

PROCLAMATION

A PROCLAMATION BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF POMPANO BEACH PROCLAIMING A PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY IN POMPANO BEACH, BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, AND IMPOSING EMERGENCY REGULATIONS.

WHEREAS, Novel Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) is a severe acute respiratory illness that can spread among humans through respiratory transmission and other potential methods and presents symptoms similar to those of influenza; and

WHEREAS, the City of Pompano Beach is threatened by COVID-19 because of the apparent ability of the virus to spread rapidly among humans, and COVID-19 thereby constitutes a clear and present threat to the health, safety, and welfare of the citizens and visitors of the City of Pompano Beach; and

WHEREAS, the CDC has issued guidelines for "community mitigation strategies" to limit the spread of COVID-19, including recommendations for social distancing, which has proven to be an effective method for containing COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, this Proclamation shall supplement all previously issued Proclamations to add additional emergency acts within the City to prevent the further spread of the COVID-19 virus.

NOW, THEREFORE,

I, Rex Hardin, Mayor of the City of Pompano Beach, Florida, pursuant to the authority vested in me by Chapter 94, Code of Ordinances of the City of Pompano Beach, Florida, do hereby declare and re-establish that a public health emergency exists in the City of Pompano Beach and declare, effective immediately, and for a period of 30 days hereafter, up through and including April 17, 2020:

1. Effective at 10:00 p.m., March 20, 2020, all restaurants, cafeterias, and other food establishments within the City of Pompano Beach shall close all on-premise portions of the business and shall cease interior service to customers. Such establishments may provide drive-thru, delivery, take-out, and exterior pick-up food services only.
2. The City of Pompano Beach hereby adopts in its entirety Executive Order 20-52 issued by Governor DeSantis on March 9, 2020, including but not limited to Section 4(D)(1-8) which provides:

Section 4 D. In accordance with section 252.38, Florida Statutes, each political subdivision within the State of Florida may waive the procedures and formalities otherwise required of the political subdivision by law pertaining to:

1. Performance of public work and taking whatever prudent action is necessary to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of the community;
 2. Entering into contracts; however, political subdivisions are cautioned against entering into time and materials contracts without ceiling as defined by 2 CFR 200.318(j) or costs plus percentage contract as defined by 2 CFR 200.323(d);
 3. Incurring obligations;
 4. Employment of permanent and temporary workers;
 5. Utilization of volunteer workers;
 6. Rental of equipment;
 7. Acquisition and distribution, with or without compensation, of supplies, materials, and facilities; and,
 8. Appropriation and expenditure of public funds.
3. The City of Pompano Beach's Declarations of Emergency Regulations issued on March 4, 2020, March 11, 2020 and March 18, 2020 regarding COVID-19 are hereby supplemented by this Order.

PROCLAIMED at 2:45 p.m. hours this the 19th day of March 2020.



REX HARDIN, MAYOR

ATTEST:


ASCELETA HAMMOND, CITY CLERK

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