



Wilson
County

North Carolina

Wilson County Government

County Manager's Office

DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, a tropical storm warning is in effect for Wilson County due to Tropical Storm Isaias; and

WHEREAS, as a result of the above-described emergency I have determined that there is an imminent threat of, or existing conditions have caused or will cause, widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property; and

WHEREAS, declaring a State of Emergency and imposing the restrictions and prohibitions ordered herein is necessary to maintain order and protect public health, safety, and welfare, and to secure property.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me as the Chairman of the Board of Commissioners of Wilson County under Article 1A of Chapter 166A of the North Carolina General Statutes and Article II of the Wilson County Emergency Management Ordinance:

Section 1. A State of Emergency is hereby declared within the jurisdiction of Wilson County.

Section 2. The emergency area covered by this state of emergency shall be the entirety of Wilson County, outside of any municipal corporate limits.

Section 3. The following restrictions and prohibitions are imposed: Currently, there are no restrictions or prohibitions in place.

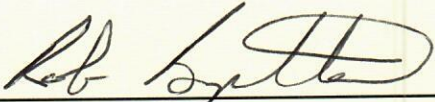
- A. **Evacuation:** No evacuation orders currently in place
- B. **Curfew:** No curfews currently in place
- C. **Restricted Access:** No restricted access currently in place
- D. **Business Operations:** No restrictions to business operations currently in place
- E. **Alcohol:** No restrictions currently in place
- F. **Dangerous Weapons & Gasoline:** This State of Emergency does not restrict the lawful possession, transportation, sale, purchase, storage, and use of firearms (defined as handguns, rifles, and shotguns) or ammunition.
- G. **Other:** No other restrictions currently in place

Section 4. I hereby order all Wilson County law enforcement officers, employees, and all other emergency management personnel subject to our control to cooperate in the enforcement and implementation of the provisions of this Declaration, all applicable local ordinances, state and federal laws, and the Wilson County Emergency Operations Plan.

Section 5. I hereby order this declaration: (a) to be distributed to the news media and other organizations calculated to bring its contents to the attention of the general public; (b) to be filed with Clerk to the Wilson County Board of Commissioners and (c) to be distributed to others as necessary to ensure proper implementation of this declaration.

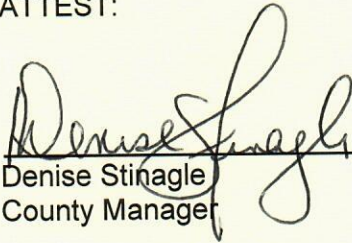
Section 6. This declaration shall take effect on August 3, 2020 at 12:00pm and shall remain in effect until modified or rescinded.

DECLARED



Rob Boyette, Chair
Wilson County Board of Commissioners

ATTEST:



Denise Stinagle
County Manager