



*Town of Amherst*  
*Office of the Supervisor*

**EXTENSION OF LOCAL DECLARATION OF  
"A STATE OF EMERGENCY"**

"A State of Emergency" is herewith declared in the Town of Amherst, County of Erie, in the State of New York, on 2/17/22 through 18:00hrs on 2/20/22 is now extended through 18:00hrs on 2/24/22 or until rescinded.

A State of Emergency has been declared due to the heavy rainfall and rapid snowmelt, that began on 2/16/22, which has overwhelmed our storm and sanitary sewer systems causing sewer overflows in numerous locations of the Town. In addition, this event has caused a serious collapse of a main sewage transmission line to the wastewater treatment plant. These high water levels and their impacts are expected to continue due to rising temperatures forecasted over the next 5 days.

As the Supervisor of the Town of Amherst, I, Brian J. Kulpa, have exercised the authority given to me in sections 24 and 25 in Article 2B of the New York State Executive Law to preserve public safety and I hereby render all required and available assistance vital to the security, well-being and health of the citizens of the Town.

I hereby direct all departments to take whatever steps necessary to protect life and property, public infrastructure and other such emergency assistance as deemed necessary.

Brian J. Kulpa, Town Supervisor

2/20/22

Date