

ORDINANCE NO. 2020-05-13- 01

VILLAGE OF MAPLETON, ILLINOIS

AN ORDINANCE DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY AND LOCAL DISASTER AND DETERMINING ESSENTIAL GOVERNMENTAL FUNCTIONS

WHEREAS, in late 2019, a new and significant outbreak of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (“COVID-19”) emerged; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 is a novel severe acute respiratory illness that can spread among people through respiratory transmissions and present with symptoms similar to those of influenza; and

WHEREAS, certain populations are at higher risk of experiencing more severe illness as a result of COVID-19, including older adults and people who have serious chronic medical conditions such as heart disease, diabetes, or lung disease; and

WHEREAS, despite efforts to contain COVID-19, the World Health Organization and the Centers for Disease Control (CDC) indicate that it is expected to spread; and

WHEREAS, JB Pritzker, Governor of Illinois, declared all counties in the State of Illinois as a disaster area on April 30, 2020 (Gubernatorial Disaster Proclamation) in response to the outbreak of COVID-19; and

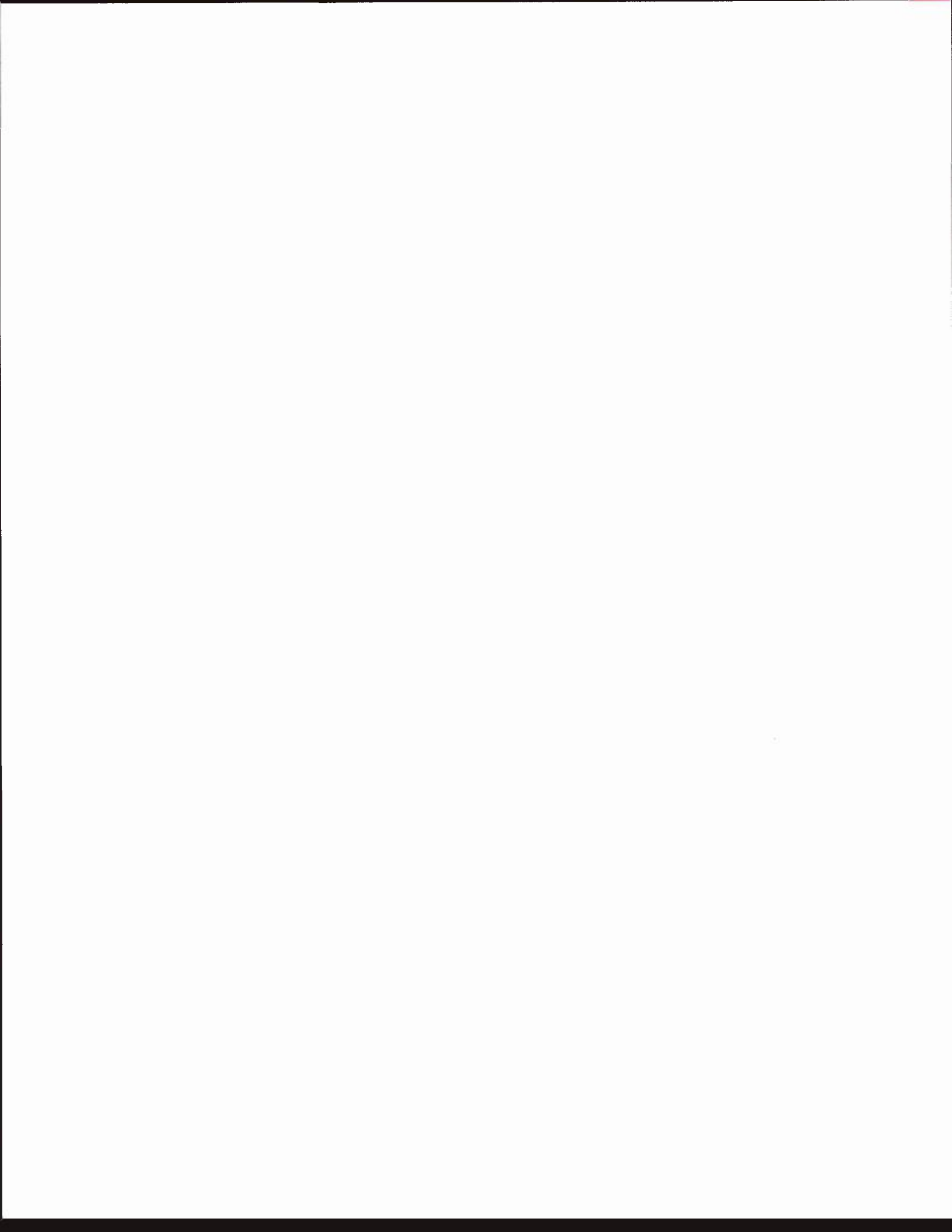
WHEREAS, JB Pritzker, Governor of Illinois, issued Executive Order 2020-32 (COVID-19 Executive Order No. 30) (“COVID EO 30”) on April 30, 2020, ordering all Illinois residents to stay at home or at their place of residence except as allowed in COVID EO 30; and

WHEREAS, COVID EO 30 allows individuals to leave their residence to perform essential governmental functions; and

WHEREAS, COVID EO 30 directs governmental bodies to determine its essential governmental functions and identify employees and/or contractors necessary to the performance of those functions; and

