## CITY OF ROBBINSDALE, MINNESOTA MAYORAL DECLARATION NO. 2020-3

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Robbinsdale, Minnesota ("Mayor") finds that the following factual situation exists in the City of Robbinsdale, Minnesota ("City"):

- 1. The cities of Minneapolis and St. Paul, Minnesota have experienced widespread civil unrest since at least May 26, 2020 and in particular activities immediately south and east of Robbinsdale.
- 2. Said civil unrest has included violent and destructive acts that have placed public safety at risk and resulted in near catastrophic property damage.
- 3. Reports and observations of local law enforcement personnel and emergency first responders establish that as of May 28, 2020, incidents of civil unrest have been observed within the City of Robbinsdale.
- 4. On June 1, 2020, Governor Walz declared a curfew in place from 10 p.m. to 4 a.m. in Minneapolis and St Paul for Monday and Tuesday nights and all adjacent communities have also adopted curfews for the same time periods.

WHEREAS, the Mayor finds that the factual situation is sudden, unforeseen, and could not have been reasonably anticipated as it currently exists;

WHEREAS, the Mayor finds that the factual situation threatens the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of and property within the City of Robbinsdale;

WHEREAS, the Mayor finds that conditions within the City of Robbinsdale have the potential to worsen quickly and without notice due to the factual situation;

WHEREAS, the Mayor finds that traditional governmental processes, specifically 3-day notice required for a special City Council meeting, are unable to appropriately protect the safety and property of the general public;

THEREFORE, pursuant to Minnesota Statutes Section 12.29, the Mayor of Robbinsdale proclaims and declares a local emergency effective as of 3:30 p.m., June 1, 2020. Under state law, this declaration shall last no longer than three days unless extended by and through the consent of the Robbinsdale City Council.

This declaration immediately invokes the establishment of a City-wide curfew for all persons within the City of Robbinsdale during the following times:

- a. From 10:00 p.m. on Monday June 1, 2020 to 4:00 a.m. on Tuesday June 2, 2020 and
- b. From 10:00 p.m. on Tuesday June 2, 2020 to 4:00 a.m. on Wednesday June 3, 2020.

The curfew does not extend to people traveling to or from work, emergency services, law enforcement, people seeking emergency medical care or fleeing danger, the homeless and the news media.

The declaration shall be given prompt and general publicity.

Dated: June 1, 2020

City of Robbinsdale, Minnesota