

PALM BEACH COUNTY
BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

Meeting Date: August 25, 2020 [X] Consent [] Regular
[] Ordinance [] Public Hearing

Department: Department of Public Safety
Submitted By: Department of Public Safety
Submitted For: Division of Emergency Management

EXECUTIVE BRIEF

Motion and Title: Staff recommends motion to receive and file: the following Declarations and Emergency Orders (EO) related to COVID-19:

- A. EO Number 3 Palm Beach County (PBC) COVID-19 (2020-003), closure of all parks, beaches, and golf courses, dated March 25, 2020;
- B. Amendment to EO Number 3 PBC COVID-19 (2020-003a), PBC Directing Stay Home-Stay Safe: Safer at Home Policy, to clarify closures of all parks, beaches, and golf courses, dated March 29, 2020;
- C. Declaration of Continuing State of Emergency PBC FL, dated April 10, 2020;
- D. EO Number 4 PBC COVID-19 (2020-004), directive to wear facial covers, dated April 11, 2020;
- E. Declaration of Continuing State of Emergency PBC, FL, dated April 17, 2020;
- F. Declaration of Continuing State of Emergency PBC, FL, dated April 24, 2020;
- G. EO Number 5 PBC COVID-19 (2020-005), opening of boating and marine activities, dated April 27, 2020; and
- H. Declaration of Continuing State of Emergency PBC, FL, dated May 1, 2020.

Summary: On March 9, 2020, the Governor issued Executive Order No. 20-52 declaring a State of Emergency in the State of Florida based on the on-going risk posed by COVID-19, including the fact that at least eight (8) Florida counties had reported positive cases of COVID-19. The County issued a State of Local Emergency on Friday, March 13, 2020. The State of Local Emergency was declared to initiate emergent actions taken by the County Administrator to ensure the health, safety and welfare of the community. Multiple Emergency Orders and Declarations were issued in response to COVID-19 response activities. The County's Emergency Operation Center (EOC) was activated to a Level 2 activation at 0700 hours on Monday, March 16, 2020. Pursuant to PBC Code Article II, Section 9-35, in the event a special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners (BCC) cannot be convened, the Mayor of the BCC may declare a State of Local Emergency. With the executed State of Local Emergency, resources were available through the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act and or Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) Public Assistance. Staff were able to purchase equipment, materials, supplies, and open non-congregate shelters for residents and persons who may be in need of isolation. **Countywide** (LDC)

Background and Justification: On March 1, 2020, the Governor of the State of Florida issued Executive Order No. 20-051 establishing a public health emergency in order to direct response to Coronavirus (COVID-19). The President of the United States declared a National Emergency on Friday, March 13, 2020, at 1530 hours. On March 13, 2020, the County declared a State of Local Emergency due to the on-going risk of COVID-19. The EOC escalated to a Level 2 (Partial) Activation at 0700 hours on Monday, March 16, 2020.

Attachments:

- 1. EO Number 3 PBC COVID-19, Order No. 2020-003, dated March 25, 2020;
- 2. PBC Directing Stay Home-Stay Safe: Safer at Home Policy Amendment to EO No. 3, PBC COVID-19, Order No. 2020-003a, dated March 29, 2020;
- 3. Declaration of Continuing State of Emergency PBC FL, dated April 10, 2020;
- 4. EO Number 4 PBC COVID-19 Directive to Wear Facial Covers, Order No. 2020-004, dated April 11, 2020;
- 5. Declaration of Continuing State of Emergency PBC, FL, dated April 17, 2020;
- 6. Declaration of Continuing State of Emergency PBC, FL, dated April 24, 2020;
- 7. EO Number 5 PBC COVID-19, Order No. 2020-005, dated April 27, 2020; and
- 8. Declaration of Continuing State of Emergency PBC, FL, dated May 1, 2020.

Recommended By: [Signature] Department Director Date 7/23/20

Approved By: [Signature] Deputy County Administrator Date 8/4/2020

II. FISCAL IMPACT ANALYSIS

A. Five Year Summary of Fiscal Impact

Fiscal Years	<u>2020</u>	<u>2021</u>	<u>2022</u>	<u>2023</u>	<u>2024</u>
Capital Expenditures	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Operating Costs	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
External Revenues	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Program Income (County)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
In-Kind Match (County)	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Net Fiscal Impact	* =====	=====	=====	=====	=====

ADDITIONAL FTE POSITIONS (Cumulative) _____

Is Item Included in Current Budget? Yes ___ No ___
 Does this item include the use of federal funds? Yes ___ No ___

Budget Account Exp No:
 Rev No:

B. Recommended Sources of Funds/Summary of Fiscal Impact:

*Fiscal impact is undeterminable at this time. The County will request reimbursement of actual expenses associated with the Coronavirus through the PA program and or utilize the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act Relief Fund.

Departmental Fiscal Review: FE [Signature] 7/1/20

II. REVIEW COMMENTS

A. OFMB Fiscal and/or Contract Dev. and Control Comments:

[Signature] 7/28/2020
 OFMB
 [Signature] 7/27/20
 Contract Administration
 [Signature] 7/31/2020

B. Legal Sufficiency:

[Signature]
 Assistant County Attorney

C. Other Department Review:

 Department Director

This summary is not to be used as a basis for payment.

Order No. 2020-003



**EMERGENCY ORDER NUMBER 3
PALM BEACH COUNTY COVID-19**

WHEREAS, on March 1, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis, issued Executive Order 20-51 directing the Florida Department of Health ("FDOH") to issue a Public Health Emergency; and

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis, issued Executive Order 20-52 declaring a state of emergency for the State of Florida as a result of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, pursuant Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes, Palm Beach County declared a local State of Emergency due to the Coronavirus pandemic, which has since been extended in accordance with applicable law; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, President Donald J. Trump and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ("CDC") issued the "15 Days to Slow the Spread" guidance advising individuals to adopt far-reaching social distancing measures, such as avoiding gatherings of more than 10 people, and in states with evidence of community spread, bars, restaurants, food courts, and gyms should be closed; and

WHEREAS, on March 20, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis, after consultation with Broward County and Palm Beach County authorities, both of which requested application of the CDC recommendations, issued Executive Order 20-70, which ordered that all restaurants, bars, taverns, pubs, night clubs, banquet halls, cocktail lounges, cabarets,

breweries, cafeterias and any other alcohol and/or food service business with seating for more than ten (10) people within Broward and Palm Beach Counties be closed to on-premise service of customers; and

WHEREAS, on March 20, 2020, also pursuant to Executive Order 20-70 and as provided therein, Governor Ron DeSantis closed all movie theatres, concert halls, auditoriums, playhouses, bowling alleys, arcades, gyms, fitness studios, and beaches; and

WHEREAS, on March 22, 2020, Palm Beach County issued its COVID-19 Public Safety Order No. 1 whereby, among other things, pursuant to subsection two (2), Palm Beach County closed all boat docks, ramps, marinas, and any other venues used for launching any recreational vessels; and

