VILLAGE OF CORRALES
RESOLUTION NO. 20-030

A DECLARATION RESOLUTION OF EMERGENCY CONDITIONS IN
VILLAGE OF CORRALES DUE TO COVID 19

WHEREAS, Governor Lujan Grisham of the State of New Mexico issued Executive Order 2020-004 on the 11th Day of March 2020 proclaiming a public health emergency; and

WHEREAS, Governor Lujan Grisham of the State of New Mexico issued an Executive Order on the 18th Day of September 2020 renewing the State of New Mexico a public health emergency; and

WHEREAS, the New Mexico Department of Health issued a Public Health Emergency Order to Limit Mass Gatherings Due to COVID-19 on the 12th Day of March 2020; and


WHEREAS, the Village of Corrales Council declared a State of Emergency due to COVID-19 on the 17th day of March 2020; and

WHEREAS, the President of the United States of America declared a National Emergency for the ongoing Coronavirus 2019 pandemic on the 13th day of March 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Corrales will follow current Public Health Orders in regards to in-person public meetings and modified operations of the municipal government; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Corrales has ongoing infrastructure projects and a federally funded mitigation projects that may be impacted due to supply chain and staffing issues; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Corrales will have increase costs of personal protection, sanitation and medical supplies due to supply chain, increased requirements and increased need; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Corrales will have reduction in workforce due to illness of staff and family member leading to increase use of Paid Emergency and Administrative Leave; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Corrales may have an increase in worker’s compensation and unemployment rates due to high risk workers and possible contraction of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Corrales will experience increase of overtime cost in critical departments due to illness of staff and family members; and
WHEREAS, the Village of Corrales with reduced staffing based on current Public Health Orders to help prevent the spread of COVID 19 will modify or close facilities, and create alternatives to many programs; and

WHEREAS, the need to be prepared to address the possibility of decreased staffing or modified work hours in August as the Public Education Department and area schools plan for the start of schools which many affect staff’s ability to work; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Corrales will be providing increased emergency responses; and

WHEREAS, the Village of Corrales without on-going assistance may have insufficient resources to effectively respond to the citizens needs associated with COVID 19;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Village of Corrales Council, Corrales, New Mexico, does hereby extend a State of Emergency due to COVID-19 for the purpose of exercising applicable emergency powers and expenditure of available resources, and requesting aid, assistance, and relief programs and funds available from the State of New Mexico and the Federal Government by virtue of New Mexico Civil Emergency Preparedness Act (NMSA 1978, 12-10-01, et. seq.)

Beginning on the 22nd day of September and remaining in effect until the 30th day of December, 2020 or upon further order of the Village of Corrales Council.

In addition, during the period of this Emergency, the Mayor shall have the authority to limit, alter or change staff schedules, and the delivery of non-emergency services to protect the public and Village employees; and

The Governing Body hereby alters its Open Meetings Resolution for the period of this Emergency to protect the public, Village employees and elected officials by:

1. Allowing all members of the governing body, staff and public to call in for meetings, and
2. Limiting the capacity of the Meeting Chambers following the most current directives of the Center for Disease Control and the NM Department of Health and creating an alternate method for citizens to listen to the public meetings and make public comments and participate in public hearings as designed and approved by the Mayor and the Village Contract Attorney.

PASSED, ADOPTED AND SIGNED this 22nd day of September 2020.

VILLAGE OF CORRALES

[Signature]
Honorable Jo Anne Roake, Mayor

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Aaron Gjullin, Village Clerk
(SEAL)