

**DECLARATION OF A LOCAL STATE OF EMERGENCY
OF THE TOWN OF YANKEETOWN, FLORIDA**

TROPICAL STORM NINE

WHEREAS, the Town of Yankeetown is threatened by the imminent impact of Tropical Cyclone Nine, which poses a significant threat to the safety and welfare of the residents and property within the town; and

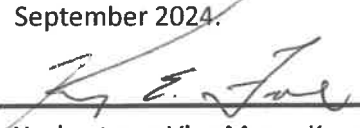
WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Florida has issued Executive Order Number 24-208, declaring a state of emergency for the potential impact of Tropical Cyclone Nine, the scope of which includes Levy County, Florida; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Yankeetown must take timely and necessary actions to protect the lives and property of its residents, including the mobilization of emergency response resources and the implementation of emergency protective measures;


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Town Council of Yankeetown, Florida:

1. Pursuant to the powers authorized under Fla. Stat. Chapter 252, a state of emergency is hereby declared for the Town of Yankeetown due to the imminent threat posed by Tropical Cyclone Nine.
2. The Town Council authorizes the exercise of all emergency powers as set forth in Executive Order 24-208, Fla. Stat. Chapter 252, the Town's Code of Ordinances, and the Town's Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan.
3. The Town Council urges all residents to take necessary precautions to ensure their safety, including following evacuation orders and other directives issued by state and local authorities.
4. The Town Council requests assistance from state and federal agencies as needed to effectively respond to and recover from the impact of Tropical Cyclone Nine.
5. This declaration shall take effect immediately upon its adoption.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Town Council of Yankeetown, Florida, this 24th day of
September 2024.



Yankeetown Vice Mayor Kerry Fuller



William Ary Town Manager

Town Attorney Norm Fugate