



ORDER No. 20-14

(Cancellation of City Curfew)

LOCAL EMERGENCY MEASURES IMPLEMENTED BY THE CITY MANAGER OF THE CITY OF MIAMI, FLORIDA

WHEREAS, under the provisions of law and Sections 252.31 - 252.60, Florida Statutes, Mayor Francis X. Suarez of the City of Miami declared on March 12, 2020 that a State of Local Emergency exists within the City of Miami, Miami-Dade County, Florida in response to the Novel Coronavirus ("COVID-19"); and

WHEREAS, on March 17, 2020, March 24, 2020, March 31, 2020, April 7, 2020, and April 14, 2020, April 21, 2020, April 28, 2020, May 5, 2020, May 12, 2020, May 19, 2020, and May 26, 2020, City of Miami Mayor Francis X. Suarez declared extensions to the State of Local Emergency in response to COVID-19 in and for the City of Miami, Florida; and

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2020, Florida Governor Ron DeSantis promulgated Executive Order 20-52 and declared a State of Emergency in Florida in response to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 20-52, Section (4)(D)(1) provides that each municipality in the State of Florida is authorized to waive the procedures and formalities otherwise required of the political subdivision by law pertaining to the taking of whatever prudent action is necessary to ensure the public's health, safety, and welfare; and

WHEREAS, COVID-19 is a natural emergency whose increasing effects are being felt within the City of Miami and that on account thereof, there is reason to believe that it

is necessary to take whatever prudent action is necessary to ensure the health, safety, and welfare of the City of Miami; and

WHEREAS, the effects of COVID-19 continue to require extraordinary and immediate actions by the City of Miami in order to protect the public's health, safety, and welfare, but there are positive signs that the curve has flattened and the City can cautiously begin a phased reopening; and

WHEREAS, on March 24, 2020, the City Manager issued Local Emergency Measures Order 20-04 ordering all persons to shelter in place and this order was recently superseded by Local Emergency Measures Order 20-11 which began the phased reopening of the City; and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2020, the Miami City Commission adopted Resolution No. R-20-0087 to direct the City Manager to promulgate and implement Local Emergency Measures for the purpose of establishing a general curfew throughout the City of Miami and providing for exceptions; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor, and the Miami City Commission determined that there was a potential for an act of violence or a flagrant and substantial defiance of or resistance to a lawful exercise of public authority, and that, partly on account thereof, there is reason to believe that there exists a clear and present danger of a riot or other general public disorder, widespread disobedience of the law, and substantial injury to persons or to health, safety, welfare or protection of persons, or damage to property, all of which constitutes a threat to public peace or order and to the general welfare of the city or a part or parts thereof; and

WHEREAS, on May 30, 2020, the City Manager promulgated Local Emergency Measures Order 20-13 to establish a curfew in the City of Miami after the City experienced several protests that went from peaceful to violent and destructive; and

WHEREAS, the curfew has been effective in reducing public disorder and damage to property and it appears that a continued curfew is no longer necessary moving forward;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Arthur Noriega V, City Manager of the City of Miami, County of Miami-Dade, State of Florida, acting under the authority granted to municipalities by Florida Statutes Sections 252.38, et seq., 501.160, and Executive Order Number 20-52 promulgated by Governor Ron DeSantis on March 9, 2020, the authority granted to me by Section 4(g)(3) of the Charter of the City of Miami, Florida, as amended, by Chapter 45 of the Code of the City of Miami, Florida, as amended, and by Chapter 8A-5 of the Miami Dade County Code, and in addition to the Local Emergency Measures I have previously ordered, hereby **ORDER** and promulgate the following additional Local Emergency Measures for the City of Miami **effective immediately**:

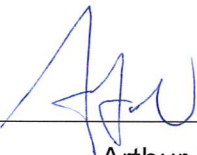
I. CURFEW

1. Local Emergency Measures Order 20-13 is cancelled and the general curfew is hereby lifted **immediately**.

II. CANCELLATION OF PREVIOUS ORDER.

1. Local Emergency Measures Order 20-04, as amended, is cancelled.
2. All prior Local Emergency Measures Orders related to COVID-19 shall remain in effect.

This Local Emergency Measure shall take effect **immediately**.



Arthur Noriega V, City Manager
City of Miami, Florida

Date: June 1, 2020

Time: 3:48 PM