WHEREAS, on March 23, 2020, Palm Beach County issued its Amendment to Emergency Order No. 1, clarifying that subsection two (2) of Emergency Order No. 1 applies to all such venues utilized for any recreational purpose, including, but not limited to, fishing charters, boat tours, diving excursions, and the like, and clarifying that such venues may only be utilized for commercial fishing, commercial marine operations, and support services related thereto; and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis issued Executive Order 20-82 directing all persons entering the State of Florida from an area with substantial community spread and who isolate or quarantine for a period of 14 days from the time of entry into the State of Florida or the duration of the person's presence in the State of Florida, whichever is shorter, to inform any individual in Florida with whom they have had direct physical contact in the past 21 days that they traveled from an area with substantial community spread; and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2020 Governor Ron DeSantis, issued Executive Order 20-83 directing the State Surgeon General and the State Health Officer to issue a public health advisory to advise senior persons, and persons that have a serious underlying medical condition that places them at a high risk of severe illness from COVID-19 to stay at home. Such conditions include, but not limited to, chronic lung disease or moderate to severe asthma; serious heart conditions; immunocompromised status, including those in cancer treatment; and severe obesity; and

WHEREAS, it is strongly recommended that all persons stay at home especially the elderly and those who have underlying health conditions as referenced in Executive Order 20-83.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED pursuant to Palm Beach County Code Article II, Section 9-35 and all other applicable laws, that:

1. The foregoing recitals are hereby incorporated herein by reference.
2. Effective immediately, all parks shall be closed to public access.
3. Effective immediately all golf courses are closed to public access.
4. The Sheriff of Palm Beach County and other law enforcement personnel are hereby authorized and directed to enforce this directive.
5. This Order shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of Circuit Court and delivered to appropriate news media for publication and radio and television broadcast.
6. This Order shall remain in effect until the expiration of Palm Beach County's Declaration of Emergency or until terminated or amended by further order.
7. Any provision(s) within this Emergency Order that conflict(s) with any state or federal law or constitutional provision, or conflict(s) with or are superseded by a current or subsequently-issued Executive Order of the Governor or the President of the United States, shall be deemed inapplicable and deemed to be severed from this Emergency Order, with the remainder of the Emergency Order remaining intact and in full force and effect. To the extent application of some or all the provisions of this Emergency Order is prohibited on the sovereign land of a federally or state recognized sovereign or Indian tribe, such application is expressly excluded from this Emergency Order.

PALM BEACH COUNTY

APPROVED AS TO
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

By: *Madeline Baker*
County Administrator

By: *[Signature]*
County Attorney

11/15/20
Date

ATTEST
CLERK & COMPTROLLER

By: *Shawn R. Beck*
Deputy Clerk

Order No. 2020-003a



PALM BEACH COUNTY
DIRECTING STAY HOME- STAY SAFE: SAFER AT HOME POLICY
AMENDMENT
TO EMERGENCY ORDER NUMBER 3
PALM BEACH COUNTY COVID-19

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis issued Executive Order 20-83 directing the State Surgeon General and the State Health Officer to issue a public health advisory to advise senior persons, and persons that have a serious underlying medical condition that places them at a high risk of severe illness from COVID-19, to stay at home. Such conditions include, but are not limited to, chronic lung disease or moderate to severe asthma; serious heart conditions; immunocompromised status, including those in cancer treatment; and severe obesity; and

WHEREAS, Palm Beach County strongly urges that all persons limit their movements and stay home-stay safe to minimize the spread of COVID-19, to protect the most vulnerable among us, to protect the medical community, and to protect first responders who are displaying heroic efforts in these difficult circumstances; and

WHEREAS, the elderly and those who have underlying health conditions are most vulnerable and Palm Beach County has a large elderly community who risk contracting COVID-19 from persons in the community who interact with family members and neighbors by engaging in activities outside the home; and

WHEREAS, it is vital that all residents cooperate and restrict all travel and activities outside of their homes and residences in order to keep the community safe; and

WHEREAS, the implementation of the Stay Home-Stay Safe: Safer at Home Policy is likely to save the lives of County residents, their family members and friends, and others in the community, as well as, preserving scarce resources to allow the health community time to prepare further treatment and equipment to slow the spread of the COVID-19 virus; and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2020, Palm Beach County issued its Emergency Order No. 3 closing all parks and golf courses; and

WHEREAS, it is now necessary to clarify by way of this Amendment that, all public and private parks, public and private golf courses, golf facilities, and community pools within Palm Beach County are closed. Such closure includes, but is not limited to, community and public pools; municipal golf courses; private membership-only access golf courses and golf clubs; all municipal parks; all private community parks; all parks within public, private and gated communities; community association and condominium association golf courses and parks; homeowner association golf courses, golf clubs and parks; and every other golf course, golf facility and park within unincorporated and incorporated Palm Beach County; and

WHEREAS, it is further necessary to clarify, by way of this Amendment, that any municipal orders that contradict or conflict with this Order, or any order issued either before or after this Order, are invalid to the extent that they conflict with closures or any other directives contained in a Palm Beach County order. Municipalities may order more restrictive closures than those ordered by the County; however, municipalities do not have the authority to contradict orders issued by Palm Beach County.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED pursuant to Palm Beach County Code Article II, Section 9-35 and all other applicable laws, that:

1. The foregoing recitals are hereby incorporated herein by reference.
2. The Order applies in all incorporated and unincorporated areas of Palm Beach County.
3. Effective as of March 25, 2020, all public and private parks within Palm Beach County are closed. This includes, but is not limited to: all municipal parks; all private community parks; all parks within public, private, and gated communities; and all regional and district county parks.
4. Effective as of March 25, 2020, all public and private golf courses within Palm Beach County are closed. This includes, but is not limited to: municipal golf

courses; private membership-only access golf courses and golf clubs; community association and condominium association golf courses and parks; homeowner association golf courses, golf clubs and parks; and every other golf course, golf facility and park within unincorporated and incorporated Palm Beach County.

5. Effective as of March 30, 2020 at 12:01 a.m., all community pools in Palm Beach County are closed, including community pools in both incorporated and unincorporated Palm Beach County.
6. Municipalities may order more restrictive closures or measures not inconsistent with this Order, but this Order shall take precedence over any municipal order that conflicts with or contradicts this Order, or any other Palm Beach County order issued prior to or after this one concerning the COVID-19 emergency response, by Palm Beach County.
7. Effective as of March 30, 2020 at 12:01 a.m., individuals are strongly urged to stay home or at their place of residence, other than for the following critical activities:
 - a. To engage in activities or perform tasks critical to their health and safety, or to the health and safety of their family or household members (including, but not limited to, pets), such as, by way of example only and without limitation, seeking emergency services, obtaining medical supplies or medication, or visiting a health care professional;
 - b. To obtain necessary services or supplies for themselves and their family or household members (including, but not limited to, pets), or to deliver those services or supplies to others, such as, by way of example only and without limitation, money from banks and related financial institutions, including pawn shops, groceries and food, household consumer products, supplies needed to work from home, and products necessary to maintain the safety, sanitation, and critical operation of homes and residences;

- c. To care for a family member, friend, or pet in another household, and to transport family members, friends, or pets for activities as allowed by this Policy;
 - d. To engage in individual daily outdoor exercise that complies with CDC social distancing guidelines. Individuals outside their homes shall comply with all requirements of the Executive Orders issued by the Governor of the State of Florida and all Palm Beach County Emergency Orders, and must adhere to all measures advised by the CDC and the Florida Department of Health regarding social distancing; and
 - e. To engage in the minimum activities necessary for the conduct of Minimum Basic Operations (as defined in Section 3 and 44 of Palm Beach County Emergency Order Number 2a (2020-002a) or to engage in or patronize critical businesses (as enumerated in Section 4 of Palm Beach County Emergency Order Number 2a (2020-002a), unless otherwise expressly exempted from the limitations pursuant to the Amendment to Palm Beach County Emergency Order Number 1 (2020-001a).
8. Section 7 above shall not apply to individuals whose homes or residences are unsafe or become unsafe, victims of domestic violence, or individuals who are homeless.
9. The provisions of Palm Beach County Emergency Order Number 2a remain in full force and effect and are not modified by this Order except as provided herein.
10. The Sheriff of Palm Beach County and other law enforcement personnel are hereby authorized and directed to enforce Sections 3, 4 and 5 of this Order, and shall enforce all other COVID-19 emergency orders of Palm Beach County including, but not limited to, Emergency Orders 2020-1, 2020-1a, 2020-002, and 2020-002a, and 2020-003 and all additional amendments executed thereto. Nothing herein shall restrict the authority of the Sheriff and other law enforcement personnel to enforce all other emergency orders, including amendments thereto, issued by the County.

