



## City of Schenectady, New York

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### Declaration State of Emergency


**A State of Emergency is hereby declared in the City of Schenectady, State of New York, for the period of time beginning at 12:00 Noon, Monday, October 29, 2012 through 12:00 Noon, Wednesday, October 31, 2012.**

A State of Emergency has been declared in response to the threat to health and safety posed by Hurricane Sandy and or the residual atmospheric disturbance and weather conditions it is creating. The public is advised to avoid unnecessary travel, to use common sense and caution when outside and to exercise extreme care around trees and power lines & report and downed trees or power lines to the appropriate authorities immediately and to be prepared to respond prudently in case of flooding.

I hereby direct all departments and bureaus of the City of Schenectady to take whatever steps are necessary to protect life and property, public infrastructure, and to provide such emergency assistance as deemed necessary.

I, Gary R. McCarthy, hereby exercise the authority given to me under New York State Executive Law Article 2-B in Declaring a State of Emergency to preserve and protect the health & well-being of the citizens and infrastructure of this municipality.

IN WITNESS WHERE OF, I have hereunto set my hand and cause the seal of the City of Schenectady to be affixed this 29<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2012.



*Gary R. McCarthy*

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Gary R. McCarthy, Mayor