

# State of North Carolina

## **ROY COOPER**

**GOVERNOR** 

September 8, 2019

#### **EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 106**

### RESCISSION OF MANDATORY EVACUATION ORDER FOR ALL NORTH CAROLINA ISLANDS

WHEREAS, Hurricane Dorian ("Hurricane") made landfall over Cape Hatteras, North Carolina on September 6, 2019; and

WHEREAS, impacts from the Hurricane constitute a State of Emergency, as defined in N.C. Gen. Stat. § 166A-19.3(19); and

**WHEREAS**, the undersigned issued Executive Order No. 101 on August 31, 2019, declaring a State of Emergency; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order No. 101 further invokes the North Carolina Emergency Management Act which authorizes the undersigned to exercise the powers and duties set forth therein to direct and aid in the response to, recovery from, and mitigation against emergencies; and

**WHEREAS**, the President of the United States issued an emergency declaration for the State of North Carolina, FEMA-3423-EM, on September 3, 2019, that provides, in part, for Public Assistance – Category B, including direct Federal Assistance to the State; and

WHEREAS, the undersigned issued Executive Order No. 104 ("Executive Order 104"), ordering a mandatory evacuation of all North Carolina islands; and

WHEREAS, after making the determination that conditions permitted the return of residents and visitors to a few North Carolina islands, certain county, municipal, and other local governments with jurisdiction lifted the applicable, local mandatory evacuation orders that were issued prior to the Hurricane's landfall; and

**WHEREAS**, the state-ordered evacuation issued pursuant to Executive Order 104 is no longer necessary to ensure the safety of residents and visitors on the North Carolina islands.

**NOW, THEREFORE,** by the authority vested in me as Governor by the Constitution and the laws of the State of North Carolina, **IT IS ORDERED**:

#### Section 1.

Executive Order 104 is hereby rescinded.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I have hereunto signed my name and affixed the Great Seal of the State of North Carolina at the Capitol in the City of Raleigh, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of September in the year of our Lord two thousand and nineteen.

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ATTEST:

Elaine F. Marshall Secretary of State

Roy Coop Governor