

Town of Carlton Landing 38B Firefly Lane Carlton Landing, OK 74432 918-707-5005

## PROCLOMATION DECLARING STATE OF EMERGENCY (3-17-2020)

Whereas, the World Health Organization (WHO) has declared COVID-19 (Coronavirus) to be a global pandemic; and,

Whereas, the President of the United States has declared an infectious disease national emergency declaration to combat COVID-19; and,

Whereas, the Governor of the State of Oklahoma has declared an emergency by the impending threat of COVID-19 for all of Oklahoma; and,

Whereas, the spread of COVID-19 is a disaster affecting life, health and safety of Eufaula residents and non-residents alike; and,

Whereas, the Center for Disease Control (CDC) has in accordance with its guidance for large and mass gatherings recommends for the next eight (8) weeks, organizers (whether groups or individuals) cancel or postpone in-person events that consist of ten (10) people or more throughout the United States; and

Whereas, State Law permits the Mayor of the Town of Carlton Landing to proclaim that a state of emergency exists within the Town limits.

**Now, therefore**, as Mayor of the Town of Carlton Landing, I hereby proclaim and declare:

<u>Section One:</u> A state of emergency exists within the corporate limits of the Town of Carlton Landing, Pittsburgh County, Oklahoma.

<u>Section Two:</u> This proclamation shall become effective immediately upon signature by the Mayor

<u>Section Three:</u> The Town Administrator shall revoke any pending permit and not issue any new permit for any public or private event on any street, sidewalk, facility, park, or property until the expiration of this emergency declaration.

Section Four: Meetings of all Town of Carlton Landing authorities, boards, commissions, committees, and trusts are postponed and/or canceled until the expiration of this emergency declaration. All meetings of the Board of Trustees and Carlton Landing Economic Development Trust are exempt from this cancellation requirement. These meetings will remain open to the public but steps will be taken to ensure no close contact between attendees and Trustees.

<u>Section Five:</u> All in-person gatherings for social, spiritual, and recreational purposes, including but not limited to community, civic, public, leisure, faith-based, or sporting events; parades, concerts, festivals, conventions, fundraisers and similar activities consisting of more than ten (10) people or more are strongly discouraged until the expiration of this emergency declaration.

<u>Section Six:</u> Restaurants and other privately owned gathering places are highly encouraged to limit the number of patrons such that at least six (6) feet of space is available to each patron. Such facilities are further encouraged to transition to "take-out" or "delivery" options.

<u>Section Seven:</u> Local gyms and exercise facilities are encouraged to discontinue all group activities and to significantly increase and enhance facility cleaning and disinfecting activity.

<u>Section Eight:</u> This state of emergency shall continue until 12:01 AM on May 1, 2020, or until terminated earlier, or extended later, by further proclamation.

Proclaimed March 17, 2020.

Joanne Chinnici, Mayor

Attest:

Dr. Jan Summers, City Clerk