11. This Order shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of Circuit Court and delivered to appropriate news media for publication and radio and television broadcast.
12. This Order shall remain in effect until the expiration of Palm Beach County's Declaration of Emergency and any extension thereof, or until terminated or amended by further order.
13. Any provision(s) within this Order that conflict(s) with any state or federal law or constitutional provision, or conflict(s) with or are superseded by a current or subsequently-issued Executive Order of the Governor or the President of the United States, shall be deemed inapplicable and deemed to be severed from this Order, with the remainder of the Order remaining intact and in full force and effect. To the extent application of some or all the provisions of this Order is prohibited on the sovereign land of a federally or state recognized sovereign or Indian tribe, such application is expressly excluded from this Order.

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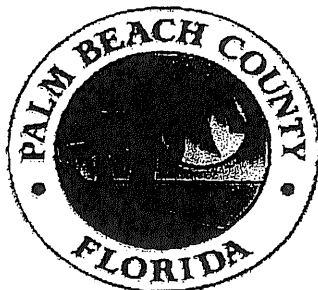
By: [Signature]
County Administrator

By: _____
County Attorney

[Signature]
Date

ATTEST
CLERK & COMPTROLLER

By: [Signature: Shaun T. Beck]
Deputy Clerk



**DECLARATION OF CONTINUING STATE OF EMERGENCY
PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA**

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, Palm Beach County declared a local State of Emergency due to the Coronavirus pandemic which was renewed on March 19, 2020 and expired on March 20, 2020 unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, effective on March 20, 2020, Palm Beach County issued a Declaration of Continuing State of Emergency due to the Coronavirus pandemic which expired on March 27, 2020, unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of March 27, 2020, by seven days which expired on April 3, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on April 3, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 3, 2020, by seven days which will expire on April 10, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the local emergency is continuing, and it is necessary to continue the local state of emergency for an additional seven days,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DECLARED that pursuant to Palm Beach County Code Article II, Section 9-35:

1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein by reference.
2. The Palm Beach County State of Emergency Declaration is hereby extended by 7 days pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and shall continue in full force and effect through April 17, 2020.
3. This Declaration shall expire at the date and time set forth herein unless further extended or terminated by the Board of County Commissioners, the Mayor, Vice Mayor or County Administrator as permitted in the Palm Beach County Code.
4. This Declaration shall be filed with the Clerk of the Court.

PALM BEACH COUNTY


APPROVED AS TO
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

By: 
Mayor Dave Kerner

By: 
County Attorney

Date: 4/16/2008

ATTEST
CLERK & COMPTROLLER

By: 
Deputy Clerk



**EMERGENCY ORDER NUMBER 4
PALM BEACH COUNTY COVID-19
DIRECTIVE TO WEAR FACIAL COVERS**

WHEREAS, COVID-19, a respiratory illness caused by a virus that spreads rapidly from person to person and may result in serious illness or death, constitutes a clear and present threat to the lives, health, welfare, and safety of the people of Palm Beach County.

WHEREAS, on March 1, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis, issued Executive Order 20-51 directing the Florida Department of Health ("FDOH") to issue a Public Health Emergency; and

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis, issued Executive Order 20-52 declaring a state of emergency for the State of Florida as a result of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, pursuant Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes, Palm Beach County declared a local State of Emergency due to the Coronavirus pandemic, which has since been extended in accordance with applicable law; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, President Donald J. Trump and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ("CDC") issued the "15 Days to Slow the Spread" guidance advising individuals to adopt far-reaching social distancing measures, such as avoiding gatherings of more than 10 people, and in states with evidence of community spread, bars, restaurants, food courts, and gyms should be closed; and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis issued Executive Order 20-82 directing all persons entering the State of Florida from an area with substantial community spread to isolate or quarantine for a period of 14 days from the time of entry into the State of Florida or the duration of the person's presence in the State of Florida, whichever is shorter and to inform any individual in Florida with whom they have had direct physical contact in the past 21 days that they traveled from an area with substantial community spread; and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis also issued Executive Order 20-83 directing the State Surgeon General and the State Health Officer to issue a public health advisory for senior persons and persons that have a serious underlying

medical condition that places them at a high risk of severe illness from COVID-19 to stay at home. Such conditions include, but are not limited to, chronic lung disease or moderate to severe asthma; serious heart conditions; immunocompromised status, including those in cancer treatment; and severe obesity; and

WHEREAS, on March 30, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis issued Executive Order Number 20-89, restricting the operations of non-essential businesses in certain South Florida Counties and requires such establishments to take reasonable actions to comply with the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) guidelines on social distancing; and

WHEREAS, on March 30, 2020, President Donald J. Trump issued the White House's "30 Days to Slow the Spread" guidance, which extends the prior "15 Days to Slow the Spread" guidance to April 30, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on April 1, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis issued Executive Order Number 20-91, which included a Safer At Home directive that Senior citizens and individuals with a significant underlying medical condition shall stay at home and take all measures to limit the risk of exposure to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 20-91, in concert with the efforts of President Trump and the White House Coronavirus Task Force to fight COVID-19, and based on guidance provided by Florida's Surgeon General and State Health Officer, further directed all persons in Florida to limit their movements and personal interactions outside of their home to only those necessary to obtain or provide essential services or conduct essential activities, as identified in the Executive Order; and

WHEREAS, it is strongly recommended that all persons stay at home, in addition to senior citizens and those with a significant underlying medical condition required to stay home by Executive Order 20-91; and

WHEREAS, Palm Beach County desires to take additional steps to minimize the spread of COVID-19 within the community.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a), Florida Statutes, Palm Beach County Code Article II, Section 9-35 and all other applicable laws, that:

1. The foregoing recitals are hereby incorporated herein by reference.
2. This Order applies in all incorporated and unincorporated areas of Palm Beach County.
3. All persons working in, patronizing, or otherwise physically present in grocery stores, restaurants, pharmacies, construction sites, public transit vehicles,

vehicles for hire, and locations where social distancing measures are not possible should wear facial coverings as defined by the CDC.

