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**TOWN OF CAPE CARTERET
DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY**

WHEREAS, Hurricane Dorian has the potential to impact the Town of Cape Carteret, NC; and

WHEREAS, as a result of the above-described disaster, I have determined that there is an imminent threat of, or existing conditions have caused or will cause, widespread or severe damage, injury, or loss of life or property, and public safety; and

WHEREAS, declaring a State of Emergency and imposing the restrictions and prohibitions ordered herein is necessary to maintain order and protect public health, safety, and welfare, and to secure property.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vested in me as the Mayor of the Town of Cape Carteret under Article 1A of Chapter 166A of the North Carolina General Statutes and Chapter 36 of the Town of Cape Carteret Code of Ordinances:

Section 1. A State of Emergency is hereby declared within the jurisdiction of the Town of Cape Carteret.

Section 2. The emergency area covered by this state of emergency shall be within the corporate limits of the Town of Cape Carteret.

Section 3. Evacuation: A voluntary evacuation will commence at 8:00 AM on Tuesday, September 3, 2019. A mandatory evacuation order may be issued at a future date in advance of the storm.

Section 4: Curfew: A curfew will go into effect on Thursday, September 5, 2019 at 6:00 PM and remain in effect until official notice of the end of the curfew is given.

Section 5. I hereby order all Town law enforcement officers and employees and all other emergency management personnel subject to our control to cooperate in the enforcement and implementation of the provisions of this Declaration, all applicable local ordinances, state and federal laws, and the Town of Cape Carteret Emergency Operations Plan.

Section 6. I hereby order this declaration: (a) to be distributed to the news media and other organizations calculated to bring its contents to the attention of the general public; (b) to be filed with Clerk to the Town of Cape Carteret Board of Commissioners and (c) to be distributed to others as necessary to ensure proper implementation of this declaration.

Section 7. This declaration shall take effect on Tuesday, September 3, 2019 at 8:00 AM, and shall remain in effect until modified or rescinded.

DECLARED this the 2nd day of September 2019 at 5:00 PM.

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'David M. Fowler'. The signature is written in a cursive style and is positioned above a horizontal line.

David M. Fowler, Mayor