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**NOTICE OF LOCAL STATE OF EMERGENCY
(COVID-19)
City of Walled Lake, Michigan**

TO: The City of Walled Lake Residents and Business Owners

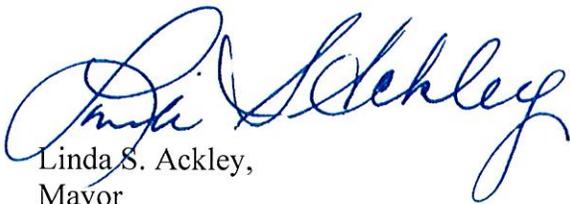
A local state of emergency was declared for the City of Walled Lake on March 10, 2020.

After the Secretary of the United States Department of Health and Human Services declared a public health emergency for COVID-19 on January 31, 2020, and other affected state and local governments declaring States of Emergency, I began daily meeting with Walled Lake City Manager/Public Safety Director to monitor the evolving COVID-19 pandemic.

After the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) activated the Community Health Emergency Coordination Center on February 3, 2020 and the Governor activated the State Emergency Operations Center on February 28, 2020 to coordination with state and local governments to fight the proliferation of COVID-19; I instituted a three times daily meeting and communication with City Management.

On March 10, 2020, MDHHS identified the first two presumptive-positive cases of COVID-19 in Michigan, and after consultation with City Administration, the City Manager/Public Safety Director, the Assistant City Manager, the Fire Chief, the Police Chief, I found a local emergency existed.

As your Mayor, I declared a local state of emergency pursuant to MCL 30.402 (j) "Local state of emergency" which is defined as a declaration that activates the response and recovery aspects of any and all applicable local or interjurisdictional emergency operations plans and authorizes the furnishing of aid, assistance, and directives under those plans.



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