4. All other persons physically present in any public place in Palm Beach County are strongly urged to wear facial coverings as defined by the CDC.
5. A facial covering includes any covering which snugly covers the nose and mouth, whether store bought or homemade mask, or clothing covering, including but not limited to, a scarf, bandana, handkerchief or other similar cloth covering and which is secured in place. Examples of compliant homemade facial coverings may be found on the CDC website: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/diy-cloth-face-coverings.html>. Persons wearing facial coverings should review the CDC and Florida Department of Health guidelines regarding safely applying, removing, and cleaning facial coverings.
6. Persons utilizing facial coverings should not procure surgical masks or N95 rated masks, as those are critical supplies for health care workers, law enforcement, fire-rescue, emergency management, or other persons engaged in life and safety activities.
7. Any provision(s) within this Order that conflict(s) with any state or federal law or constitutional provision, or conflict(s) with, or are superseded by, a current or subsequently-issued Executive Order of the Governor or the President of the United States, shall be deemed inapplicable and deemed to be severed from this Order, with the remainder of the Order remaining intact and in full force and effect. To the extent application of some or all of the provisions of this Order is prohibited on the sovereign land of a federally or state recognized sovereign or Indian tribe, such application is expressly excluded from this Order.
8. This Order shall be effective as of 12:01 a.m. on April 13, 2020. This Order shall expire upon the expiration of the existing State of Local Emergency, as same may be extended by subsequent order or declaration, unless earlier terminated by subsequent order.

PALM BEACH COUNTY

By: *Verdenia C. Baker*
County Administrator

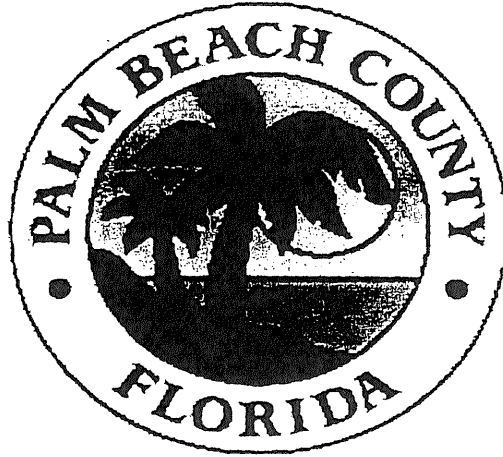
April 14, 2020
Date

**APPROVED AS TO
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By: *[Signature]*
County Attorney

ATTEST
CLERK & COMPTROLLER

By: Shaun R. Beck
Deputy Clerk



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WHEREAS, effective on March 20, 2020, Palm Beach County issued a Declaration of Continuing State of Emergency due to the Coronavirus pandemic which expired on March 27, 2020, unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of March 27, 2020, by seven days which expired on April 3, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on April 3, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 3, 2020, by seven days which expired on April 10, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on April 10, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 10, 2020, by seven days which will expire on April 17, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the local emergency is continuing, and it is necessary to continue the local state of emergency for an additional seven days.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DECLARED that pursuant to Palm Beach County Code Article II, Section 9-35;

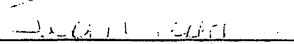
1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein by reference.
2. The Palm Beach County State of Emergency Declaration is hereby extended by 7 days pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and shall continue in full force and effect through April 24, 2020.
3. This Declaration shall expire at the date and time set forth herein unless further extended or terminated by the Board of County Commissioners, the Mayor, Vice Mayor or County Administrator as permitted in the Palm Beach County Code.
4. This Declaration shall be filed with the Clerk of the Court.

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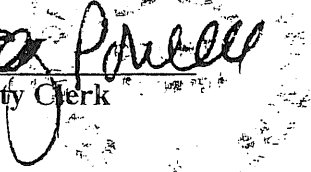
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Mayor Dave Kerner

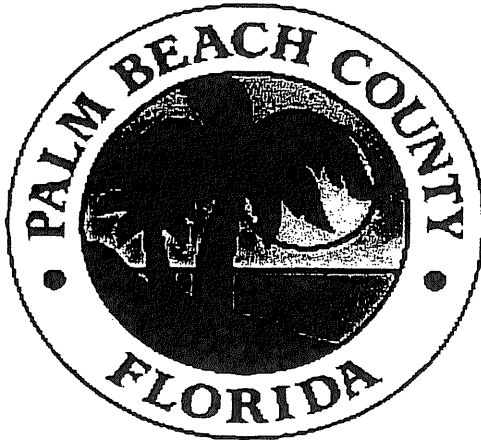
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County Attorney

Date: 4/17/20

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By: 
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WHEREAS, on April 3, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 3, 2020, by seven days which expired on April 10, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on April 10, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 10, 2020, by seven days which expired on April 17, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on April 17, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 17, 2020, by seven days which will expire on April 24, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the local emergency is continuing, and it is necessary to continue the local state of emergency for an additional seven days.

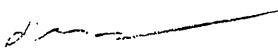
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DECLARED that pursuant to Palm Beach County Code Article II, Section 9-35;

1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein by reference.
2. The Palm Beach County State of Emergency Declaration is hereby extended by 7 days pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and shall continue in full force and effect through May 1, 2020.
3. This Declaration shall expire at the date and time set forth herein unless further extended or terminated by the Board of County Commissioners, the Mayor, Vice Mayor or County Administrator as permitted in the Palm Beach County Code.
4. This Declaration shall be filed with the Clerk of the Court.

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PALM BEACH COUNTY


APPROVED AS TO
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

By: 
Mayor Dave Kerner

By: 
County Attorney

Date: 04/24/20

ATTEST
CLERK & COMPTROLLER

By: 
Deputy Clerk

Order Number
2020-005

**EMERGENCY ORDER NUMBER 5
PALM BEACH COUNTY COVID-19**

WHEREAS, on March 1, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis, issued Executive Order 20-51 directing the Florida Department of Health to issue a Public Health Emergency; and

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis issued Executive Order 20-52 declaring a state of emergency for the State of Florida as a result of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, pursuant to Section 252.35(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes, Palm Beach County declared a local State of Emergency due to the Coronavirus pandemic, which has since been extended in accordance with applicable law; and

WHEREAS, on March 20, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis, after consultation with Broward County and Palm Beach County authorities, both of which requested application of the United States Centers for Disease Control (CDC) recommendations, issued Executive Order 20-70, which ordered that all restaurants, bars, taverns, pubs, night clubs, banquet halls, cocktail lounges, cabarets, breweries, cafeterias and any other alcohol or food service business with seating for more than (10) people within Broward and Palm Beach Counties be closed to on-premise service of customers; and

WHEREAS, on March 20, 2020, also pursuant to Executive Order 20-70 and as provided therein, Governor Ron DeSantis closed all movie theaters, concert halls, auditoriums, playhouses, bowling alleys, arcades, gyms, fitness studios, and beaches; and

WHEREAS, on April 1, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis signed Executive Order 20-91, that highlighted participating in recreational activities (consistent with social distancing) such as walking, biking, hiking, fishing, running or swimming as activities important to our residents; and

WHEREAS, on April 15, 2020, Governor Ron DeSantis appointed the Re-Open Florida Task Force, which is charged with developing a plan for safely reopening the state; and

WHEREAS, on April 16, 2020, President Donald J. Trump issued the White House's Guidelines for Opening Up America Again, a three-phased approach based on the advice of public health experts, to help state and local officials when reopening their economies, getting people back to work, and continuing to protect American lives; and

WHEREAS, in review of Department of Health data related to specific indicators used to measure the spread of COVID-19, it has been determined that our key indicators suggest and may allow for certain socially distanced recreational activities and related facilities may be able to resume operations under specific CDC and County guidelines; and

