

**Town of Orwell
Oswego County, NY
STATE OF EMERGENCY DECLARATION**

A State of Emergency is hereby declared in the Town of Orwell, NY effective at **9 a.m. on Wednesday, Oct. 14, 2020.**

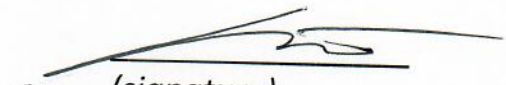
This State of Emergency, originally declared Sept. 9, 2020 has been declared again due to renewed drought concerns that threaten the public water supplies in the Town of Orwell. Drought conditions began in early summer and resulted in the town's purchase of water for public water distribution beginning on July 9, 2020; a brief respite did not ameliorate the situation. This situation threatens public safety.

The State of Emergency will remain in effect for 30 days or until rescinded by a subsequent order.

As the Chief Executive of the Town of Orwell, I, William Potter, exercise the authority given me under Section 24 of the New York State Executive Law, to preserve the public safety and hereby render all required and available assistance vital to the security, well-being, and health of the citizens of this Municipality.

I hereby direct all departments and agencies of the Town of Orwell to take whatever steps necessary to protect life and property, public infrastructure, and provide such emergency assistance deemed necessary.

William Potter
Supervisor
Town of Orwell



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10/14/20

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