

**City of Maitland Florida  
Office of the Mayor**

***Proclamation***

**WHEREAS,** a Florida municipality pursuant to F.S. 870.042 may designate by duly adopted ordinance a city official who shall be empowered to declare that a state of emergency exists within the boundaries of the municipality and to exercise the emergency powers conferred in F.S. 870.041 – 870.047; and

**WHEREAS,** F.S. 252.38 (3) (a) provides authority for a political subdivision to declare a state of local emergency; and

**WHEREAS,** the City of Maitland, Florida, City Code Section 10-38 authorizes the Mayor, using reasonable judgment, to proclaim in writing the existence of a state of emergency; and

**WHEREAS,** the Honorable Ron DeSantis, Governor of the State of Florida, has issued Executive Order 22-218, Emergency Management – Tropical Depression Nine, on September 23, 2022, that declared a state of emergency for 24 counties within the State of Florida and has since strengthened into Tropical Storm Ian; and ;

**WHEREAS,** the Honorable Ron DeSantis, Governor of the State of Florida, has issued Executive Order 22-219, Emergency Management – Hurricane Ian, on September 24, 2022, amending Executive Order 22-218, declaring a state of emergency exists in the State of Florida due to a major hurricane; and

**WHEREAS,** Florida Division of Emergency Management and the National Hurricane Center have determined there is a continued risk of dangerous storm surge, heavy rainfall, flash flooding, strong winds, hazardous seas and isolated tornadic activity; and

**WHEREAS,** the City of Maitland has promulgated an Emergency Response Plan setting forth the provisions by which the elected officials, City Manager and employees shall respond to a natural disaster.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN. P. LOWNDES,** by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Maitland, Florida, do hereby proclaim a state of emergency exists in the City of Maitland, Florida.

**SECTION 1.** The City Clerk shall give prompt notice to all newspapers, television or other news media as is reasonable to contact.

**SECTION 2.** The City Clerk shall file a copy of this proclamation with the City Manager and the Chief of Police.

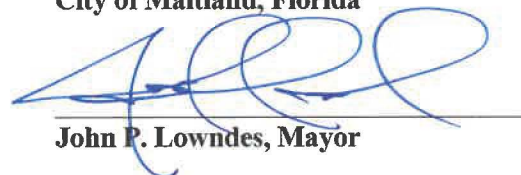
**SECTION 3.** Specific provisions of F.S. 252.38 (3) (a), F.S. 870.045 and Maitland City Code Section 10-40, may be subsequently established either individually or in whole pursuant to this proclamation and by executive order of the Mayor to maintain the public health and safety.

**SECTION 4.** The City of Maitland Emergency Management Plan is hereby activated.

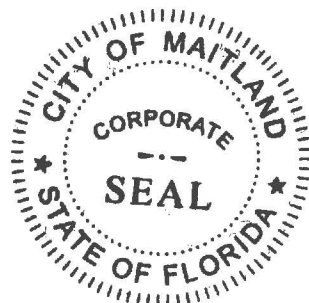
**SECTION 5.** This proclamation shall terminate upon order of the Mayor, by vote of the City Council, upon cancellation of Executive Order 22-218, or within 10 days of issuance, whichever occurs first.

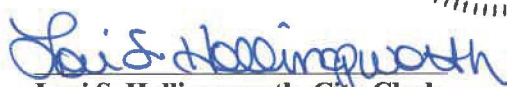
Issued this 26<sup>th</sup> day of September 2022, at 8:33 pm o'clock.

**City of Maitland, Florida**

  
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**John P. Lowndes, Mayor**

ATTEST:



  
**Lori S. Hollingsworth, City Clerk**