

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the Tempe City Charter authorizes the declaration of an emergency affecting the life, health, property or the public peace of the City of Tempe; and the Tempe City Council by way of Emergency Ordinance No. O2020.07, declared an emergency on March 18, 2020, authorizing the Mayor to rule by proclamation to enact measures to ensure the public peace, health, safety, or general welfare of the community; and

WHEREAS, Arizona law authorizes the Mayor of the City of Tempe, Arizona, to proclaim the existence or threatened existence of a local emergency when the City of Tempe is or may be affected by a public calamity under AR.S. § 26-311, in addition to powers granted by other provisions of law or the Charter; and

WHEREAS, on January 30, 2020, the World Health Organization declared the COVID-19 virus a public health emergency of international concern and Arizona Governor Douglas Ducey declared a state of emergency for the State of Arizona on March 11, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the COVID-19 outbreak constitutes an immediate threat to life, public health, safety, welfare and economic viability, the City of Tempe has taken measures to protect the health and safety of our residents, community and employees, from the rapidly evolving threat to public health, safety and welfare; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to the State of Arizona's Executive Orders and at the recommendation of the state's public health officials, the City of Tempe shall continue its efforts to further limit potential exposure through a policy of physical distancing to slow the spread of the COVID-19 virus while maintaining social connections as residents return to certain activities; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to Executive Order Nos. 2020-33 and 2020-34, Governor Ducey has authorized certain retailers to resume operations in a limited capacity while still directing people to stay home to the extent possible.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED THAT DUE TO THE LOCAL EMERGENCY THAT EXISTS IN THE CITY OF TEMPE, ARIZONA FROM THE COVID-19 VIRUS OUTBREAK IT IS HEREBY ORDERED WITHIN THE CITY OF TEMPE:

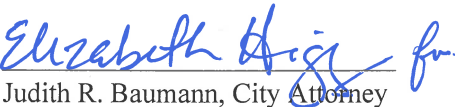
The Proclamation of the Mayor of the City of Tempe dated March 19, 2020 which closed the following: on-premises dining in restaurants, nightclubs except for services of delivery or curbside pick-up options; recreational and entertainment venues; and gymnasiums, fitness centers and work-out studios is rescinded, effective immediately. The Proclamation of the Mayor of the City of Tempe dated May 8, 2020, which amended the March 19, 2020 proclamation is also rescinded, effective immediately.

PROCLAIMED at 1:58p.m. this 15 day of May 2020.


Mark W. Mitchell, Mayor

ATTEST:

Carla R. Reece, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Judith R. Baumann, City Attorney

