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JUN 22 2021

Board of Supervisors  
James City County, VA

ORDINANCE NO. 231A-4

AN EMERGENCY ORDINANCE TO REPEAL ORDINANCE NO. 231A-3, AN ORDINANCE TO

ENSURE THE CONTINUITY OF GOVERNMENT

- WHEREAS, on January 31, 2020, the Secretary of Health and Human Resources declared a public health emergency in response to the spread of novel coronavirus, or COVID-19 (the “virus”); and
- WHEREAS, at 11:30 a.m. on March 13, 2020, the James City County Director of Emergency Management declared a local State of Emergency (the “declaration”) in James City County (the “County”) due to the outbreak of the virus in the County and the resulting danger to the public’s health, safety, and welfare due to the transmission and contraction of the virus; and
- WHEREAS, on March 17, 2020, the Board of Supervisors of James City County (the “Board”) convened in a special meeting, confirmed the declaration, and further found the emergency to be a “disaster” and amended the declaration accordingly; and
- WHEREAS, on April 14, 2020, the Board found that emergency measures are necessary to mitigate the ongoing emergency and disaster that is occurring in the County and to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens and, in response, adopted a Continuity of Government Ordinance pursuant to § 15.2-1413 of the Code of Virginia, 1950, as amended (the “Virginia Code”) and Section 3.6 of the Charter of James City County (the “Continuity Ordinance”); and
- WHEREAS, on September 8, 2020, the Board found that continued emergency measures are necessary to mitigate the ongoing emergency and disaster and, in response, readopted the Continuity Ordinance effective through April 14, 2021; and
- WHEREAS, on April 13, 2021, the Board found that continued emergency measures are necessary to mitigate the ongoing emergency and disaster and, in response, readopted the Continuity Ordinance effective through October 14, 2021; and
- WHEREAS, on June 2, 2021, the Governor indicated that he was not going to renew the Commonwealth’s State of Emergency when it expires on June 30, 2021; and
- WHEREAS, the need for County restrictions to prevent the spread of SARS-CoV-2, and the disease it causes, COVID-19, are no longer necessary.
- NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of James City, Virginia, that Ordinance No. 231A-3 adopted on April 13, 2021 is repealed, effective June 30, 2021.

  
Michael J. Hipple  
Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

  
Teresa J. Fellows  
Deputy Clerk to the Board

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Adopted by the Board of Supervisors of James City County, Virginia, this 22nd day of June, 2021.

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