

STATE OF GEORGIA
WAYNE COUNTY

DECLARATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Wayne County, Georgia is expecting an event of critical significance as a result of Hurricane Dorian on August 30, 2019;

WHEREAS, the Governor *has* declared a state of emergency for Wayne County;

WHEREAS, in the judgment of the Chair of the Wayne County Board of Commissioners, with advice from the Wayne Emergency Management Agency, there exist emergency circumstances located in **Wayne County** requiring extraordinary and immediate corrective actions for the protection of the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens of Wayne County, including individuals with household pets and service animals; and

WHEREAS, to prevent or minimize injury to people and damage to property resulting from this event, certain actions are required.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me by local and state law;

IT IS HEREBY DECLARED that a local state of emergency exists and shall continue until the conditions requiring this declaration are abated.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED:

- (1) That the Wayne County Emergency Management Agency activates the Emergency Operations Plan.
- (2) That the following sections of the County Code be implemented (If deemed appropriate, choose from the following):
Section 4 Authority to Waive Procedures and Fee Structures

Section 5 Registration of Building and Repair Services (to be effective only if the Governor declares a state of emergency)

Section 6 Closed or Restricted Areas and Curfews

- (3) That the following measures also be implemented:

(If deemed appropriate, select items from Section 2 (a)(iv)(C) or (D) or such other measures as appropriate.)

ENTERED at 1:45pm on August 30, 2019.



Herschell Hires
Chair, Wayne County Board of Commissioners