FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE TO THE RESIDENTS OF CAMPTON, NH

TOWN OFFICES CLOSED TO THE PUBLIC BEGINNING WEDNESDAY, MARCH 18, 2020 (UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE)

We continue to actively monitor the COVID-19 situation, which is rapidly evolving. The Town is committed to the continued health and optimal safety of our residents as well as our employees, and we intend to do our part to “flatten the curve” of the COVID-19 pandemic. To that end, we have decided that effective Wednesday, March 18, 2020, the Town Offices will be closed to the public until further notice. The Board of Selectmen will continuously monitor developments in the COPID 19 situation and keep the public informed of decisions made with regards to opening of town offices to the public.

However, we will still be working to serve the residents of Campton. We intend to do our best to operate as a “VIRTUAL TOWN HALL.” In today’s world, most of the transactions for our residents can be done online or arranged via phone or email. Resident questions can and will be answered via phone or email. And as a last resort, you may schedule an appointment in the Town Office with the appropriate Town personnel to complete your transaction. Our Town employees will be working both remotely and on-site (in limited numbers as necessary)—but we will continue to be at your service.

FIRE AND POLICE: Of course, our incredible Police and Fire Departments will continue to serve the residents of our Town on a “business as usual” basis; however, we ask that you please keep all non-emergency calls to a minimum so that they may devote their time to those residents in need of emergency services. If you have non-emergency COVID-19 related questions, please call 2-1-1 (a state hotline manned 24/7 specifically for such questions).

PUBLIC MEETINGS: With the exception of the Town Selectmen’s meeting on Monday March 23rd at 5:30pm which will be held via conference call, all Town board and committee meetings in March will be cancelled and more information will be forthcoming about meetings in April and beyond.

Finally, rest assured that we will be monitoring all local developments related to COVID-19, and as your Town officials, we are committed to timely and ongoing communication about any and all changes to our operating status as well as any recommendations to the public from public health and other government officials.

Please see the following information regarding how we intend to operate our VIRTUAL TOWN HALL.

12 Gearty Way Campton, NH 03223
Tel. 603-726-3223 Fax 603-726-4000
www.camptonnh.org
WEBSITE: The Town website address is www.camptonnh.org, and we encourage you to visit the website frequently for new information and updates. Please join our mailing list to receive up-to-date announcements via email.

TOWN OFFICES MAILING ADDRESSES: Should you need mail anything to Town Office, the addresses are:

- Town Clerk/Tax Collector: 10 Gearty Way, Campton NH 03223
- Board of Selectmen/Police Department: 12 Gearty Way, Campton NH 03223

TOWN OFFICES GENERAL TELEPHONE NUMBER: (603) 726-3223 (See contacts below for specific extensions).

TRANSACTIONS & QUESTIONS: The following is a list of the transactions and questions most often performed/asked for our residents in the Town Offices, and directions as to how each may be addressed until the COVID-19 crisis passes and we can safely re-open our doors:

- Vehicle Renewals, Dog Licenses, Vital Record Requests and Property Taxes: Please refer to the on-line services already in place for your Town Clerk/Tax Collector’s Office daily needs. Most all transactions can be done on-line! The website is: www.camptonnh.org Click on the Town Clerk/Tax Collector tab. Payments can be made on-line using your checking account and routing number or by using a credit card. Please call the Town Clerk/Tax Collector’s Office directly if you need assistance using the on-line system or if you have other questions 603-726-3223 ext. 102.

- Property Record Cards: Full Assessment Cards will be available online by the end of the week or can be sent via email; contact Corey Davenport toc.cd@camptonnh.org

- Intents to Cut and Intents to Excavate: Can be mailed or scanned/sent to toc.cp@camptonnh.org

- Building permits: Permit applications are available on the Town website and will be accepted via email or mail. Payments are to be made by check only.

- Road complaints, Snow Plowing, Roadway drainage: Contact Highway Department 603-726-3223 ext. 401.

- Trash and Recycling general questions: Contact Town of Thornton 603-726-8168

- To file land use board submissions (including Planning Board, Zoning Board, Conservation Commission), or to review property files, site plans, subdivision plans, etc. please contact Corey Davenport 603-726-3223 ext. 100 or toc.cd@camptonnh.org to arrange.

- Welfare questions: Please use the welfare general mailbox 603-726-3223 press option 5 or contact toc.cp@campton.org.