DECLARATION OF DISASTER EMERGENCY

WHEREAS on April 29th, 2020 a COV-19 pandemic threatened to cause injury, suffering and damage to the persons and property of Millersburg Borough, and

WHEREAS the COV-19 pandemic endangered the health, safety and welfare of a substantial number of persons residing in Millersburg Borough and caused problems greater in scope than Millersburg Borough was able to resolve, and

WHEREAS emergency management measures were required to reduce the severity of this disaster to protect the health, safety and welfare of affected residents in Millersburg Borough,

NOW, THEREFORE, we, the undersigned officials of Millersburg Borough, pursuant to the provisions of Section 7501 of the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Services Code (35 PA C.S., Section 7501), as amended, do hereby declare the existence of a disaster emergency in Millersburg Borough.

FURTHER, we direct that the Millersburg Borough Emergency Management Coordinator coordinate the activities of the emergency response, to take all appropriate action needed to alleviate the effects of this disaster, to aid in the restoration of essential public services, and to take any other emergency response action deemed necessary to respond to this emergency.

STILL FURTHER, we authorized the officials of Millersburg Borough to act as necessary to meet the current exigencies of this emergency, namely: by the employment of temporary workers, by the rental of equipment, but the purchase of supplies and materials, and by entering into such contracts and agreements for the performance of public work as may be required to meet the emergency, all without regard to those time consuming procedures and formalities normally prescribed by law, mandatory constitutional requirements excepted.

This Declaration shall take effect immediately and shall be in effect until rescinded by Millersburg Borough Council.

MILLERSBURG BOROUGH:	Ching (. Dott
Mayor	President of Council

ATTEST:

Borough Secretary Date Date