

**CHARTER TOWNSHIP OF CLINTON
MACOMB COUNTY, MICHIGAN**

**EMERGENCY DECLARATION ISSUED APRIL 6, 2021
PURSUANT TO
THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT ACT PA 390 OF 1976**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sec. 10 of the Emergency Management Act, as Supervisor of the Charter Township of Clinton, I am authorized to declare a state of emergency as authorized under PA 390 of 1976, where a threat of severe or widespread harm resulting in injury exists; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the Open Meetings Act, Sec. 3(2) and Sec. 3a, 1, (b), a state of emergency authorizing remote meetings may be issued, where an emergency order is in effect; and

WHEREAS, a state of emergency presently exists such that if the Township Board, Planning Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals meetings were held in person, the result would be a risk to the personal health and safety of members of the public; and

WHEREAS, in the State of Michigan, especially in urbanized areas, including Macomb County, a significant increase in COVID-19 cases has recently occurred; and

WHEREAS, a significant increase in hospitalizations has occurred throughout the State, especially in urbanized areas, and more particularly, in Macomb County and hospitals within Clinton Township; and

WHEREAS, presently under the Open Meetings Act, up to 25 persons could be physically present at a meeting subject to the Open Meetings Act on and after April 1, 2021;

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to my authority as Supervisor of the Charter Township of Clinton and upon the recommendation of our Emergency Coordinator, pursuant to Sec. 10 of the Emergency Management Act, I am declaring, effective the date written above, a State of Emergency and requesting that the Township Board consider confirming a state of emergency and providing for its extension until the first meeting of the Township Board in June which is June 7, 2021 as a result of the recent, substantial increase in COVID-19 cases within the State, County and the Charter Township of Clinton. I am finding, as recommended by our Emergency Coordinator and based on available information, that circumstances presently exist, such that if held in person, meetings of the Township Board, Planning Commission and Zoning Board of Appeals would result in a substantial risk to the personal health and safety of members of the public in attendance. Response and recovery aspects of the emergency plan have been activated and local resources are being utilized to the fullest extent practicable to respond to this situation. Issued April 6, 2021.



Robert J. Cannon, Supervisor
Charter Township of Clinton
Macomb County, Michigan