WHEREAS, in the interest of their physical fitness and mental well-being, walking, running, hiking, boating, fishing, and golfing are important recreational outlets for residents of Palm Beach County; and

WHEREAS, in collaboration with boating, fishing, diving and marine experts, emergency management, municipalities, law enforcement, and health professionals, Palm Beach County desires to safely reopen certain boating and marine activities in a phased approach in Palm Beach County to prevent the spread of COVID-19 within the community; and

WHEREAS, in collaboration with health professionals, emergency management, municipalities, law enforcement, public and private course management, the PGA of America and local golfers, Palm Beach County desires to safely reopen golf courses in a phased approach in Palm Beach County while taking direct steps utilizing accepted safety and health protective guidelines delineated herein regarding the operation of golf courses and responsibilities of golfers and private golf clubs to prevent the spread of COVID-19 within the community; and

WHEREAS, in collaboration with emergency management, municipalities, law enforcement, and health professionals, Palm Beach County desires to safely reopen public parks and natural areas in a phased approach in Palm Beach County to prevent the spread of COVID-19 within the community; and

WHEREAS, Palm Beach County has issued previous COVID-19 Emergency Orders affecting the operation of boat ramps, marinas, parks, natural areas, golf courses, tennis courts and community pools; and

WHEREAS, Palm Beach County wishes to repeal and replace portions of those orders inconsistent with this Order for the reasons described herein.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED pursuant to Palm Beach County Code Chapter 9, Article II, Section 9-35, as well as the authorities granted to me by the Declaration of Emergency issued by Governor DeSantis in Executive Order 20-52, by Chapter 252, Florida Statutes, by the Board of County Commissioners, by the Palm Beach County Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan, and as otherwise provided by law, I hereby order as follows:

Section 1: The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein by reference.

Section 2. This Emergency Order is supplemental to and in addition to any additional Executive Orders that may be issued by the President of the United States or Governor DeSantis that may be applicable to Palm Beach County. All provisions of the prior Palm Beach County Emergency Orders, including the County's Stay Home-Stay Safe: Safer at Home Emergency Order 2020-003a, remain in effect, except any provisions inconsistent with this Order.

Section 3. Applicability. This Emergency Order applies to incorporated and unincorporated areas within Palm Beach County, but has no application to federal, state, or tribal lands.

Section 4. Continuing Adherence to CDC Guidelines. Notwithstanding the reopening of boat ramps, marinas, golf courses, parks, natural areas, tennis courts, and community pools under this Order, all individuals shall continue to adhere to the guidelines from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention available at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/social-distancing.html> and attached herein as Attachment 1, as amended. These are hereafter referred to as the "CDC Guidelines". All owners, operators, and personnel involved in the below shall ensure compliance with these CDC Guidelines.

Section 5. Boating and Marine Activities. Boating and marine activities, including recreational and commercial boating activity, may resume in Palm Beach County as set forth in Attachment 2 entitled "Boating and Marine Activity Requirements." Such activities shall be done in accordance with CDC Guidelines and in compliance with the requirements set forth in Attachment 2. Any such activities that deviate from said guidelines and requirements remain prohibited.

Section 6. Golf Courses. All municipal, public, and privately-run golf courses in Palm Beach County may reopen in compliance with the requirements set forth in Attachment 3 entitled "Golf Requirements." Such activities shall be done in accordance with CDC Guidelines and in compliance with the requirements set forth in Attachment 3. Any such activities that deviate from said guidelines and requirements remain prohibited.

Section 7. Public Parks and Natural Areas. All public county and municipal parks, and natural areas, with the exception of beach parks, in Palm Beach County shall reopen as set forth in Attachment 4 entitled "Public Parks and Natural Areas Reopening Guidelines." Such areas shall be open for the safe, responsible enjoyment of passive and limited active use. Such activities shall be done in accordance with CDC Guidelines and in compliance with the requirements set forth in Attachment 4.

Section 8. Tennis Courts and Community Pools. All tennis and outdoor racquet facilities, as well as community pools, shall reopen as set forth in Attachment 5 entitled "Tennis Courts and Community Pools Reopening Guidelines." Such areas shall be open for the safe, responsible enjoyment of passive and limited active use of

citizens. Such activities shall be done in accordance with CDC Guidelines and in compliance with the requirements set forth in Attachment 5.

Section 9. Enforcement. The Sheriff of Palm Beach County, other law enforcement agencies, including municipal law enforcement agencies, and the personnel described in Section 9-37 of the Palm Beach County Code of Ordinances, are authorized to enforce this Order.

Section 10. Severability. Any provision(s) within this Emergency Order that conflict(s) with any state or federal law or constitutional provision, or conflict(s) with, or are superseded by, a current or subsequently-issued Executive Order of the Governor or the President of the United States, shall be deemed inapplicable and deemed to be severed from this Emergency Order, with the remainder of the Emergency Order remaining intact and in full force and effect. To the extent application of some or all the provisions of this Emergency Order is prohibited on the sovereign land of a federally or state recognized sovereign or Indian tribe, such application is expressly excluded from this Emergency Order.

Section 11. Effective Date; Duration. This order shall be effective as of 12:01 a.m. on April 29, 2020. This order shall expire upon the expiration of the existing State of Local Emergency, as same may be extended by subsequent order or declaration, unless earlier amended or terminated by subsequent Emergency Order.

PALM BEACH COUNTY

By: *Vardencia L. Baker*
County Administrator

April 27, 2020
Date

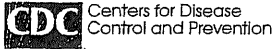
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Deputy Clerk

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By: *Denise Marie Nieman*
County Attorney

ATTACHMENT 1: CDC GUIDELINES



Coronavirus Disease 2019

Social Distancing, Quarantine, and Isolation

Keep Your Distance to Slow the Spread

Limiting face-to-face contact with others is the best way to reduce the spread of coronavirus disease 2019 (COVID-19).

What is social distancing?

Social distancing, also called “physical distancing,” means keeping space between yourself and other people outside of your home. To practice social or physical distancing:

- Stay at least 6 feet (about 2 arms’ length) from other people
- Do not gather in groups
- Stay out of crowded places and avoid mass gatherings

In addition to everyday steps to prevent COVID-19, keeping space between you and others is one of the best tools we have to avoid being exposed to this virus and slowing its spread locally and across the country and world.

When COVID-19 is spreading in your area, everyone should limit close contact with individuals outside your household in indoor and outdoor spaces. Since people can spread the virus before they know they are sick, it is important to stay away from others when possible, even if you have no symptoms. Social distancing is especially important for people who are at higher risk of getting very sick.

Why practice social distancing?

COVID-19 spreads mainly among people who are in close contact (within about 6 feet) for a prolonged period. Spread happens when an infected person coughs, sneezes, or talks, and droplets from their mouth or nose are launched into the air and land in the mouths or noses of people nearby. The droplets can also be inhaled into the lungs. Recent studies indicate that people who are infected but do not have symptoms likely also play a role in the spread of COVID-19.

It may be possible that a person can get COVID-19 by touching a surface or object that has the virus on it and then touching their own mouth, nose, or eyes. However, this is not thought to be the main way the virus spreads. COVID-19 can live for hours or days on a surface, depending on factors such as sun light and humidity. Social distancing helps limit contact with infected people and contaminated surfaces.

