



**DECLARATION OF CONTINUING STATE OF EMERGENCY
PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA**

WHEREAS, on August 17, 2021, Palm Beach County declared a local state of emergency (“Declaration of Emergency”) due to the outbreak of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19), a serious respiratory illness that is highly contagious, can be fatal, and has already caused the death of a number of citizens; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to applicable law, the Declaration of Emergency has been extended every seven (7) days due to the continuation of the COVID-19 outbreak in Palm Beach County; and

WHEREAS, based on the current data available, COVID-19 continues to constitute a clear and present threat to the health, safety, and welfare of the people of Palm Beach County; and

WHEREAS, based on the foregoing, it is necessary to extend the Declaration of Emergency for an additional seven (7) days, continuing the local state of emergency until 12:01 a.m. on October 26, 2021.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED AND DECLARED THAT, pursuant to all applicable laws, including, but not limited to, the Palm Beach County Emergency Management Ordinance:

1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein by reference.
2. Effective at 12:01 a.m. on October 19, 2021, the Palm Beach County local Declaration of Emergency is hereby extended for an additional seven (7) days, until 12:01 a.m. on October 26, 2021.
3. This Declaration shall expire at the date and time set forth herein unless further extended or terminated by the Board of County Commissioners, the Mayor, Vice Mayor, or County Administrator, as permitted in the Palm Beach County Code.

PALM BEACH COUNTY

**APPROVED AS TO
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY**

By: 

Mayor Dave Kerner

By: /s/ Denise Coffman, Esq.
County Attorney

Date: 10/18/21

**ATTEST
CLERK & COMPTROLLER**

By: 

Deputy Clerk

Filed Date: 10/18/21