

**EMERGENCY DECLARATION**  
**CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)**

A DECLARATION OF THE MAYOR OF NEPHI CITY, UTAH, DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY RELATING TO THE CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19)

WHEREAS, the Mayor is the chief executive officer of Nephi City; and

WHEREAS, Title 53 Chapter 2a Section 208 of Utah Code Annotated authorizes the chief executive officer of a municipality to declare a local emergency; and

WHEREAS, the Coronavirus (COVID-19) is an infectious disease that results in respiratory illness that can lead to serious illness and death; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 is extremely contagious and is believed to be spread through respiratory droplets from coughs and sneezes; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 is spreading throughout the world, the United States of America, and the state of Utah; and

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, the President of the United States of America, Donald J. Trump, declared a National Emergency concerning COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, the Governor of the great state of Utah, Gary R. Herbert, declared a state of emergency concerning COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, all public K-12 schools, colleges, and universities in Utah have suspended regular in-person instruction and learning; and

WHEREAS, extraordinary measures are being taken on a national, state, and local levels to slow the spread of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the measures taken to slow the spread of COVID-19 are with the intent that such measures will limit the amount of people infected with the disease at a given time so health care facilities and personnel can properly care for those infected by the disease; and

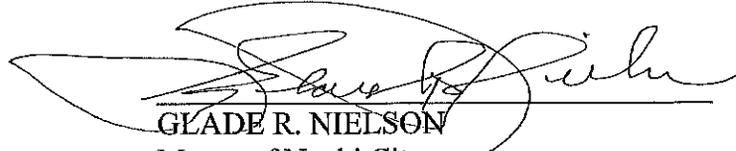
WHEREAS, Nephi City desires to take all available and prudent measures to protect and preserve the health and well-being of its residents; and

WHEREAS, it is anticipated that that the federal, state, and local economy will be significantly harmed as a result of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, Nephi City, to the extent possible and prudent, desires to access and utilize all available resources to assist the residents of Nephi City in protecting themselves from COVID-19 and recovering from the harm inflicted by such disease.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Glade R. Nielson as Mayor of Nephi City, hereby Declare a State of Emergency concerning COVID-19. This Declaration is effective immediately.

DECLARED ON THIS 17<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2020.



GLADE R. NIELSON  
Mayor of Nephi City