## Resolution 10-20

## Provide County Administration Emergency Administrative Flexibility for COVID-19

WHEREAS, the United States is experiencing an expanding COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, Wisconsin has had confirmed cases of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, Price County desires to be as strategic as possible to ensure the health and safety of Price County staff, residents and those traveling throughout Price County; and

WHEREAS, Price County desires to maintain the highest level of services related to the general public, such as Public Safety, Health and Human Services, Emergency Management and those departments directly related to the general welfare of all residents; and

WHEREAS, Price County desires flexibility to manage operations throughout this national pandemic; and

WHEREAS, Price County is providing administrative flexibility to allow the County Administrator, in consultation with Public Health and the County Board Chair, the ability to, but not limited to: Close Price County government buildings as necessary, implement strategic staffing changes to ensure enough healthy staff are in place to carry out necessary and critical services and maintain employee benefit status regardless of hours worked; and

WHEREAS, the County Administrator and County Board Chair shall, within reasonable time, but no later than 24 hours after implementing necessary decisions, inform the Price County Board of Supervisors of the situation at hand by email and/or phone.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Price County Board of Supervisors does hereby acknowledge, accept and support the County Administrator and County Board Chair to strategically implement necessary plans to ensure the safety and health of the Price County staff, residents and those traveling throughout the county; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution will remain in effect until repealed by the Price County Board of Supervisors.

Submitted by the Price County Administrati	on Committee.
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Robert Köpisch	Jordan Spacek
Reviewed by County Administrator:	Choles Trimner
Adopted by the Price County Board of Sup	ervisors this 17 <sup>th</sup> day of March 2020.
Robert D. Kopisch, County Board Chair	Jean Gottwald, County Clerk
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BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this resolution will remain in effect for one hundred (100) days, until repealed unless extended by the Price County Board of Supervisors.

Dennis Wartgow, Chair	Jeff Hallstrand
Robert Kopisch	Jordan Spacek
Reviewed by County Administrator:	Nicholas Trimner
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