RESOLUTION DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY CONCERNING THE TOWN OF YANCEYVILLE WATER SYSTEM INFRASTRUCTURE AND DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY STAGE III WATER USE RESTRICTIONS

WHEREAS, it is the duty and obligation of the Town Council of the Town of Yanceyville to provide for the public safety, health, and welfare of the citizens and residents within the Town;

WHEREAS, on or about July 6, 2025, the Town of Yanceyville was impacted by severe weather, including but not limited to, Tropical Depression Chantal and multiple consecutive days of severe weather, which resulted in flooding and wind damage;

WHEREAS, as a result of the aforementioned weather, significant damage and disruption was experienced by the water system infrastructure of the Town of Yanceyville, resulting in physical damage and disruption of system operations;

WHEREAS, specific measures and repairs are necessary to ensure the health, protection, and safety of Town of Yanceyville residents, citizens, and visitors, and to coordinate the response among federal, state, and legal entities, officials, and appropriate vendors;

WHEREAS, N. C. General Statute 166A-19.31 authorizes the Town of Yanceyville to declare a state of emergency and exercise the powers and duties to direct and aide in the response to, recovery from, and mitigation against emergencies;

WHEREAS, the Town of Yanceyville Water Shortage Response Ordinance authorizes the Town of Yanceyville to impose restrictions when the Town water supply is limited due to mechanical problems or failure; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Yanceyville is duly concerned about the health, welfare, and safety of its citizens, residents, and visitors.

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

Section 1. That a state of emergency, as defined by law, exists in the Town of Yanceyville as to the current condition, existence, and state of repair of the Town of Yanceyville water system infrastructure.

Section 2. That a state of emergency, as defined by the Yanceyville Water Shortage Response Ordinance, exists in the Town of Yanceyville as to the current condition, existence, and state of repair of the Town of Yanceyville water system infrastructure, and emergency water conservation restrictions are declared necessary and shall be imposed as directed hereafter.

Section 3. That the Town Manager and Mayor take all and any measures necessary for the repair and reestablishment of the Town of Yanceyville water system infrastructure.

Section 4. That the Town Manager and Director of Public Works immediately institute and enforce Emergency Stage III Restrictions as enumerated in the Yanceyville Water Shortage Response Ordinance (pages 9-10) dated September 4, 2007.

Section 5. That this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

Upon motion, duly seconded, and unanimously resolved, this the 5th day of August, 2025.

TOWN OF YANCEYVILLE

Alvin W. Foster, Mayor

Attested:

Kamara Barnett

Kamara G. Barnett, Town Clerk

(TOWN SEAL)

