PROCLAMATION OF CIVIL EMERGENCY ORDER NUMBER 1 (CURFEW) BY DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

WHEREAS, on May 30, 2020 at 4:45 p.m., the Director of Emergency Services proclaimed the existence of a local emergency when the City of Beverly Hills was potentially subject to violent protests concerning the tragic death of George Floyd; and

WHEREAS, the proclamation of a “local emergency” empowers the Director of Emergency Services to make and issue rules and regulations on matters reasonably related to the protection of life and property as affected by such local emergency pursuant to Section 8634 of the Government Code; and

WHEREAS, under conditions of the disaster, it is deemed necessary in the interest of public safety to restrict the use of certain public areas of the City; and

WHEREAS, life and property is deemed to be in peril and speed is of the essence.

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police determined that the safety of the public, and public and private property, required the imposition of the curfew; and

WHEREAS, it is imminently necessary to use extraordinary measures to protect the public peace, safety, and welfare;

Now therefore:

1. A curfew is hereby imposed in the City of Beverly Hills.

2. No persons shall be upon the public streets, avenues, alleys, parks, ways, or any other public place or upon unimproved private real property in the City of Beverly Hills between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 a.m.

3. The law enforcement personnel of this City along with other law enforcement authorities cooperating with the City are hereby authorized and charged to the extent provided by law with the responsibility of enforcing this curfew, and are further authorized to arrest any such person as does not obey this curfew after due notice, oral or written, has been given to said person.

4. A violation of the curfew shall be punishable as a misdemeanor pursuant to Title 1, Chapter 3, Article 1 of the Beverly Hills Municipal Code.
5. Law enforcement personnel, firefighting personnel, emergency health care providers, civilians engaged in police or emergency work, and representatives of the media are exempt from this Civil Emergency Order No. 1.

6. This regulation shall remain in effect until such time as it is terminated by the Director of Emergency Services or the City Council of the City of Beverly Hills.

SIGNED AND SUBSCRIBED at 4:45 p.m. this 30th day of May, 2020

By: [Signature]

Director of Emergency Services
City of Beverly Hills