



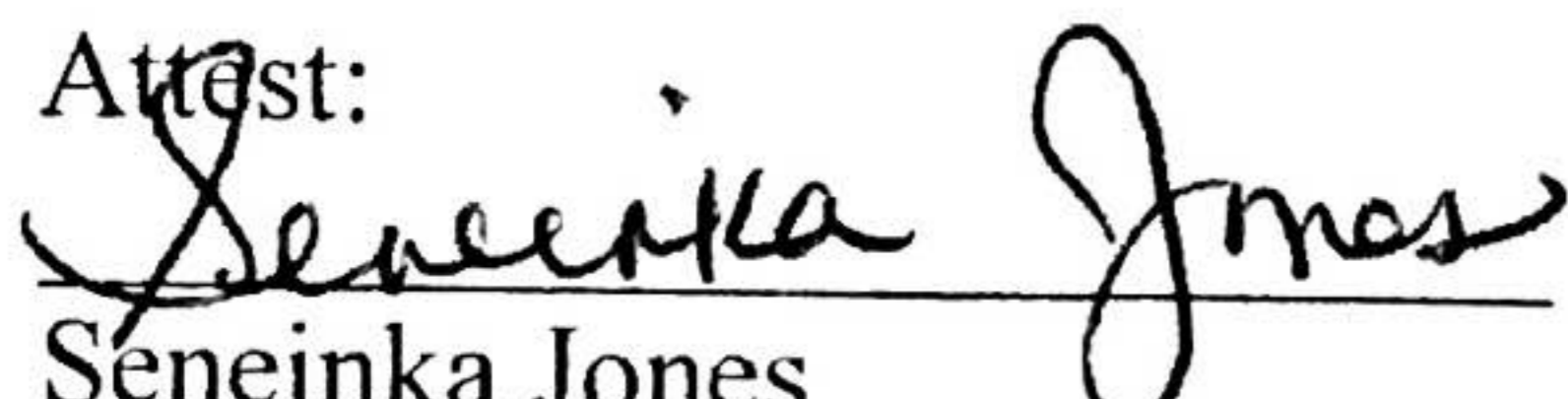
to revoke special events permits and alter or amend services rendered by town government for a temporary period;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED by the Mayor and Town Council of the Municipality of Varnville, in Council assembled, that:

1. The Town of Varnville temporarily suspends the normal operating procedures of Town Council meetings and hereby allows for the Mayor and Councilmembers to remotely participate in voting and operational procedures by telephone or other means of electronic communication provided that the provisions of the South Carolina Freedom of Information Act are complied with.
2. All deadlines imposed by Town Ordinance, applicable to the municipality or applicant, shall be suspended, during this temporary period.
3. The Town Mayor and Police Chief are authorized to develop and enact a plan in order to ensure continuity in the delivery of government services in light of the COVID-19 outbreak.
4. The Town Mayor is authorized to cancel and revoke any special events permits issued prior to the date of this ordinance for events taking place, alter or amend services rendered by town government for a temporary period until May 1st, 2020.
5. This emergency ordinance shall be terminated by the issuance of another ordinance or shall automatically expire on the 61<sup>st</sup> day after enactment of this ordinance, whichever date is earlier.

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED THIS 20 DAY OF March, 2020.

  
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Nathaniel A. Shaffer, Mayor  
Town of Varnville

Attest:  
  
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Seneinka Jones  
Clerk of Council

Introduced: 3/20/, 2020

Final Reading: 3/20/, 2020