

**ORDER PURSUANT TO THE DECLARATION OF DISASTER
AND EMERGENCY BOROUGH OF SHIP BOTTOM 02-2020**

TO ALL RESIDENTS AND PERSONS WITHIN THE MUNICIPALITY OF THE BOROUGH OF SHIP BOTTOM IN THE COUNTY OF OCEAN AND STATE OF NEW JERSEY AND TO ALL DEPARTMENTS OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF THE BOROUGH OF SHIP BOTTOM

WHEREAS, pursuant to the powers vested by Chapter 251 of the laws of 1942, as amended and supplemented, N.J.S.A. App. A: 9-30, *et seq.*; N.J.S.A. 40:48-1, *et seq.*; and all applicable statutory law and regulations, as well as Title 9 of the Borough Code, the Borough of Ship Bottom ("Borough") declared on March 24, 2020, that a local disaster/emergency exists within by and through the required authorization of the Director of Public Safety and the Emergency Management Coordinator; and

WHEREAS, the aforesaid laws and declaration of emergency authorize the promulgation of such orders, rules, and regulations as are necessary to meet the various problems which have or may occur due to such an emergency; and

WHEREAS, on March 30, 2020, Emergency Order E0-2020-1 was entered and remains in effect; and

WHEREAS, it has become evident that a substantial influx of non-residents in and visitors to the Borough have and are using its beaches and failing to comply with Executive Order 107 and CDC and Federal Guidelines; and

WHEREAS, to date, the State of New Jersey and New York Metropolitan areas have experienced the most significant impact of the COVID-19 pandemic and continued efforts to halt the spread of the virus and to flatten the curve are required to protect the public health, welfare, and safety; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 107 orders the public to remain in home isolation, except for certain limited exceptions and the State has repeatedly expressed that all State residents should remain at their primary residences and not travel to the Jersey Shore in light of the region's limited healthcare and other infrastructure to protect the public during this pandemic; and

WHEREAS, in order to protect the public health, welfare, and safety during this grave pandemic and aid in the enforcement of Executive Order 107, the beaches located in the Borough are hereby immediately closed to the public; and

WHEREAS, the Chiefs of Police and OEM Coordinators from Ship Bottom Long Beach Township and Beach Haven have jointly and unanimously determined that all beaches in each respective municipality must close; and

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NOW, THEREFORE, in accordance with the aforesaid laws and recitals, which are incorporated herein by reference, it is on this 5th day of April, 2020, **DECLARED AND ORDERED** that until further Order of the Borough or until the restrictions set forth in the Executive Order 107 are rescinded, whichever is earlier, the following emergency restrictions and regulations are effective immediately:

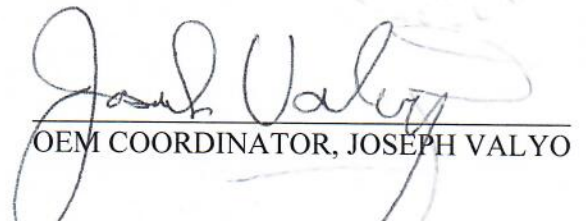
1. Effective April 5, 2020, 7:00 PM all beaches located in the Borough are closed to all persons and for any and all activities.

2. Penalties for violations of this Order may be imposed under, among other statutes,
N.J.S.A. App. A:9-49 and -50, and the Borough Code.

DATED: 4/8/20


MAYOR, WILLIAM HUELSENBECK

DATED: 4/8/20


OEM COORDINATOR, JOSEPH VALYO