

RESOLUTION NO. 17-2455

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF SURFSIDE, FLORIDA, CONFIRMING THE TERMINATION OF THE STATE OF EMERGENCY DECLARED FOR THE TOWN OF SURFSIDE, FLORIDA RELATED TO HURRICANE IRMA; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE

WHEREAS, on September 4, 2017, by Executive Order 17-235, Florida Governor Rick Scott declared a state of emergency for all 67 counties within the State of Florida in response to the approaching and imminent threat of Hurricane Irma; and

WHEREAS, Pursuant to Article VIII, Chapter 2 (Sections 2-261–2-270) Emergency Management Procedures, of the Code of the Town of Surfside, Florida, the Mayor and Town Manager declared a State of Emergency within the Town on September 5, 2017 as a result of the imminent and severe threat which required immediate and expeditious action as a result of the threat of Hurricane Irma which was anticipated to result in substantial injury or harm to Town residents or substantial damage to or loss of property; and

WHEREAS, In recognition of the ongoing state of emergency throughout the State of Florida and the extensive and ongoing recovery efforts that were continuing within the Town, the Town's State of Emergency declared on September 5, 2017 was extended on September 13th and again on September 20th; and

WHEREAS, On September 27, 2017, the Mayor and Town Manager found and certified that the danger posed to Town residents and property by Hurricane Irma had abated and the conditions warranting the state of emergency as it related to Hurricane Irma had ceased to exist; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sec. 2-263, "Termination of a state of emergency", of the Town Code, upon such certification, the Mayor and Town Manager terminated the state of emergency within the Town on September 27, 2017; and

WHEREAS, the Town code requires that termination of the state of emergency be confirmed by resolution of the Town Commission.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND TOWN COMMISSION OF THE TOWN OF SURFSIDE, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Recitals. The foregoing recitals are confirmed, adopted, and incorporated herein and made a part hereof by this reference.

Section 2. Termination of State of Emergency. The termination of the State of Emergency for the Town of Surfside, Florida, declared September 5, 2017, extended on September 13, 2017 and on September 20, 2017, and terminated effective September 27, 2017, is hereby confirmed.

Section 3. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 10th day of October, 2017.

Motion by Commissioner Gielchinsky.

Second by Commissioner Karukin.

ATTEST:



Sandra Novoa, MMC, Town Clerk



Daniel Dietch, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY FOR THE TOWN OF SURFSIDE ONLY:

Ruthy McHaffey
Town Attorney

FINAL VOTE ON ADOPTION:

Mayor Daniel Dietch	<u>yes</u>
Vice-Mayor Barry Richard Cohen	<u>Absent</u>
Commissioner Daniel Gielchinsky	<u>yes</u>
Commissioner Michael Karukin	<u>yes</u>
Commissioner Tina Paul	<u>yes</u>