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EMERGENCY ORDER # 4 OF 2024

The undersigned, as Supervisor of the Town of Southampton, pursuant to the authority by Article 2-B, Section 24 of the Executive Law of the State of New York, has the authority to declare a state of emergency in the event of imminent danger to residents of the Town; and

WHEREAS, the National Weather Service issued a Red Flag Warning for areas Long Island, including the Town of Southampton due to extremely dry conditions and elevated winds and wind gusts; and

WHEREAS, in particular, said conditions are expected to favor the potential for rapid wildfire growth potential and no meaningful rain amounts are expected in the next five days to diminish the threat level being caused by dry conditions; and

WHEREAS, the residents of Town of Southampton are protected by a dedicated and highly skilled volunteer Fire Service and it is the duty and desire of the Town to support them in their fire prevention efforts by taking necessary actions to reduce the risks of fire; and

WHEREAS, in an effort to keep its residents, guests, and visitors safe, the Town of Southampton is taking appropriate actions to minimize the threat to the public's health, safety, and welfare; and

WHEREAS, the Supervisor, in consultation with the Town Code Compliance and Emergency Management Administrator, the Southampton Town Police Chief, and the Town Parks Director, hereby finds that public safety is imperiled and an imminent danger exists; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, that pursuant to the powers vested in me by the Executive Law of the State of New York, I hereby direct the following, effective through **November 17, 2024**, at **11:59 p.m.**:

IT IS ORDERED that the following emergency order be hereby adopted and implemented as it relates to all areas within the Town, or any portion(s) thereof:

1. The Southampton Town Supervisor, in consultation with the Town Code Compliance and Emergency Management Administrator, the Southampton Town Police Chief, and the Town Parks Director, is authorized to take whatever actions are necessary to protect life and property, and public infrastructure, and to perform other such emergency assistance as deemed necessary.

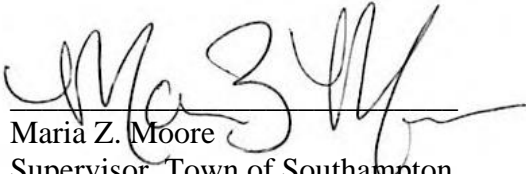
2. Because these conditions imperil the safety of the citizens of the Town of Southampton, it is imperative that all recreational outdoor fire and burning activities are prohibited; and
3. Town personnel shall coordinate and utilize other municipal agencies and subdivisions as necessary, including volunteer fire departments and ambulance services, to protect the health, safety and welfare of the public.

This Emergency Order shall continue in full force and effect through **November 17, 2024**, at **11:59 p.m.**, unless otherwise amended, modified, or rescinded, or upon the declaration of the Supervisor that the emergency no longer exists, whichever occurs sooner.

This Order shall be issued in quadruplicate and shall be filed within 72 hours, or as soon thereafter as practical, in the Office of the Suffolk County Clerk, the Southampton Town Clerk, the Office of the Secretary of State, and the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management; in addition, a copy of this Order shall be published in the Southampton Press.

Dated: November 12, 2024

Time: __12:00__ p.m.



Maria Z. Moore
Supervisor, Town of Southampton