

*Village*

*Of*

*Nyack*

*Incorporated February 27, 1883*

June 7, 2022

**DECLARATION OF A LOCAL STATE OF EMERGENCY  
FOR THE VILLAGE OF NYACK**

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**Whereas**, the village of Nyack Water Department currently provides the water supplied to Nyack residents (and other nearby property owners); and

**Whereas**, the Village of Nyack Water Department is primarily dependent upon two critical transmission water mains which deliver water from their treatment plant to the distribution system proper; and

**Whereas**, there have been two recent water main breaks, one affecting each of these mains individually; and

**Whereas**, these referenced water main breaks had significant impact to the Village's ability to supply water, and created vulnerability with regards to firefighting water supply; and

**Whereas**, one damaged water transmission main has been repaired, but the other remains out of service, leaving the Village reliant upon one transmission main, that, while having been repaired, is vulnerable to failure as a result of its age and condition assessed during the repair; and

**Whereas**, it is urgent that replacement of both of these mains be performed as soon as possible so as to ensure that the water supply can continue uninterrupted and thus preserve and protect the

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*Mayor  
Don Hammond*

*Trustees  
Louise Parker  
Marie Lorenzini  
Donna Lightfoot-  
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*Village Administrator  
Andrew Stewart  
Village Clerk  
Jennifer Hetling  
Village Attorney  
Walter R. Sevastian*


health, safety and welfare of Village residents and other Nyack Water Department customers;  
and

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**THEREFORE I HEREBY DECLARE** that, pursuant to Section 24 of the New York State Executive Law, a State of Emergency in and for the Village of Nyack is in effect with respect to the condition of the Village of Nyack's water transmission mains, and shall remain in effect for 30 days, through July 7, 2022, and may be extended at that time.

Dated: June 7, 2022

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Don Hammond". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

Don Hammond, Mayor

Village of Nyack