VILLAGE OF ALSIP, ILLINOIS

DECLARATION OF LOCAL STATE OF EMERGENCY

I, John D. Ryan, Mayor of the Village of Alsip, being first duly sworn upon oath, do hereby declare that a Local State of Emergency exists in the Village of Alsip, County of Cook, State of Illinois, as of this May 31, 2020 at 4:15 P.M., due to the actual and/or threatened injury to life and property on account of arson, rioting, and looting. This declaration is made pursuant to and in accordance with the provisions of Section 11-1-6 of the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/11-1-6), Section 11 of the Illinois Emergency Management Agency Act (20 ILCS 3305/11), and Chapter 8, Civil Defense and Emergencies, Article III, Mayor’s Emergency Powers, of the Municipal Code for the Village of Alsip.

On the evening of May 30, 2020 and into the early morning hours of May 31, 2020, individuals began engaging in unlawful and dangerous activity in the City of Chicago including arson, rioting, looting, and damaging public and private property. Throughout the day on May 31, 2020, individuals continued to engage in arson, rioting, looting and damaging public and private property in the City of Chicago, and that activity has now spread to the south and southwest suburbs. It is anticipated that such unlawful and dangerous activity will continue for the immediate future, and such activity threatens injury to life and property in the Village of Alsip.

The Local State of Emergency shall continue for forty-eight (48) hours, this includes the implementation of a Temporary Curfew for Alsip, where from:

**Sunday May 31, 2020 at 9pm until 6am Monday June 1, 2020 and**

**Monday June 1, 2020 at 9pm until Tuesday June 2, 2020 at 6am, during a curfew, all persons must not travel on any public street or in any public place, except law enforcement, fire, public works, medical personnel, and members of news media, as well as authorized personnel by the Village of Alsip, County of Cook, or State of Illinois. Individuals traveling to and from work, seeking emergency care, fleeing dangerous circumstances, or experiencing homelessness are also exempt.**

Respectfully,

Mayor John D Ryan

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