



**CITY OF PALM SPRINGS
LOCAL EMERGENCY
SUPPLEMENTARY ORDER
INCORPORATING BY REFERENCE THE GOVERNOR'S
EXECUTIVE ORDER N-33-20 (SHELTER IN PLACE)**

May 9, 2020

WHEREAS, on March 14, 2020, pursuant to the City of Palm Springs Municipal Code section 2.20.050(a)(1), the City Manager, acting as the Director of Emergency Services, declared the existence of a local emergency within the City of Palm Springs, due to the threat presented by the COVID-19 pandemic, which declaration was subsequently ratified by the Palm Springs City Council on March 19, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on March 19, 2020, the Governor of the State of California ordered all individuals living in the State of California to stay home or at their place of residence, except as need to maintain continuity of operations of the federal critical infrastructure sectors, as described in said order; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Palm Springs Municipal Code section 2.20.050(a)(6), the Director of Emergency Services is empowered to make and issue rules and regulations on matters reasonably related to the protection of life and property as affected by such emergency; provided, however, such rules and regulations must be confirmed at the earliest practicable time by the City Council; and

WHEREAS, on April 7, 2020, the City Manager/Director of Emergency Services issued an emergency order that incorporated by reference the Governor's Shelter in Place Order (Executive Order N-33-20; and

WHEREAS, on May 8, 2020, the Riverside County Board of Supervisors rescinded three (3) of the four (4) remaining County Health Officer emergency orders, including those that required face coverings generally and social distancing; and

WHEREAS, the Director of Emergency Services is authorized to revise his emergency declaration and related orders, as the situation evolves.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DECLARED AND ORDERED, that:

1. Executive Order N-33-20 (Shelter in Place), dated March 19, 2020 is hereby incorporated into this order as though fully set forth herein, and shall be deemed to be an order of the City of Palm Springs Director of Emergency Services within the City of Palm Springs.
2. The City of Palm Springs Director of Emergency Services' order contained in Section 1, above, shall be subject to the following, whether issued prior to, or following, the date of this order:
 - (a) any other Executive Order(s) issued by the Governor of the State of California;
 - (b) any order(s) issued by Riverside County Public Health Officer or Emergency Services Director, as well as any clarifying guidance issued by Riverside County; and
 - (c) any other emergency order issued by the City of Palm Springs Director of Emergency Services.
3. All persons, including Essential Workers, must wear face coverings, such as scarves (dense fabric, without holes), bandanas, neck gaiter, or other fabric face coverings. All persons, including Essential Workers, are discouraged from using Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), such as N95 masks, for non-medical reasons.

Face coverings must be worn in public settings, such as:

- Waiting in line to go inside a store
- Shopping at a store
- Picking up food at a restaurant
- Picking up retail goods at a retail store that is allowed to be open
- On public transportation (or waiting for it)
- In a taxi or rideshare vehicle
- Seeking healthcare
- Going into facilities allowed to stay open
- Working an essential job that interacts with the public
- Children 2 years and older should be encouraged to wear a face covering when around others closer than 6 feet. When they do, they must be supervised by an adult.

Face coverings are NOT required to be worn by people who are:

- At home
- In the car alone or with members of their own household
- Children under the age of 2 years, due to the risk of suffocation.
- Outdoors, walking, hiking, bicycling or running. However, people must comply with social distancing during these activities, including maintaining at least 6 feet of distance from other people. People should also have a

face covering readily accessible.

- Residents with a health condition whose medical provider has advised against wearing a face covering and can provide documentation.

Businesses must:

- Require their employees, contractors, owners, and volunteers to wear a face covering at the workplace and when performing work off-site;
- Inform customers about the need to wear a face covering, including posting signs and advising those in line or in the business;
- Take reasonable steps to keep people who are not wearing a face covering from entering the business; and
- Refuse service to anyone not wearing a face covering.

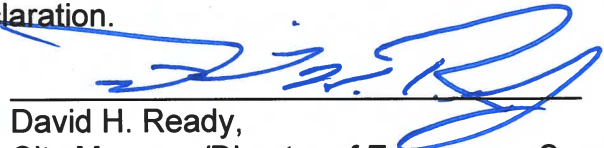
4. All persons are required to engage in “social distancing” by maintaining a six-foot separation from all persons except for members of their same household and medical providers with the appropriate personal protection equipment.

5. A strong recommendation is made that all persons who are 65 years or older, have a chronic underlying health condition, or have a compromised immune system self-quarantine themselves at home.

IT IS FURTHER DECLARED AND ORDERED, that pursuant to Palm Springs Municipal Code sections 1.06.040 and 2.20.100 and City Council Resolution 24738, dated March 19, 2020, the City may impose administrative fines for violations of this order. The citing officer shall be entitled to exercise his/her discretion in determining the amount of any such fine, having taken into consideration the severity of the violation. In addition, continued violations of this order by any business may result in the closure of any facility, or revocation of any applicable permit/certificate.

IT IS FURTHER DECLARED AND ORDERED, this order is a temporary emergency measure, which is effective immediately and shall remain in effect unless and until modified or superseded by the Director of Emergency Services, City Council or any county, state or federal order or declaration.

May 9, 2020



David H. Ready,
City Manager/Director of Emergency Services

APPROVED AS TO LEGAL FORM:



Jeffrey S. Ballinger, City Attorney