

City of Edgewood Florida
Office of the Mayor

Proclamation

- WHEREAS,** a Florida municipality pursuant to F.S. 870.042 may designate by duly adopted ordinance a city official who shall be empowered to declare that a state of emergency exists within the boundaries of the municipality and to exercise the emergency powers conferred in F.S. 870-041 - 870-047; and
- WHEREAS,** F.S. 252.38 (3) (a) provides authority for a political subdivision to declare a state of local emergency; and
- WHEREAS,** the Honorable Ron DeSantis, Governor of the State of Florida, has issued Executive Order 24-215 on October 6, 2024, declaring a state of emergency for several counties in Florida's due to the severity of Hurricane Milton; and
- WHEREAS,** the City of Edgewood has promulgated an Emergency Response Plan setting forth the provisions by which the elected officials and employees shall respond to a natural disaster;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, JOHN DOWLESS, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Edgewood, Florida, do hereby proclaim a state of emergency exists in the City of Edgewood) Florida.

SECTION 1. The City Clerk shall give prompt notice to all newspapers, television or other news media as is reasonable to contact.

SECTION 2. The City Clerk shall file a copy of this proclamation with the Chief of Police.

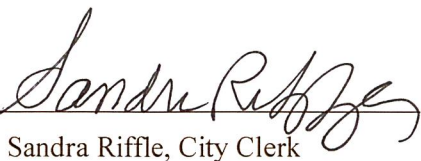
SECTION 3. Specific provisions of F.S. 252.38 (3) (a), F.S. 870-045, and Edgewood City Code Section 22-1, may be subsequently established either individually or in whole pursuant to this proclamation and by executive order of the Mayor to maintain the public health and safety.

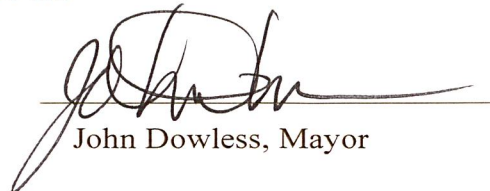
SECTION 4. The City of Edgewood Emergency Management Plan is hereby activated.

SECTION 5. This proclamation shall terminate upon order of the Mayor, by vote of the City Council, upon cancellation of Executive Order 24-215, or within 7 days of issuance, whichever occurs first.

Issued this 8th day of October, 2024, at 4:00PM.

Attest:


Sandra Riffle, City Clerk


John Dowless, Mayor