

RESOLUTION NUMBER 21-49

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BRADENTON, FLORIDA, DECLARING THAT THE THREAT OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY IS IMMINENT AND THAT THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PRACTICES AND PROVISIONS OF THE CITY OF BRADENTON SHALL BE INSTITUTED; PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, there is currently pending landfall of a tropical cyclone known as Tropical Storm Elsa; and

WHEREAS, Governor DeSantis has declared a state of emergency for the state, with Tropical Storm Elsa expected to pose a threat to the state of Florida.

WHEREAS, the City of Bradenton is within the predicted impact zone.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF BRADENTON, FLORIDA:

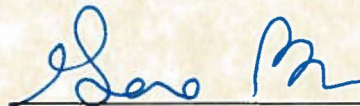
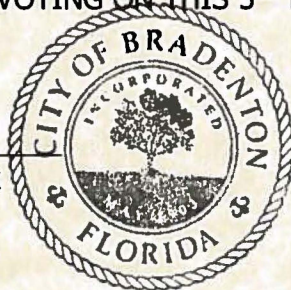
1. The emergency operating guidelines set forth within the Emergency Management Plan of the City of Bradenton are hereby declared to be in effect until the threat and effect of such emergency has passed.
2. The nature of the state of emergency is the possible landfall of Tropical Storm Elsa which, if direct or indirect landfall occurs, may have a significant impact to the City of Bradenton and the adjacent communities.
3. The City of Bradenton's Mayor, Vice Mayor, Public Works Director, Fire Chief, Police Chief, and any other City officials, including all Public Safety officials, are authorized to take whatever steps are necessary to carry out the emergency provisions of the City of Bradenton, County of Manatee, State of Florida. This includes the payment of salaried employees who are required to work in excess of 40 hours in a work week during a state of emergency when a local declaration is established by the Mayor, Vice Mayor or, in their absence, any other elected official in accordance with Resolution 05-65.
4. The Mayor, Vice Mayor or, in their absence, any elected official of the City of Bradenton is directed to sign this resolution.
5. This Resolution shall take effect immediately.

PASSED AND DULY ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL FOR THE CITY OF BRADENTON, FLORIDA, WITH A QUORUM PRESENT AND VOTING ON THIS 5TH DAY OF JULY, 2021.

ATTEST:



Tamara Melton, Deputy City Clerk



Gene Brown, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



Scott E. Rudacille, City Attorney