## A PROCLAMATION



## STATE OF EMERGENCY IN WAUKESHA COUNTY REGARDING COVID-19 EXECUTIVE ORDER #2 (CORRECTED) – SUSPENSION OF CERTAIN TRANSIT ROUTE TRIPS

**WHEREAS** in December 2019, a novel strain of the coronavirus now named Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) was detected and has spread throughout many countries, including the United States; and

**WHEREAS** the World Health Organization has declared a Public Health Emergency of International Concern; and the United States Department of Health and Human Services has declared a Public Health Emergency; and

**WHEREAS** on March 12, 2020, the State of Wisconsin has declared the existence of a public health emergency, as defined in Section 323.02(16), Wisconsin Statutes; and

**WHEREAS** on March 13, 2020, the Waukesha County Executive, by proclamation pursuant to authority under Sections 323.11 and 323.14(4)(b), Wisconsin Statutes, declared a state of emergency in Waukesha County in light of the public health threat posed by COVID-19, and said proclamation has been ratified and extended by the Waukesha County Board by Enrolled Resolution 174-3 adopted March 24, 2020; and

**WHEREAS** on March 24, 2020, the Secretary-designee of the Wisconsin Department of Health Services issued Emergency Order #12 ("Safer at Home Order") which, among other things, prohibits all forms of travel except for Essential Travel until 8:00 a.m. on Friday, April 24, 2020; and

**WHEREAS** it is necessary and expedient for the health, safety, protection, and welfare of persons within Waukesha County, that certain temporary changes be made to Waukesha County's transit routes in order to protect transit employees and riders and to prevent, limit and contain the potential community spread of COVID-19.

**NOW, THEREFORE, I, PAUL FARROW,** County Executive of Waukesha County, by the authority vested in me pursuant to Sections 323.11 and 323.14(4)(b), Wisconsin Statutes, hereby **ORDER** that, effective April 6, 2020, Route 901 Trip E4, E7, E9, W2, W6, and W10 and Route 905 Trip OE6 are suspended. All other Route 901 and Route 905 trips shall continue to operate as scheduled. Route 904 and Route 906 are unaffected by this Order.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that the above trips shall remain suspended until the Safer at Home Order (or any superseding order) expires or until this Order is modified by further order or an action of the Waukesha County Board.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I, Paul Farrow, Waukesha County Executive, hereby sign this declaration and affix the seal of Waukesha County on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April in the year two thousand and twenty.

PAUL FARROW County Executive