

ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER OF THE CITY OF ST. AUGUSTINE, FLORIDA

RELATING TO PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY 20-51 (COVID)

COSA ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER No. 2020- 03

Consistent with the Governor of Florida's Executive Order No. 20-51, as extended, modified, or amended, under the authority granted by the City of St. Augustine's Charter, Article IV, Division 4, and pursuant to Resolution 2020-10, the City Manager, or the Assistant City Manager as designated by the City Charter, or their designee, may make administrative orders and rules that have the full force and effect of local law during the pendency of a federal, state or local emergency or public health emergency. All existing laws, ordinances, and rules inconsistent with the provisions of sections 252.31-252.90, Florida Statutes, or identified as inconsistent with the directives of the State Health Officer and Surgeon General pursuant to their authority under Chapter 381, Florida Statutes, shall be suspended during the period of time and to the extent that such conflict exists. The City Manager, Assistant City Manager, or their designee, may issue administrative orders in support of these public health emergency directives to provide more efficient and orderly preparedness and recovery. Consistent with public health emergency directives of the State of Florida, the City Manager or designee may waive the procedures and formalities otherwise required, when reasonably necessary to preserve the health and welfare of the public.

This Administrative Order specifically authorizes the following, which goes into effect at 5:00pm:

- 1. From the office of the Governor
 - a. Pursuant to Executive Order 20-68, restaurants will operate at 50% of their current building occupancy, while ensuring a 6-foot distance between any group of patrons and limiting parties to no more than 10 individuals, and food-service employees will complete a Coronavirus screening
 - Pursuant to Executive Order 20-68, Bars, Pubs and Nightclubs will not be permitted to sell alcoholic beverages for consumption on premises that derive more than 50% of its gross revenue from the sale of alcohol, for the next 30 days
- 2. From the office of the City Manager
 - a. In addition to the above limits, alcohol consumption on premises is prohibited at all licensed and commercial establishments for the next 30 days
 - b. Tour trains and trolley operations will suspend all ride services for the next 15 days
 - c. All private social events and gatherings shall follow the <u>recommendations of the CDC</u> regarding social distancing.

Any administrative action taken on or after the effective date of Resolution 2020-10, is hereby ratified.

This Administrative Order shall expire thirty days from the effective date of Executive Order No. 20-51, as it may be extended, modified, or amended from time to time.

Filed in the office of the City Clerk, of the City of St. Augustine, this ___17____day of __ March_, 2020.

John P. Regan, P.E., City Manager

ATTEST:

Darlene Galambos, City Clerk

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