



ORDER NO. 20-16

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

WHEREAS, under Home Rule Powers under Article VIII, Section 2(b) of the Florida Constitution, and Section 166.021, Florida Statutes, 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 28, 2020, May 5, 2020, May 12, 2020, May 19, 2020, May, 26, 2020, June 2, 2020, June 9, 2020, June 16, 2020, and June 23, 2020, in accordance with the provisions of Section 252.38(3)(a), Florida Statutes, 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, 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; and

WHEREAS, on June 19, 2020, Florida Governor Ron DeSantis expressly stated that the State of Florida will not overrule local governments when it comes to requiring masks to be worn in public and that he will allow local governments to make decisions that work for them; and

WHEREAS, on June 20, 2020, Scott A. Rivkees, M.D., as State Surgeon General and State Health Officer, issued A Public Health Advisory that "all individuals in Florida should wear face coverings in any setting where social distancing is not possible"; 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, as COVID-19 hospitalizations, use of ventilators and deaths have increased in South Florida, it is necessary and appropriate for the City of Miami to take action to ensure that COVID-19 does not continue to spread and that the residents and employees of the City remain safe and secure; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Section 10 of Miami-Dade County Emergency Order 23-20, the City of Miami can impose more stringent standards within the City of Miami than are set forth in the County Emergency Order 23-20; and

WHEREAS, notwithstanding the provisions of this City of Miami Local Emergency Measures Order, the City of Miami and its residents are subject to all remaining State of Florida, Miami-Dade County, and City of Miami emergency orders;

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, and Executive Order 20-114, executed on May 8, 2020, extending Executive Order 20-52 an additional 60 days, Miami-Dade County Executive Orders, as well as the authority granted to me by Section 4(g)(3) of the Charter 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. FACIAL COVERING IN PUBLIC REQUIRED, EXCEPTIONS.

- A. As used in this Order, the term "Facial Covering" shall have the meaning set forth in Miami-Dade County Emergency Order 20-20, as amended.
- B. All persons in the City of Miami are required to wear a Facial Covering at all times while in any public space.
- C. Exceptions. The following persons are not required to wear a Facial Covering:
1. A child under two years of age;
 2. An individual who has one or more medical conditions or disabilities that prevent wearing a Facial Covering;
 3. An individual who is obtaining a service involving the nose or face for which temporary removal of the Facial Covering is necessary to perform the service;
 4. An individual who works in a profession where use of a Facial Covering will not be compatible with the duties of the profession;
 5. An individual who is engaged in outdoor work or exercise with appropriate social distancing in place;
 6. An individual who is eating or drinking; and
 7. An individual who is hearing-impaired or an individual who is communicating with an individual who is hearing-impaired.

The above Local Emergency Measures shall take effect immediately upon the signature of the City Manager. All requirements of this Local Emergency Measure, Miami-Dade County Emergency Orders, and State of Florida Executive Orders shall be strictly adhered to at all times and enforceable pursuant to Florida Statutes and the Code of the City of Miami.



Arthur Noriega V, City Manager
City of Miami, Florida

Date: 6-26-20

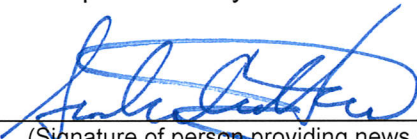
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NOTICE OF ORDER 20-16 DECLARATION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY MEASURES

Under the provisions of law and §§ 252.31 - 252.60, Florida Statutes, the Mayor of the City of Miami declared on March 12, 2020, that a State of Local Emergency continues to exist and declared an extension to the State of Local Emergency within the City of Miami, Miami-Dade County, Florida for an additional period of seven (7) days on March 17, March 24, March 31, April 7, April 14, April 21, April 28, May 5, May 12, 2020, May 19, 2020, May 26, 2020, June 2, 2020, June 9, 2020, June 16, 2020 and June 23, 2020, in accordance with the authority granted to municipalities pursuant to Executive Order Number 20-52 promulgated by Governor Ron DeSantis on March 9, 2020, and the extension thereof pursuant to Executive Order 20-114 executed on May 8, 2020, there is reason to believe that there continues to exist a clear and present danger of substantial injury to the health, safety, and welfare of persons or to property, all of which constitute an imminent threat to public peace and order and to the general welfare of this City and, therefore, the *attached* Local Emergency Measures are necessary and are hereby promulgated.

All persons within the City of Miami are advised to become informed as to the contents of the attached Local Emergency Measures Order No. 20-16 and to keep informed as to the issuance of further Local Supplementary Emergency Orders. Any violations of previously promulgated Local Emergency Measures will subject persons to arrest and conviction thereof to the penalties as provided by law.



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