PROCLAMATION DECLARING THE EXISTENCE
OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY UNDER
GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 8630 AND
CHAPTER 2.60 OF THE
MURRIETA MUNICIPAL CODE

WHEREAS, Chapter 2.60.060 of the Murrieta Municipal Code empowers the City Manager, under the title of Director of Emergency Services, to proclaim the existence or threatened existence of a local emergency when said City is affected or likely to be affected by a public calamity and the City Council is not in session; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Emergency Services of the City of Murrieta does hereby find; that conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property have arisen within the City of Murrieta caused by the COVID-19 (Coronavirus) pandemic event of 2020; and

That these conditions are or are likely to be beyond the control of the services, personnel, equipment, and facilities of said City; and

That the City Council of the City of Murrieta is not in session and cannot immediately be called into session;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED that a Local Emergency now exists throughout the City of Murrieta; and

IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that during the existence of said Local Emergency, the powers, functions, and duties of the Disaster Council of this City shall be those prescribed by State law and the ordinances, resolutions, and approved plans of the City of Murrieta in order to mitigate the effects of said Local Emergency and that this emergency proclamation shall expire 7 days after issuance unless confirmed and ratified by the governing body of the City of Murrieta.

Dated this 19th day of March, 2020

Kim Summers
City Manager / Director of Emergency Services

ATTEST:

Stephanie D. Smith, MMC, City Clerk