WHEREAS, the National Day of Prayer is a tradition first proclaimed by the Continental Congress in 1775; and

WHEREAS, in 1988, legislation was unanimously ratified by both Houses of Congress and signed by President Ronald Reagan stating that the National Day of Prayer was to be observed on the first Thursday of each May, and

WHEREAS, May 7, 2020 has been set aside as the 69th consecutive observance of the National Day of Prayer, and

WHEREAS, it is fitting and proper to give thanks to the Lord by observing this Day in Hartland when all may acknowledge our blessings and express gratitude for them, while recognizing the need for strengthening religious and moral values in our Town, state and nation;

NOW, THEREFORE,

The Board of Selectmen of the Town of Hartland do, hereby, proclaim May 7, 2020 as “A DAY OF PRAYER IN HARTLAND”. All citizens are urged to observe this day in ways appropriate to its importance and significance.

Dated this 28th day of April, 2020.

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Magi Winslow, 1st Selectman

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Scott M. Levan 2nd Selectman

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Gregory M. Sottile 3rd Selectman

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