

**PROCLAMATION
DECLARING A
STATE OF EMERGENCY
IN THE TOWN OF WILSON'S MILLS**

WHEREAS, information from the National Weather Service and other sources indicate that a winter storm is approaching North Carolina and is likely to cause damage within the immediate future; and

WHEREAS, said storm is likely to be preceded, accompanied and followed by snow, sleet, and freezing rain of such severity as to be capable of causing unsafe road conditions and power outages; and further, that such conditions may exist in Wilson's Mills for several days; and

WHEREAS, the weather conditions associated with the storm are such as to constitute an imminent threat of dangerous road conditions and power outages, injury or loss of life or property.

NOW, THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority contained in Article 1 of Chapter 166A of the North Carolina General Statutes and Chapter 10, Article II, Section 10-20, of the Wilson's Mills Town Code of Ordinances, I Fleta A Byrd, Mayor of the Town of Wilson's Mills, do hereby proclaim that a State of emergency exists within the Town of Wilson's Mills.

Section 1. A State of Emergency is hereby declared within the Town of Wilson's Mills.

Section 2. The emergency area covered by this State of Emergency shall be all areas within the jurisdiction of Wilson's Mills.

Section 3. The Emergency Management Plan adopted by Johnston County, and all applicable mutual assistance contracts and agreements are in effect and shall remain in effect until this proclamation expires or is rescinded.

Section 4. I hereby order all Wilson's Mills law personnel to cooperate in the implementation of the provisions of the Johnston County Emergency Management Plan and all applicable mutual assistance contracts and agreements, and to furnish assistance thereunder.

Section 5. I hereby order this declaration: (a) to be made available to the news media and other organizations calculated to bring its contents to the attention of the general public; (b) to be filed with Town Clerk to the Wilson's Mills Town Council; and (c) to be distributed to others as necessary to ensure proper implementation of this declaration.

Section 6. This declaration shall take effect on January 23rd 2026 at 5:00pm, and shall remain in effect until modified or rescinded.

Duly proclaimed this 23rd day of January 2026



Fleta A. Byrd, Mayor

Emily Matthews, CMC, Town Clerk