

ROSEVILLE
REQUEST FOR COUNCIL ACTION

Date: July 12, 2021
Item No.: 7.a

Department Approval

City Manager Approval



Item Description: Consider resolution to end the City of Roseville local emergency due to the COVID-19 pandemic

BACKGROUND

On March 13, 2020 Governor Tim Walz declared a State of Minnesota peacetime emergency due to the COVID-19 pandemic through Executive Order 20-01. On March 16, 2020, the Roseville City Council extended the local emergency declared by Mayor Roe due to the COVID-19 pandemic pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 12.29 until May 15, 2020. On May 11, 2020 the City Council extended the local emergency until such time the State of Minnesota peace time state emergency declaration is lifted. The state emergency declaration expired on July 1, 2021 after the Minnesota Legislature voted to end the Governor’s emergency powers.

As a result, staff is bringing forward a resolution to end the City of Roseville local emergency.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS

None. Under the local emergency declaration the City Manager had authorization to make the necessary expenditures to address the emergency. With the local emergency declaration no longer in effect, the City Manager must adhere to statutory and local limits on expenditures.

STAFF RECOMMENDATION

Staff recommends that the City Council approve a resolution to ending the local emergency for the COVID-19 pandemic as a result of the State of Minnesota peacetime state emergency declaration being rescinded.

REQUESTED COUNCIL ACTION

Motion to approve a resolution to approve a resolution to ending the local emergency for the COVID-19 pandemic as a result of the State of Minnesota peacetime state emergency declaration being rescinded.

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Attachment: A: Resolution ending the local emergency due to the COVID-19 pandemic

RESOLUTION NO. _____

**EXTRACT OF MINUTES OF
MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF ROSEVILLE**

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Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Roseville, County of Ramsey, Minnesota, was duly held on 12th day of July, 2021, at 6:00 p.m.

The following members were present: Willmus, Strahan, Groff, Etten, and Roe; and the following members were absent: None.

Member _____ introduced the following resolution and moved its adoption:

RESOLUTION TO CEASE DECLARATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020 Governor Tim Walz declared a State of Minnesota peacetime emergency due to the COVID-19 pandemic through Executive Order 20-01; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of Roseville on March 16, 2020 found that the following emergency situation exists:

- World Health Organization has declared a novel coronavirus- COVID-19 as a Pandemic.
- Cases of the COVID-19 continue to increase at a rapid rate, stressing the local healthcare system.
- Federal, State, and County Health Agencies have enacted social distancing mandates in an effort to reduce risk and stress on the healthcare system.
- The expectations on local resources and services will be stressed and there is a need to increase our local operations and spending capabilities to respond to the growing needs of the community we serve.; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, the Mayor declared that the situation constitutes a local emergency;

WHEREAS, on March 16, the Roseville City Council adopted Resolution Number 11681 extending the local emergency until May 15, 2020 pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 12.29 and adopted a Resolution Number 11682 authorizing the City Manager to make any and all expenditures necessary to deal with local emergency on behalf of the City of Roseville, pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 12.37.;

46 **WHEREAS**, on May 11, 2020, the Roseville City Council adopted Resolution Number
47 11695 extending the local emergency, together with the continued use of the City's
48 Emergency Management Plan and authorization of the City Manager to make necessary
49 expenditures to deal with the local emergency, until such time as the State of Minnesota peace
50 time state emergency declaration is rescinded;

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52 **WHEREAS**, the conditions giving rise to the State and local emergency declarations have
53 ceased; and,

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55 **WHEREAS**, the State of Minnesota has rescinded its peacetime state of emergency
56 declaration.

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58 **BE IT RESOLVED** by the City Council that:

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60 1) The City of Roseville's local emergency declaration, as originally enacted by the Mayor
61 and extended by the City Council, is hereby rescinded.
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63 2) This use of the City's Emergency Management Plan is hereby ended.
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65 3) The City Manager's authorization to make expenditures necessary to deal with the local
66 emergency on behalf of the City of Roseville pursuant to Minn. Stat. § 12.37 is hereby
67 revoked.
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69 The motion was duly seconded by Member _____ and upon vote being taken
70 thereon, the following voted in favor thereof _____; and the following
71 voted against: None.

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73 **WHEREUPON** said resolution was declared duly passed and adopted.

74 STATE OF MINNESOTA)
75 (COUNTY OF RAMSEY)

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78 I, the undersigned, being the duly qualified City Manager of the City of
79 Roseville, County of Ramsey, State of Minnesota, do hereby certify that I have
80 carefully compared the attached and foregoing extract of minutes of a regular meeting
81 of said City Council held on the 12th day of July, 2021, with the original thereof on
82 file in my office.

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84 WITNESS MY HAND officially as such Manager this 12th day of July, 2021

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Patrick Trudgeon, City Manager

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