

**A DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY FOR THE
TOWN OF ST. GEORGE**

Pursuant to the authority granted to the Mayor of the Town of St. George under the provisions of the Town of St. George Code of Ordinances, Civil Emergencies, Chapter 5, the Mayor of the Town of St. George, Kevin R. Hart, finds it necessary to declare a State of Emergency for the reasons set forth below.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Mayor of the Town of St. George hereby declares a State of Emergency to exist as set forth below and directs that the Chief of Police and staff exercise the authority set forth below as provided in the Town of St. George Code of Ordinances.

The Mayor of the Town of St. George finds that a State of Emergency exists due to the probable effects of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) that pose a threat to the life, health and safety of the citizens of the Town of St. George.

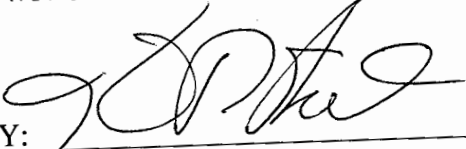
The Mayor and St. George Town Council find it necessary to declare a State of Emergency as provided in Civil Emergencies, Chapter 5 of the Town of St. George Code of Ordinances.


This State of Emergency shall continue through April 13, 2020 unless sooner terminated by direction of the St. George Town Council or the Mayor.

Pursuant to the powers provided in Civil Emergencies, Chapter 5, the Chief of Police, in conjunction with his role as head of the Town of St. George's Emergency Management Division, shall issue all such orders as he deems necessary to protect public life, health and safety by carrying out the following duties:

1. Utilized all available resources of the Town of St. George as reasonably necessary to cope with a disaster;
2. Transfer the direction, personnel or functions of Town Departments and agencies or units thereof for purposes of facilitating or performing emergency services as necessary or desirable;
3. Compel performance by elected and appointed Town Council officials and employees of the duties and functions assigned in the Town of St. George Code of Ordinances and/or by the Emergency Management Division;
4. Contract, requisition and compensate for goods and services from private sources, with prior approval by the Mayor;
5. Suspend or limit non-emergency activities and prohibit public assemblies.

THIS DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY enacted this 18 day of March 2020.
TOWN OF ST. GEORGE

BY: 
Kevin R. Hart
Mayor of St. George

ATTEST: 
Annette L. Moore
Clerk Treasurer