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- (1) Constable's Duties. The Constable, after his or her election and before entering upon his or her duties, shall, in lieu of an official bond, be covered by a dishonesty or other appropriate insurance policy obtained by the Village in an amount of at least \$250,000.00. The Constable shall be governed and have the duties and powers prescribed for constables in villages under the Wisconsin Statutes. (Amended by Ord. 2017-02 on 10-09-17).
- (2) Enforce Ordinances. The Constable shall familiarize himself with the Ordinances of the Village and attend to the enforcement thereof by all lawful means.
- (3) Authorization to Engage Police Officers. For police protection of the Village and to assist the Constable, the Village Board of Trustees may, in its discretion, engage appropriate police agencies or officers for police service on such terms and conditions as they may agree upon.

4.02 EMERGENCY GOVERNMENT.

- (1) Declaration of Policy. To prepare the Village of North Bay to cope with emergencies resulting from enemy action and natural or man-made disaster, it is declared to be necessary to establish an organization for emergency government for the village by conferring upon the president of the Village of North Bay and others specified duties and powers, consistent, however, with Chapter 166 of the Wisconsin Statutes.
- (2) Definitions.
 - (a) Emergency Government. "Emergency Government" includes "civil defense" and means all measures undertaken by or on behalf of the Village:

To prepare for and minimize the effect of enemy action and natural or man-made disaster upon the civilian population.

To effectuate emergency repairs to, or the emergency restoration of, vital public utilities and facilities destroyed or damaged by such action or disaster.

- (b) Civil Defense. "Civil Defense" means all measures undertaken by or on behalf of the State, the County and municipalities to prepare for and minimize the effects of enemy action upon the civilian population.
- (3) Emergency Government Committee.
 - (a) How Constituted. The Village Board shall be the Emergency Government Committee, whose Chairman shall be the President of the Village Board.
 - (b) Duties. The Emergency Government Committee shall be an advisory and planning group and shall advise the Coordinator of Emergency Government Services on all emergency government matters.
- (4) Coordinator of Emergency Government Services.
 - (a) Coordinator. There is hereby created the office of Coordinator of Emergency Government Services.
 - (b) Appointment. The Coordinator shall be appointed by the Village president and confirmed by the Village Board.
 - (c) Term. The term of office of the Coordinator shall be until a successor is appointed and qualified.
 - (d) Powers and Duties. The Coordinator, subject to the control and direction of the Village Board, shall:
 - Develop and promulgate emergency government plans for the Village consistent with State and County plans;
 - Direct the emergency government program for the Village as required by the Village Board;
- (5) Utilization of Existing Services and Facilities.
 - (a) Policy. In preparing and executing the Emergency Government program, the services, equipment, supplies and facilities of the existing departments and agencies are directed to cooperate, and extend such services and facilities as are required of them.
 - (b) Responsibility. In order to assure that in an emergency all the facilities of the existing Village government are expanded to the fullest to meet such emergency, department and agency heads assigned to specific responsibilities under the Village Emergency Operations Plan will fulfill emergency and non-emergency duties as prescribed in the Plan.
- (6) Penalties. Whoever intentionally fails to comply with the directives of emergency government authorities promulgated under this Ordinance during a state of emergency or during any training program or exercise may be subject to a penalty as provided in Section 19.04 of this Code.