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## **ELK RIDGE CITY EMERGENCY PROCLAMATION**

### **MAYOR'S DESIGNATION OF EMERGENCY INTERIM SUCCESSION**

On April 1, 2020, pursuant to his authority under Utah Code Section 53-2a-208(i)(a), the Mayor of Elk Ridge City declared a local emergency due to the global outbreak of COVID-19 and the consequential risks to the health, safety, and welfare of Elk Ridge City residents.

Utah Code Section 53-2a-801(l) required the Mayor of Elk Ridge City to designate three emergency interim successors with a specified order of succession. In the event such a successor is acting in an official capacity as a successor, the interim successor has statutory authority to exercise the powers and duties of the mayoral office and utilize available resources of the City as reasonably necessary to manage a state of emergency or local emergency. This includes taking measures to give direction to City officers which are reasonable and necessary for the purpose of securing compliance with the provisions of Utah Code Section 53-2a-205 and with orders, rules and regulations made under Section 205 until the vacancy is filled in accordance with the constitution or statutes or successor earlier in the order of interim succession becomes available to exercise the powers and duties of the office, up and including the Mayor.


NOW THEREFORE, be it proclaimed that I, Mayor Ty Ellis, Mayor of Elk Ridge City exercise the following emergency powers:

1. **Emergency Interim Successors**. If the Mayor is unable to execute the duties of the office, the line of Legislative Emergency Interim Successors is: the Mayor Pro-Tempore, a Quorum of City Council Members, and the City Recorder.
2. **Conflict**. In the event of a conflict between this proclamation under Utah Code 53-2a-807 and Utah Code 53-2a-205(3), the provisions of 53-2a-205(3) shall control.
3. **Severability**. If any part or provision of this proclamation is held invalid or unenforceable, such invalidity or unenforceability shall not affect any other portion of this proclamation, and all provisions, clauses, and words of the proclamation shall be severable.

4. **Term.** This proclamation shall take effect immediately and will be ongoing for as long as the Proclamation of local emergency is in effect, unless this proclamation is amended or rescinded by the Mayor.

5. **Filing.** This proclamation shall be filed promptly with the office of the city recorder.

Dated the 1<sup>st</sup> of April, 2020

  
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Ty Ellis, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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Royce Swensen, Recorder