



## ***LOCAL EMERGENCY PROCLAMATION***

**WHEREAS**, the City of Hudson and the Hudson community is immediately threatened by a Coronavirus outbreak/pandemic (COVID-19), a highly communicable and potentially fatal disease; and

**WHEREAS**, the current situation is upon us and is evolving daily, with the first local patient identified on March 13, 2020, and the duration of this hazardous disease is unknown.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Craig A. Shubert, Mayor of the City of Hudson, Ohio, along with Jane Howington, its City Manager, in accordance with the Hudson Emergency Operations Plan, hereby declare that a state of emergency exists in the city, and that we hereby invoke and declare those portions of the Ohio Revised Code which are applicable to the conditions and have caused the issuance of this proclamation, to be in full force and effect in the City for the exercise of all necessary emergency authority for protection of the lives and property of the people of Hudson and the restoration of local government with a minimum of interruption.

Reference is hereby made to all appropriate laws, statutes, ordinances and resolutions, and particularly to Section 5502 of the Ohio Revised Code.

All public offices and employees of the City of Hudson are hereby directed to exercise the utmost diligence in the discharge of duties required of them for the duration of the emergency and in execution of emergency laws, regulations, and directives — state and local.

All citizens are called upon and directed to comply with necessary emergency measures, to cooperate with public officials and disaster services forces in executing emergency operation plans, and to obey and comply with the lawful directions of properly identified officers.

All operating forces will direct their communications and requests for assistance and operations directly to the Hudson Emergency Operations Center.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, we have hereunto set our hand on this 13<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2020, A.D.

Craig A. Shubert  
Mayor, City of Hudson

Jane Howington  
City Manager, City of Hudson