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State of Emergency extended to July

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(Kahnawake – 16, Ohiarí:ha/June 2020) The Mohawk Council of Kahnawà:ke wishes to advise the community that the current State of Emergency was formally extended for an additional 30-day period at yesterday's duly-convened Council meeting. The Mohawk Council Resolution, which was passed by consensus, includes the extension of the Mandate for the COVID-19 Task Force.

The original Declaration of State of Emergency was ratified on April 21, 2020. By law, The State of Emergency must be renewed on a monthly basis. This current extension expires on July 21, 2020.

The Declaration of State of Emergency was taken to ensure the protection of Kahnawà:ke's jurisdiction during the COVID-19 pandemic. It allows for changes to various public safety laws of required to ensure the next phases of the pandemic are addressed.

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