



CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH DECLARATION OF STATE OF EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, Governor Ron Desantis signed Executive Order 20-51, in response to the anticipated danger from the public health threat of COVID-19 (also known as Coronavirus); and

WHEREAS, Sections 1.01, 3.04, and 6.05 of the City's Charter and Chapter 252, Florida Statutes, provide authority for a political subdivision such as the City of Hallandale Beach to declare a State of Local Emergency and to waive the procedures and formalities otherwise required of political subdivisions by law pertaining to:

1. Performance of public work and taking whatever action is necessary to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of the community;
2. Entering into contracts;
3. Incurring obligations
4. Employment of permanent and temporary workers;
5. Utilization of volunteer workers;
6. Rental of equipment;
7. Acquisition and distribution of materials and supplies.;
8. Appropriation and expenditure of public funds, including the use of purchase cards as necessary for purchases above administrative limits.

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the City of Hallandale Beach Florida:

Section 1. Declaration of Local Emergency. As a result of the public health threat that has been identified as COVID-19, the City Manager is authorized to do all things reasonable and necessary to effectuate the emergency procedures and to take action as authorized in the City's Code of Ordinance and Florida Statue 252

Section 2. Effective Date. The state of emergency shall be initiated by this declaration, and the state of emergency shall continue until the Mayor and City Manager find that the threat or danger no longer exists and/or until an emergency meeting of a quorum of the City Commission or a regular meeting can take place and terminate the state of emergency by resolution. This declaration of emergency is limited to seven days in duration and may be extended, as necessary, in seven day increments. Executive Order issued by the State of Florida and Broward County emergency management agencies pertaining to the above described event shall be followed and implemented with the City, as applicable.

ISSUED THIS 9th DAY OF MARCH 2020, HALLANDALE BEACH, BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA.

BY:

Mayor, Joy R. Cooper

Greg Chavarria, City Manager