

RESOLUTION NO. 78-20

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF DELRAY BEACH, FLORIDA, CONFIRMING A DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY; AMENDING RESOLUTION 75-20 IN ORDER TO EXTEND CLOSURES OF NONESSENTIAL COMMERCIAL AND RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS AND CLOSURES OF PARKS, BEACHES, AND RECREATIONAL FACILITIES; PROVIDING A CONFLICTS CLAUSE AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, a State of Emergency in the City of Delray Beach was proclaimed by the City Commission on March 13, 2020 due to the spread of the Novel Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19); and

WHEREAS, conditions arising from COVID-19 continue to seriously affect the safety and security of the lives of the residents of the City of Delray Beach and the public at large; and

WHEREAS, Resolution 75-20, executed by the City Manager on March 20, 2020 mandated closures of non-essential commercial and retail establishments as well as publicly owned and privately-owned parks, beaches and recreational facilities until March 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, as the spread of COVID-19 continues and in order to continue to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the residents of the City of Delray Beach and the public at large, it is necessary to extend the closures referenced in Resolution 75-20 ; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 95 of the City of Delray Beach Code of Ordinances authorizes the City Manager to take necessary measures in order to protect the health, safety and welfare of the citizens of Delray Beach and the public at large.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF DELRAY BEACH, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. A declaration of a State of Emergency proclaimed on March 13, 2020 is hereby confirmed.

Section 2. All non-essential retail and commercial establishments shall remain closed until 11:59 p.m. on April 16, 2020. This section amends and supersedes Resolution 75-20, section 8.

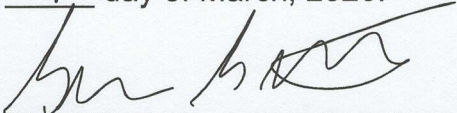
Section 3. All parks, beaches, and recreational facilities in the City of Delray Beach shall remain closed. This Resolution shall apply to both publicly owned and privately-owned parks, beaches and recreational facilities. This resolution does not apply to parks, beaches, and recreational facilities under the jurisdiction of the State of Florida and the federal government. This section amends and supersedes Resolution 75-20,

section 8.

Section 4. This resolution does not affect or limit the operations of Palm Beach County, the Palm Beach County School District, or any State or Federal office or facility.

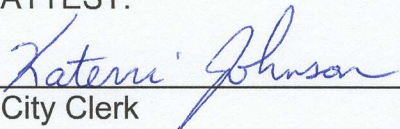
Section 5. All parts of Resolution 75-20 not expressly amended herein remain in full force and effect.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this the 28th day of March, 2020.



George Gretsas, City Manager

ATTEST:



Katerini Johnson
City Clerk