Although the risk of severe illness may be different for everyone, anyone can get and spread COVID-19. Everyone has a role to play in slowing the spread and protecting themselves, their family, and their community.

Tips for social distancing

- Follow guidance from authorities where you live.
- If you need to shop for food or medicine at the grocery store or pharmacy, stay at least 6 feet away from others.
 - Use mail-order for medications, if possible.
 - Consider a grocery delivery service.
 - Cover your mouth and nose with a cloth face cover when around others, including when you have to go out in public, for example to the grocery store.
 - Stay at least 6 feet between yourself and others, even when you wear a face covering.
- Avoid large and small gatherings in private places and public spaces, such as a friend’s house, parks, restaurants, shops, or any other place. This advice applies to people of any age, including teens and younger adults. Children

should not have in-person playdates while school is out. To help maintain social connections while social distancing, learn tips to keep children healthy while school's out.

- Work from home when possible.
- If possible, avoid using any kind of public transportation, ridesharing, or taxis.
- If you are a student or parent, talk to your school about options for digital/distance learning.

Stay connected while staying away. It is very important to stay in touch with friends and family that don't live in your home. Call, video chat, or stay connected using social media. Everyone reacts differently to stressful situations and having to socially distance yourself from someone you love can be difficult. Read tips for stress and coping.

What is the difference between quarantine and isolation?

Quarantine

Quarantine is used to **keep someone who *might* have been exposed to COVID-19 away from others.** Someone in self-quarantine stays separated from others, and they limit movement outside of their home or current place. A person may have been exposed to the virus without knowing it (for example, when traveling or out in the community), or they could have the virus without feeling symptoms. Quarantine helps limit further spread of COVID-19.

Isolation

Isolation is used to **separate sick people from healthy people.** People who are in isolation should stay home. In the home, anyone sick should separate themselves from others by staying in a specific "sick" bedroom or space and using a different bathroom (if possible).

What should I do if I might have been exposed? If I feel sick? Or have confirmed COVID-19?

If you think you have been exposed to COVID-19, read about symptoms.

If you...

If you or someone in your home might have been exposed

Steps to take...

Self-Monitor

Be alert for symptoms. Watch for **fever,* cough, or shortness of breath.**

- Take your temperature if symptoms develop.
- Practice social distancing. Maintain 6 feet of distance from others, and stay out of crowded places.
- Follow CDC guidance if symptoms develop.

If you...

If you feel healthy but:

- Recently had close contact with a person with COVID-19, or
- Recently traveled from somewhere outside the U.S. or on a cruise ship or river boat

Steps to take...

Self-Quarantine

- Check your temperature twice a day and watch for symptoms.

- Stay home for 14 days **and** self-monitor.
- If possible, stay away from people who are high-risk for getting very sick from COVID-19.

If you...

If you:

- Have been diagnosed with COVID-19, or
- Are waiting for test results, or
- Have symptoms such as cough, fever, or shortness of breath

Steps to take...**Self-Isolate**

- **Stay in a specific “sick room” or area** and away from other people or animals, including pets. If possible, use a separate bathroom.
- Read important information about caring for yourself or someone else who is sick.

More Information

[How to Protect Yourself](#)

[Cleaning and Disinfecting Your Home](#)

[Gatherings and Community Events](#)

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ATTACHMENT 2
BOATING AND MARINE ACTIVITY REQUIREMENTS

A. Marinas, Boat Docks, Ramps, and Other Launching Venues.

1. **Services Provided:** Marinas, boat docks, boat ramps, and any other venues used for launching vessels for recreational purposes, as well as dry stack storage facilities, (collectively, "Launching Venues"), shall be allowed to operate provided that CDC Guidelines, including all social distancing guidelines, are adhered to. Launching Venue retail operations shall be limited to providing fuel, maintenance and repair services, and marine supplies. No additional retail services may be provided.
2. **Restaurants:** Restaurant operations at Launching Venues shall remain limited to take-out food service only. All other forms of restaurant operations, including sit-down food service, remain prohibited.
3. **Facial Coverings:** In accordance with CDC Guidelines, in addition to practicing social distancing, Launching Venue staff, as well as customers, should utilize personal protective equipment, including, but not limited to, face coverings and gloves.
4. **Boat Distances and Overnight Parking:** All vessels on the water, including but not limited to boats, shall remain at least 50 feet apart at all times. Overnight parking, whether vehicles or vessels, at boat ramps is prohibited.

B. Marine Activities.

1. **Prohibited Activities:** Marine recreational activities, including, but not limited to, fishing, jet skiing, and recreational boating, shall be allowed in accordance with CDC Guidelines, however the following activities remain prohibited:
 - a. Boating and any recreational activities that do not comply with CDC Guidelines, including, but not limited to, any activities that do not allow for proper social distancing.
 - b. Flotillas, which include but are not limited to, two or more boats traveling together or anchored within 50 feet of each other.
 - c. Any activities resulting in gatherings of more than 10 people.

- d. Rafting up of boats, which includes but is not limited to, the roping or tying together of boats or vessels.
- e. Beaching, landings, anchoring, or mooring of vessels on sandbars, islands, and open shorelines.
- f. Any non-commercial boating that exceeds the following capacity limitations:
 - Boats 25' or less: 4 adult passengers maximum, plus children 17 and under. Maximum of 6 people on the boat.
 - Boats 26' – 36': 6 adult passengers maximum, plus children 17 and under. Maximum of 8 people on the boat.
 - Boats 37'-60': 8 adult passengers maximum, plus children 17 and under. Maximum of 10 people on the boat.
 - Boats over 60': 10 passengers maximum, not including crew members.

C. Charter Boats, Fishing Boats, and Dive Boats.

- 1. Charter boats, fishing boats, and dive boats ("Commercial Recreational Vessels"), may resume operations provided that CDC Guidelines, including all social distancing guidelines, are adhered to. In addition, Commercial Recreational Vessels shall adhere to the following restrictions:
 - a. Any services offered in connection with Commercial Recreational Vessels that do not comply with CDC Guidelines, including, but not limited to, any activities that do not allow for proper social distancing, are prohibited.
 - b. All patrons utilizing Commercial Recreational Vessels should have their own equipment, including, but not limited to, fishing poles and tackle.
 - c. All restrooms on Commercial Recreational Vessels shall post CDC cleanliness guidelines. Soap, water, and/or hand sanitizer for patrons is required. Restrooms shall be cleaned and disinfected regularly throughout the day.

- d. All Commercial Recreational Vessels shall delineate patron seat positions, including, but not limited to, dive seats and fishing positions, a minimum of 6 feet apart by utilizing tape or any other adhesive to ensure proper social distancing. In addition, all landside services relating to Commercial Recreational Vessels that require patrons to form a line shall delineate, utilizing tape or any other adhesive, 6 feet distances to ensure proper social distancing.
- e. All fish cleaning/bait stations shall be limited to one person per station at a time. In addition, proper cleaning and sanitation process shall be practiced.
- f. Any fish filleting services offered in connection with Commercial Recreational Vessels shall be limited to one mate per table.
- g. In accordance with CDC Guidelines, in addition to practicing social distancing, all persons utilizing Commercial Recreational Vessels, whether on the dock, on board, or as part of the landside operations, including, but not limited to, the captain, crew, and patrons, should utilize personal protective equipment, including, but not limited to, face coverings and gloves.
- h. With regard to dive boats, no more than 10 people shall be on the deck of a vessel at any given time. In addition, dive shops in support of diving operations may only operate to fill dive tanks by appointment only. Such service shall be done by curbside pickup and delivery.

