

CITY OF NORTH MIAMI

**EMERGENCY ORDER ADOPTING MIAMI-DADE COUNTY EMERGENCY ORDER
27-20 IMPOSING A CURFEW FROM 10 P.M. TO 6 A.M.**

(EFFECTIVE FRIDAY, JULY 3, 2020)

WHEREAS, COVID-19 is a respiratory illness caused by a virus that spreads rapidly from person to person and may result in serious illness or death, and constitutes a clear and present threat to the lives, health, welfare, and safety of the people of the City of North 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, on Friday, March 13, 2020, the City of North Miami, declared a state of emergency which, among other requirements, imposed emergency measures effective immediately; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 252.46, Florida Statutes, municipalities have the power to issue emergency orders with the force of law; and

WHEREAS, subsections (e) and (o) of section 8B-7(2) of the Code of Miami-Dade County, Florida, authorize the County Mayor to issue a curfew and to limit the movement of persons inside Miami-Dade County at essential establishments in order to safeguard life and health; and

WHEREAS, the Code of Miami-Dade County also grants the County Mayor the authority to impose a curfew while there is a Declaration of a Local State of Emergency in effect; and

WHEREAS, the County Mayor find that a curfew is necessary to safeguard life and health,

WHEREAS, on July 3, 2020, the County Mayor issued Order 27-20 imposing a curfew in both incorporated and unincorporated areas; and

WHEREAS, it is necessary and appropriate to take action to ensure that COVID-19 remains controlled, and that residents in the City of North Miami remain safe and secure.

Now, therefore, I, Theresa Therilus, Esq., City Manager, by virtue of the power vested in me by the North Miami Code of Ordinances pursuant to the state of emergency that was executed on Friday, March 13, 2020, I hereby adopt Miami-Dade County Emergency Order 27-20 attached hereto as Exhibit "A", and **ORDER** and **PROMULGATE** the following additional emergency measures, effective **July 3, 2020** (the "Order"):

1. Commencing on July 3, 2020, a curfew is hereby imposed for all of the City of North Miami, effective from 10 p.m. each night through 6 a.m. the next morning, until cancelled or revised. During the period of such curfew, no person shall make use of any street or sidewalk for any purpose, except police, fire rescue, first responder, medical, health care, media, and utility repair service personnel. In addition, the curfew shall not apply to persons:

- a) Working at essential establishments listed in attached "Exhibit A";
- b) Returning directly to their homes from work at essential establishments or going directly to work at essential establishments from their homes;
- c) Making deliveries from essential establishments; and
- d) Walking their dogs within 250 feet of their residences.

2. This order does not affect or limit the operations of Miami-Dade County, any public utility, any municipality, the Miami-Dade County School District, or any State or Federal office or facility, except that such entities shall abide by the restrictions of any County, Municipal, State or Federal emergency order, as applicable.

3. This order shall expire upon the expiration of the existing State of Local Emergency, except that if such State of Local Emergency is extended, this order shall also be deemed to extend for the duration of such extension. This order may be cancelled earlier by either the action of the County Mayor, the City Manager or the City Council.

THE EMERGENCY MEASURES THAT HAVE BEEN ORDERED AND PROMULGATED ABOVE SHALL BE EFFECTIVE JULY 3, 2020 UPON EXECUTION UNTIL RESCINDED BY THE CITY MANAGER OR UNTIL THE TERMINATION OF THE STATE OF EMERGENCY.

Dated: 7/3/2020

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 Vanessa Joseph, Esq., City Clerk

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