



RESOLUTION NO. 2021-10

**DECLARATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY
IN RESPONSE TO TROPICAL STORM ELSA**

WHEREAS, the City of Brunswick, Georgia anticipates an event of critical significance as a result of Tropical Storm Elsa on July 7, 2021 and possibly July 8, 2021; and

WHEREAS, in the judgment of the Mayor of the City of Brunswick, there exist emergency circumstances located in the City of Brunswick requiring extraordinary and immediate corrective actions for the protection of the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of the City of Brunswick, including individuals with the elderly, infirm, disabled or with household pets and service animals; and

WHEREAS, to prevent or minimize injury to people and damage to property resulting from this event;

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me by local and state law;

IT IS HEREBY DECLARED that a local state of emergency exists and shall continue until the conditions requiring this declaration are abated.

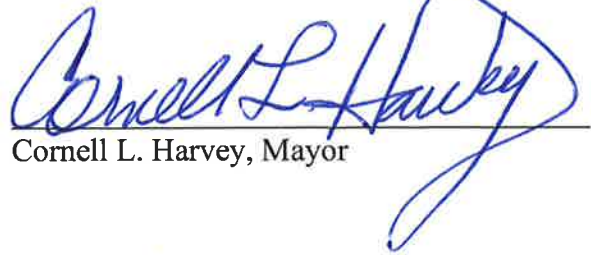
WHEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

- (1) That the applicable local emergency operations plan is hereby activated;
- (2) That the following sections of the City of Brunswick Code be implemented: Section 26-2 Emergency Management and Response Powers, which shall include such powers vested in the City of Brunswick Mayor as set forth in Section 26-2(d)(2) and such powers vested in the City Manager as set forth in Section 26-2(d)(4).
- (3) If Tropical Storm Elsa requires a declaration of closed or restricted area and a curfew as authorized by Section 26-6, the Mayor of the City of Brunswick is hereby authorized to impose such restrictions without any additional action by the City of Brunswick Board of Commissioners. Provided however, any such declaration by the Mayor shall not be indefinite and shall set forth specific provisions pertaining to the end of the order and curfew.

RESOLVED this 7th day of July, 2021.



CITY OF BRUNSWICK, GEORGIA



Cornell L. Harvey, Mayor

Attest: 
Naomi D. Atkinson, City Clerk