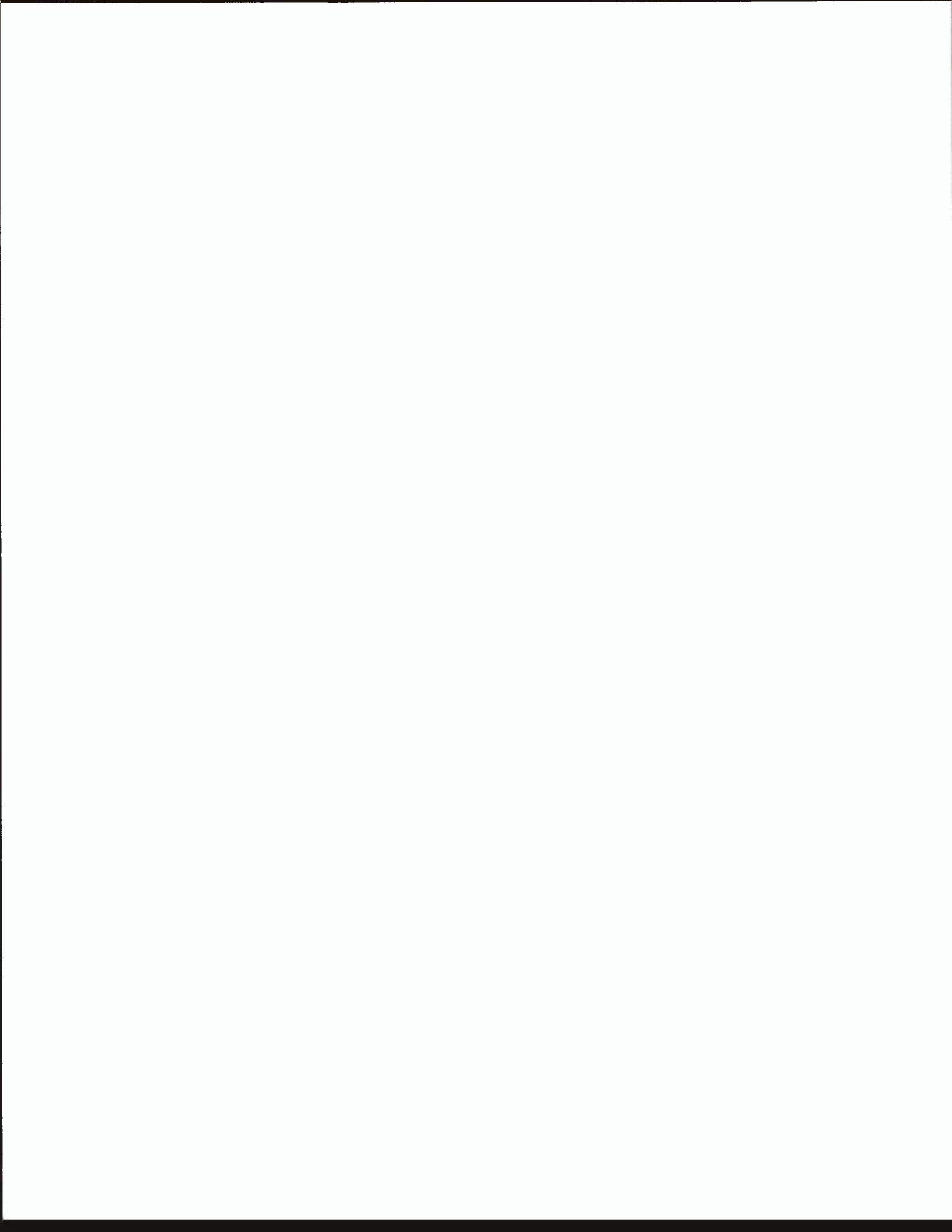
WHEREAS, the Village President and the Village Board wish to declare a state of emergency and local disaster in the Village, determine the essential governmental functions of the Village and identify employees and/or contractors necessary to the performance of those functions as provided in COVID EO 30;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE PRESIDENT AND VILLAGE BOARD OF THE VILLAGE OF MAPLETON, ILLINOIS, AS FOLLOWS:



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1. The Village President and the Village Board hereby find as fact the recitals set forth above.
2. The Village President and the Village Board hereby declare that a state of emergency and local disaster exists in the Village of Mapleton as a result of the outbreak of COVID-19.
3. The Village President and the Village Board hereby determine that the following functions of the Village are essential governmental functions:
 - the payment of all financial obligations of the Village; and
 - all construction, maintenance and repair of all public streets and other public property and all building management and maintenance of all public buildings, structures and other improvements; and
 - all administrative and related functions of the Village; and
 - all utility operations involving Village utilities and property; and
 - all operations related to flood control; and
 - any other functions of the Village as may be designated by the Village President.
4. The Village President and the Village Board hereby determine that the employees and officers of the Village necessary to perform the essential governmental functions described in the preceding paragraph are the Village President, Village Clerk, Village Treasurer, Village Public Works Superintendent and Village public works employees.
5. All essential government functions of the Village shall be performed in accordance with the social distancing requirements contained in COVID EO 30.
6. Notwithstanding Sections 14-14 and 14-15 of the Village Code, or any other provision of the Village Code, to the contrary, (i) no late fees shall be charged on water service bills due and payable in April or May, 2020 (ii) no disconnections of water service shall take place prior to May 31, 2020.
7. The Village President, Village Clerk and other officers of the Village are authorized to perform all acts necessary to carry out the intent of this ordinance.
8. This Ordinance shall take effect upon passage and publication as provided by law.



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PASSED AND APPROVED THIS 13th DAY OF MAY, 2020.

5 ~~1~~ AYES

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0 ABSENT

VILLAGE OF MAPLETON, ILLINOIS

By: Carl Anthony Bishop
Carl Anthony Bishop, Village President

Attest:

Patricia S. Briggs
Patricia S. Briggs, Village Clerk

