

**RESOLUTION NO. 2024-27**

**A RESOLUTION DECLARING A STATE OF EMERGENCY DUE TO SEWER  
MAINLINE FAILURE**

**WHEREAS**, a sewer mainline serving the downtown commercial district failed during a scheduled maintenance project; and

**WHEREAS**, this unforeseen condition caused interruption of services, and presented a threat to public health and safety; and

**WHEREAS**, this emergency situation required immediate action that was beyond the capabilities of City staff and equipment; and

**WHEREAS**, the Public Works Department required additional specialized resources to remedy the situation; and

**WHEREAS**, Rockaway Beach Code Chapter 30.11 designates the City Council of the City of Rockaway Beach as the Local Contract Review Board; and

**WHEREAS**, the Rockaway Beach Code Chapter 30 provides that the City Council delegates contracting power to the City Manager for items up to \$75,000.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT**

**Section 1.** The City of Rockaway Beach City Council declares that a state of emergency existed in the City on April 5-9, 2024 due to an unforeseen sewer mainline failure, causing interruption of service and a threat to public health and safety.

**Section 2.** The City of Rockaway Beach City Council hereby ratifies the emergency procurement of services for repairs as approved by the City Manager.

**Section 3.** This Resolution shall be effective immediately upon adoption.

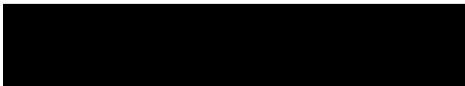
**APPROVED AND ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL THE 10TH DAY OF APRIL  
2024.**

APPROVED



Charles McNeilly, Mayor

ATTEST



Melissa Thompson, City Recorder