D. Rentals of Jet Skis, Boats, Canoes, Kayaks, and Paddle Boards.

- 1. Rentals of jet skis, boats, canoes, kayaks, and paddle boards may resume operations provided that CDC Guidelines, including all social distancing guidelines, are adhered to. In addition, the following restrictions shall apply:
 - a. Jet Ski Rentals: Jet ski rental operations shall be limited to single riders only (or to one adult and one immediate child family member).
 - b. Boat Rentals: Boat rental companies shall adhere to the same guidelines applicable to all boating activities set forth in this Order, including this Attachment.

- c. Canoes/Kayaks/Paddle Boards: Canoes/kayaks/paddle boards shall be limited to single person use or two-person use if 6 feet distancing is possible.

E. Marine Construction, Repair, and Commercial Fishing.

1. Marine construction, vessel/engine repairs and maintenance and commercial fishing may resume operations provided that CDC Guidelines, including all social distancing guidelines, are adhered to. In addition, commercial fishing, commercial marine operations, and support services thereto are permitted to continue to operate as previously provided in PBC Emergency Order 2020-001a.
2. Commercial Fishermen with proper license documentation will continue to have 24-hour access to designated ramp sites; this access shall also include fishing guides who carry less than four passengers and possess a commercial charter, six-pack or higher Captain's license and a county registered business license.

F. Saltwater and Freshwater Boat Ramp/Launch Protocol.

1. Saltwater and freshwater boat ramps ("Boat Ramps") may be utilized provided that CDC Guidelines, including all social distancing guidelines, are adhered to. In addition, the following protocol shall be followed:
 - a. Boat Ramps shall be open sunrise to sunset except for when utilized by commercial boats (24-hour access at designated sites) unless further modified by appropriate authorities.
 - b. One (1) boat per launch ramp bay at a time. Vessels must be prepared in advance to launch (i.e., plug secured, dock lines tied, safety equipment and provisions already onboard). All passengers must board the vessel once it is launched.
 - c. Upon returning to the dock all passengers must remain on the vessel until the boat is ready to be loaded onto the trailer. Once loaded, the passenger(s) shall return to their vehicle(s) and exit the launch facility together.

G. Fishing Piers, Fish Cleaning Stations, Public Restrooms/Ship Stores, and Fuel Docks

1. Fishing piers, fish cleaning stations, public restrooms, ship stores (bait and tackle), and fuel docks may operate and be utilized provided that CDC Guidelines, including all social distancing guidelines, are adhered to. In addition, the following protocol shall be followed:
 - a. Fish cleaning stations: Shall be limited to access by one (1) person per station at a time. Proper cleaning and sanitation processes should always be practiced.
 - b. Fishing piers: Physical distancing at a minimum of 10 feet between fishermen must be followed.
 - c. Public restrooms: Access to public restrooms shall be available. Restrooms shall be cleaned and disinfected regularly throughout the day. Soap and water or hand sanitizer and/or disinfectant wipes shall be provided in each restroom.
 - d. Ship stores (bait and tackle): Those entering ship (bait & tackle) stores should, in accordance with CDC Guidelines, in addition to practicing social distancing, utilize personal protective equipment, including, but not limited to, face coverings.
 - e. Fuel docks: Shall be permitted to operate in compliance with CDC Guidelines.

ATTACHMENT 3: GOLF REQUIREMENTS

3a: Golf Course Requirements

All municipal, public, and privately-run golf courses in Palm Beach County shall adhere to the following:

1. Play shall be set-up for walking, single-rider golf cart, or shared cart for families living in the same household. Course staff shall confirm household verification by ID. Shared carts shall be marked and identified by a small colored flag to indicate verified family sharing.
2. For the purpose of allowing golfers the opportunity to warm-up before play, a course's practice driving range may open. Use of the range will be limited only to a period of time immediately prior to a player's scheduled start. To accommodate social distancing guidelines, the driving range shall be set up so that golfers are spaced at least 10 feet apart and golfers shall not congregate on or near the driving range.
3. Players shall arrive no earlier than 20 minutes prior to tee times.
4. Staff shall not handle bags, clubs, or other equipment, or transport these items to and from parking lot: players will be responsible for bringing their golf equipment to a designated area.
5. Clubhouses shall remain closed: no indoor events will be conducted.
6. All League, Clinic, Camp, Youth and other organized activities remain suspended.
7. Caddy service shall not be available.
8. Restaurants may remain open for take-out service only.
9. In the event that golf course restaurants are open for take-out service, designated signage shall be placed on carts and around the clubhouse with the phone number to call for food orders and an explanation of how to pay, if such service is offered by the facility.
10. Locker rooms shall not be available except for restroom use.
11. There shall be no club storage or retrieval by staff except as required under the Americans with Disabilities Act.

12. Golf Pro Shops shall remain closed. Check-in and payment shall be made at reception in compliance with the CDC Guidelines available at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/social-distancing.html> and in Attachment 1, as amended. Remote check-in and payment procedures are encouraged. At a minimum, separate entry and exit doors shall be designated to facilitate payment.
13. Club Staff should wear protective equipment as recommended by the CDC Guidelines.
14. Tee times shall be maintained at a minimum of 12-minute intervals for purposes of social distancing.
15. Roaming food and beverage carts shall not be allowed.
16. Designated signage shall be placed outside the pro-shop and clubhouse outlining the social distancing and facial covering mandates of the CDC Guidelines.
17. A swimming "noodle" or similar device shall be used to fill the hole, or the cup will be raised an inch above ground to prevent the ball from going in the hole. Players shall be informed not to touch or remove flagsticks from the cups at all times.
18. Rakes in all bunkers shall be removed: the USGA suggests golfers play preferred lie and players to "rake" with their feet.
19. All sand containers, scorecards, pencils, tees, towels, coolers or other shared materials shall be removed from golf carts and only issued to individuals when requested from starter. Where appropriate, such items shall thereafter be discarded after their initial use. Non-disposal items shall be thoroughly disinfected by staff prior to use by subsequent golfers.
20. All ball washers accessible to players will be removed or locked down.
21. When playing, golfers shall practice social distancing per the CDC Guidelines.
22. On-course and club restrooms shall be cleaned and disinfected regularly throughout the day.
23. Soap and water, or hand sanitizer and/or disinfectant wipes, shall be provided in each restroom.

24. All portable water stations shall be removed. Pre-wired water stations may be used to fill water containers. Golfers shall be instructed to use their gloved hand for water access.
25. Golfers shall be instructed to bring their own water and bottles for proper hydration; restrictions are lifted for personal coolers containing water.
26. Golf carts shall be cleaned and disinfected after each round.
27. Players shall not congregate after play. Players shall leave the golf facility immediately upon completion of play.
28. Courses shall distribute course rules and the list of Golfer Responsibilities (Attachment 3b. titled "Golfer Responsibilities") upon check-in.

