

LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDERS

I, Philip C. Barrett, the Chief Executive of Saratoga County, in accordance with a declaration of a State of Emergency issued on July 17, 2024, and pursuant to Article 2-B and Section 24 of the New York State Executive Law, do hereby order:

That during the period of the state of emergency and to protect life and property and to bring the emergency under control:

- 1. All departments and agencies in the County of Saratoga shall take whatever steps are or may be necessary to protect life, property and public infrastructure, or to provide emergency assistance upon consultation and approval by the County Administrator or his Deputy.
- 2. The County of Saratoga, Commissioner of Public Works, Director of Purchasing, Director of Emergency Management are hereby authorized and directed to enter into emergency contracts for all essential and necessary services required to ameliorate and remedy the emergency conditions within the County of Saratoga.
- 3. All County resources, equipment, manpower and personnel shall be coordinated and shared to help remedy these conditions and to mitigate any effects of this emergency including but not limited to requiring mandatory overtime.
- 4. Adherence to the County of Saratoga Purchasing Policy and/or provisions of the General Municipal Law as they relate to purchasing and procurement is hereby suspended to the extent necessary to add additional work, sites and time to contracts, or to award emergency contracts, including but not limited to, emergency contracts for leases for relocation and support of County operations; emergency contracts for professional services; emergency contracts for commodities, services and technology; emergency contracts for purchases of commodities, services and technology through any federal programs or other state, regional, local, multijurisdictional, or cooperative contracts; required to ameliorate and remedy this emergency situation. In these instances, competitive bidding, or proposals shall not be required and emergency purchases are authorized in the discretion of the County Administrator or County Purchasing Agent.
- 5. The emergency orders shall continue for a period of five (5) days unless continued, terminated or rescinded.
- 6. The Local Emergency Order is being continued for an additional 5 days: July 27, 2024 through July 31, 2024

GIVEN, under my hand and the Seal of the County of Saratoga this 26th of July, in the year Two Thousand Twenty- Four.

Philip C. Barrett, Chairman

Saratoga County Board of Supervisors

CC: Clerk of the Board

Saratoga County Clerk Office of Secretary of State

New York State Office of Emergency Services