

**RESOLUTION NO. 809**

**BOROUGH OF MALVERN  
CHESTER COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA**

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOROUGH COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MALVERN, CHESTER COUNTY, COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA ISSUING A DECLARATION OF LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY FOR THE OUTBREAK OF CORONAVIRUS/COVID-19.

**WHEREAS**, effective as of March 6, 2020, there were presumed positive cases of Coronavirus (COVID-19) confirmed in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania which was set forth in a Proclamation of Disaster Emergency issued by the Governor of Pennsylvania, Tom Wolf.; and

**WHEREAS**, COVID-19 presents the possibility of spreading both nationwide and within the Borough of Malvern, Chester County and, therefore, may endanger the health, safety and welfare of a substantial number of persons residing in the Borough of Malvern and which likewise threatens to create substantial public health, medical, and emergency response burdens within, Chester County ; and

**WHEREAS**, immediate proactive emergency management measures are required to mitigate and reduce the severity of this public health emergency for purposes of protecting the health, safety and welfare of residents in the Borough of Malvern, Chester County; and

**NOW, THEREFORE**, we, the undersigned Borough Council of the Borough of Malvern, pursuant to the provisions of Section 7501 of the Pennsylvania Emergency Management Services Code, (35 Pa C.S. Section 7101 et seq.), do hereby declare the existence of a local disaster emergency in the Borough of Malvern, Chester County;

**FURTHER**, the effect of this Declaration of Local Disaster Emergency is to activate the response and recovery aspects of any and all applicable local emergency management plans and to authorize the furnishing of aid and assistance thereunder.

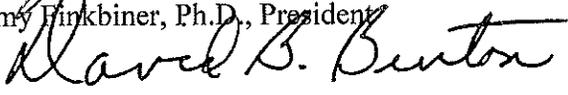
**FURTHER**, we direct the Borough of Malvern Emergency Management Coordinator, to coordinate the activities of emergency response, to take all appropriate action needed to alleviate the effects of this medical emergency, to aid in the restoration of essential public services, and to take any other emergency response and recovery action deemed necessary to respond to this disaster emergency.

Duly presented and adopted by the Borough Council of the Borough of Malvern, Chester County, Pennsylvania in a public meeting held this 17<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2020.

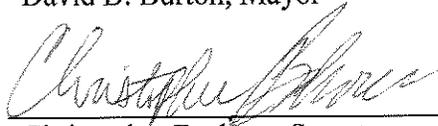
Passed by Borough Council,  
this 17 day of March, 2020.

  
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Amy Hinkbiner, Ph.D., President

Approved by the Mayor,  
this 17 day of March, 2020.

  
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David B. Burton, Mayor

Enacted,  
this 17 day of March, 2020.

  
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Christopher Bashore, Secretary