3b: Golfer Responsibilities

1. Players shall arrive no earlier than 20 minutes prior to tee times.
2. Staff shall not handle bags, clubs, or other equipment, or transport these items to and from parking lot: players will be responsible for bringing their golf equipment to a designated area.
3. Players shall not touch or remove flagsticks from the cups at any time (any putts that hit the swimming "noodle" or similar device used to fill the hole, or the cup, will be considered holed).
4. Rakes in all bunkers shall be removed by golf course staff: the USGA suggests golfers play preferred lie and players to "rake" with their feet.
5. When playing, golfers should maximize physical distance per CDC Guidelines at <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/prevent-getting-sick/social-distancing.html> and attached to Palm Beach County Emergency Order No. 5, including any amendments thereto. All players shall stay at least six (6) feet apart at all times, and a course ranger or other staff member shall monitor player compliance on the course.
6. Play is set-up for walking, single-rider golf cart, or shared cart for families living in the same household. Course staff shall confirm household verification by IDs, supplied by golfers. Shared carts shall be marked and identified by a small colored flag to indicate verified family sharing.
7. Golfers shall bring their own water bottles and personal coolers containing water for proper hydration. On-course beverage cart service shall not be available. When utilizing pre-wired water stations to fill water containers, golfers shall use their gloved hand for water access.
8. Golfers are encouraged to change shoes in the parking lot and bring their own hand sanitizer.
9. All golfers shall not congregate after play and shall leave the golf facility immediately upon completion of play to eliminate congestion and gathering on the property or in the parking lot.

ATTACHMENT 4
PUBLIC PARKS AND NATURAL AREAS REOPENING GUIDELINES

A. Public parks and natural areas reopening guidelines:

1. Public county and municipal parks, and natural areas, with the exception of beach parks, in Palm Beach County shall reopen provided that CDC Guidelines, including all social distancing guidelines, are adhered to.
2. Police, park rangers, and designated staff shall patrol parks and monitor and ensure compliance with physical distancing guidelines.
3. Parks shall follow CDC Guidelines to keep open facilities clean and sanitized. Restroom availability may be limited.
4. Park hours shall be sunrise to sunset unless further modified by appropriate authorities.
5. Natural areas, trails, jogging paths (one-way, unidirectional) are only open for walking, running, strolling, biking, and equestrian riding, where otherwise allowed.
6. Other available amenities such as fishing, canoeing/kayaking, fresh water boat ramps, water skiing, wake boarding, disc golf, canoe, kayak and bicycle rental, are permitted as long as CDC Guidelines, including, but not limited to, social distancing are practiced.

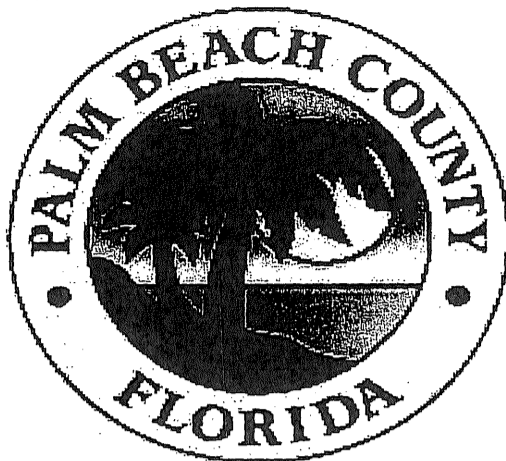
B. Restriction of recreational activities in public parks and natural areas:

1. All park playgrounds, play & exercise equipment shall remain closed.
2. Picnic pavilions shall remain closed.
3. Use of water fountains is prohibited.
4. Basketball courts shall be open for individual practice only. Only three (3) players per half court shall be allowed. Competitive team games are prohibited. Each player must bring his/her basketball and there shall be no shared use of equipment.
5. Tennis and pickle ball courts shall be open for singles play only.
6. Racquetball courts shall be open for individual practice only. Competitive games are prohibited.
7. Dog parks shall remain closed.

8. Indoor events are prohibited. Recreation buildings and gymnasiums shall remain closed.
9. Campgrounds shall remain closed.
10. Skate parks shall remain closed.
11. Field sports are prohibited.
12. Recreational programming, organized sports, or activities are prohibited.
13. Congregating in groups of 10 or more persons is prohibited.
14. Use of shared sports equipment is prohibited.
15. Spectator events are prohibited.
16. Food and beverage concessions are prohibited.

ATTACHMENT 5
TENNIS COURTS AND COMMUNITY POOLS REOPENING GUIDELINES

- A. Tennis Courts:** Tennis and outdoor racquet facilities shall reopen provided that CDC Guidelines, including all social distancing guidelines, are adhered to. In addition, the following restrictions shall apply:
1. Singles play only is permitted. No congregating on the court or sidelines is permitted.
 2. Locker room and shower facilities shall remain closed. Restrooms must be cleaned and disinfected regularly throughout the day. Soap and water or hand sanitizer and/or disinfectant wipes shall be provided in each restroom.
 3. It is the responsibility of staff or management to ensure compliance with this order
- B. Community Pools:** Community pools shall reopen provided that CDC Guidelines, including all social distancing guidelines, are adhered to. In addition, the following restrictions shall apply:
1. Pool capacity shall be limited to ensure that social distancing in accordance with CDC Guidelines is maintained at all times.
 2. Locker room and shower facilities shall remain closed. Restrooms shall be cleaned and disinfected regularly throughout the day. Soap and water or hand sanitizer and/or disinfectant wipes shall be provided in each restroom.
 3. Pool deck seating or lounging shall be restricted to ensure social distancing in accordance with CDC Guidelines.
 4. One or more facility staff or management must be present at each facility location to monitor and ensure compliance with the restrictions within this order.



**DECLARATION OF CONTINUING STATE OF EMERGENCY
PALM BEACH COUNTY, FLORIDA**

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, Palm Beach County declared a local State of Emergency due to the Coronavirus pandemic which was renewed on March 19, 2020 and expired on March 20, 2020 unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, effective on March 20, 2020, Palm Beach County issued a Declaration of Continuing State of Emergency due to the Coronavirus pandemic which expired on March 27, 2020, unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of March 27, 2020, by seven days which expired on April 3, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on April 3, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 3, 2020, by seven days which expired on April 10, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on April 10, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 10, 2020, by seven days which expired on April 17, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on April 17, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 17, 2020, by seven days which expired on April 24, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, on April 24, 2020, Palm Beach County extended the State of Emergency effective date of April 24, 2020, by seven days which will expire on May 1, 2020; unless extended in 7 day increments pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and

WHEREAS, the local emergency is continuing, and it is necessary to continue the local state of emergency for an additional seven days.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DECLARED that pursuant to Palm Beach County Code Article II, Section 9-35;

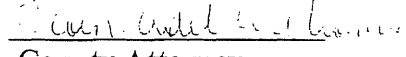
1. The foregoing recitals are incorporated herein by reference.
2. The Palm Beach County State of Emergency Declaration is hereby extended by 7 days pursuant to Section 252.38(3)(a)(5), Florida Statutes; and shall continue in full force and effect through May 8, 2020.
3. This Declaration shall expire at the date and time set forth herein unless further extended or terminated by the Board of County Commissioners, the Mayor, Vice Mayor or County Administrator as permitted in the Palm Beach County Code.
4. This Declaration shall be filed with the Clerk of the Court.

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PALM BEACH COUNTY

APPROVED AS TO
LEGAL SUFFICIENCY

By: 
Mayor Dave Kerner

By: 
County Attorney

Date: 05/11/20

ATTEST
CLERK & COMPTROLLER

By: 
Deputy Clerk