## EXTENSION NO. 3 EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2024-02 HURRICANE HELENE

WHEREAS, on September 23, 2024, Governor Ron DeSantis issued Executive Order No. 24-208 declaring a state of emergency for several counties in the State of Florida, including Sarasota County in anticipation of the arrival of Hurricane Helene; and

**WHEREAS**, on September 24, 2024, the Acting City Manager of the City of Venice enacted Executive Order No. 2024-02 declaring a Local State of Emergency and activating the City of Venice Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan to take certain measures in the interest of the public's health, safety, and welfare from the effects of Hurricane Helene; and

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to Section 252.38, Florida Statutes, the limitation of an emergency declaration is seven (7) days, which may be extended in seven (7) day increments as necessary; and

**WHEREAS**, following the impacts of Hurricane Helene the recovery period is expected to continue for an undefined period of time and conditions still exist requiring the extension of the initial Declaration.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Edward Lavallee, City Manager of the City of Venice, in accordance with the provisions of the State of Florida Office of the Governor Executive Order No. 24-208, Section 252.38, Florida Statutes, and Venice Executive Order No. 2024-02, hereby promulgate the following extension to the initial Declaration:

- 1. A Local State of Emergency continues to exist within the City of Venice due to Hurricane Helene.
- 2. The initial Declaration of Local State of Emergency signed on September 24, 2024, is hereby extended for a period of seven (7) days.
- 3. As a result of this extension, the Declaration of Local State of Emergency extends continuously from Tuesday, September 24, 2024, through Tuesday, October 22, 2024, inclusive.

**DONE AND ORDERED** this <u>15th day of October 2024</u>, at Venice, Florida.

Edward F. Lavallee, City Manager

City of Venice, Florida

ATTEST:

Kelly Michaels, MMC

City Clerk

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