



Town of Wrightsville Beach

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PRESS RELEASE: For Immediate Release

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DATE: 8/3/2020

Town of Wrightsville Beach Declares State of Emergency and Voluntary Evacuation of Non- residents Prior to the Pending Landfall of Hurricane Isaias

Mayor F. Darryl Mills has declared a State of Emergency effective August 3, 2020 at 12:00 pm. In addition, a voluntary evacuation for all non-residents has been issued. We encourage all residents and visitors to be proactive and prepare for any potential impacts related to Hurricane Isaias. Please secure all trash cans, yard furniture, yard debris and other loose items prior to landfall. The Wrightsville Beach Parking Office and Administrative offices will be closed at 3:00 pm today. Sanitation service will resume as normal on Tuesday but may be somewhat delayed. The Town is supplying sand for sand bags while supplies last. The sand pile is located on Seawater Lane in front of the old Fire Station. If there are general Hurricane related questions after hours, someone may be reached at (910)524-0092.

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PROCLAMATION

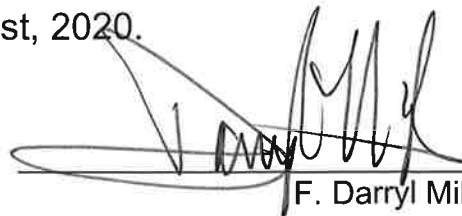
STATE OF EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Wrightsville Beach, North Carolina, has duly adopted ordinances (Chapter 93 of the Town's Code of Ordinances) pursuant to the provisions of N.C.G.S. 166A-19.22 to determine and proclaim the existence of a State of Emergency and to impose certain prohibitions and restrictions appropriate to meet the emergency.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED by the Mayor of the Town of Wrightsville Beach, North Carolina, that:

1. To protect public health and safety, a State of Emergency exists within the Town of Wrightsville Beach due to the current track and anticipated effects of Hurricane Isaias; and
2. This Proclamation of a State of Emergency shall be effective at 12:00 p.m. on August 3, 2020 and shall remain in effect until rescinded by the Mayor, Mayor Pro Tem or a quorum of the Board of Aldermen.
3. A voluntary evacuation order for non-residents will be in effect beginning at 12:00 p.m. on August 3, 2020

Proclaimed this 3rd day of August, 2020.


F. Darryl Mills, MAYOR

ATTEST


Sylvia J. Holleman, Town Clerk

