with G. S. 166D-19.31(d).

Section 6. This declaration shall take effect on August 3, 202 at 3:00 p.m., and shall remain in effect until modified or rescinded.

DECLARED

This the 3rd day of August, 2020 at 1:00 p.m.

Nathan T. Everett, Chairman Tyrrell County Board of Commissioners

Penny Rhodes Owens, CMC, NCMCC

Clerk to the Board