

RESOLUTION 2020 - 11

TOWN OF COLLIERVILLE, TENNESSEE  
DECLARATION OF LOCAL STATE OF EMERGENCY

BY

COLLIERVILLE MAYOR STAN JOYNER

MARCH 20, 2020

WHEREAS, Coronavirus Disease 2019 (“COVID-19”) is a communicable respiratory disease frequently spread through close contact between persons that can lead to serious illness or death, particularly in the case of elderly adults and persons with serious chronic medical conditions; and,

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization declared the COVID-19 outbreak a global pandemic; and,

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, the President of the United States declared a national state of emergency in response to the COVID-19 pandemic; and,

WHEREAS, in consideration of the COVID-19 pandemic and the health, safety and welfare of the residents of Collierville, it is in the public interest that a Local State of Emergency be declared by the Mayor of Collierville, Tennessee, pursuant to the authority of Tennessee Code Annotated Section 58-8-110(3) (A), and such other authority granted by law vested in the Mayor of Collierville, Tennessee for the protection of the public health, safety and welfare;

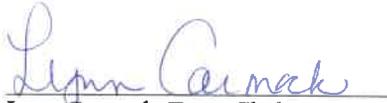
NOW THEREFORE, I, Stan Joyner, Mayor of the Town of Collierville, Tennessee, by virtue of the power and authority vested to me, do hereby direct and order the following:

- Section 1. A State of Emergency is hereby declared for the area within the corporate boundary of Collierville, Tennessee.
- Section 2. The duration of this State of Emergency will commence on March 20, 2020 and continue until March 27, 2020, or until rescinded but shall be limited to seven (7) days unless it is necessary to extend it by Executive Order for additional seven (7) day increments as permitted by law.
- Section 3. The following establishments are to be closed for on-site consumption by members of the public, effective Midnight March 20, 2020:
  - a. Restaurants, food courts, cafes, coffeehouses, and other establishments whose primary business is offering food or beverage for on-premises consumption; including the sale or serving of alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption
- Section 4. Nothing in this Order shall prevent establishments subject to this Order from providing food and non-alcoholic beverage delivery services, window service, walk-up service, drive-through service, or drive-up service, and to use precautions in doing so to mitigate the potential transmission of COVID-19, including social distancing. In offering food or non-alcoholic beverage, an establishment subject to this order may allow up to ten members of the public at one time in the establishment for the purpose of picking up food or non-alcoholic beverage orders, so long as those individuals are at least six feet apart from one another while on premises.
- Section 5. This order does not prohibit an employee, contractor, vendor, or supplier of subject establishments from entering, exiting, using or occupying that establishment in their professional capacity.

- Section 6. The restrictions imposed by this Order do not apply to any of the following:
- a. Grocery stores, pharmacies, convenience stores, gas stations, retail stores and charitable food distribution sites to the extent they sell or distribute prepared food. However, on site consumption of food or beverage within these facilities is prohibited.
  - b. Health care facilities, residential care facilities, crisis shelters or similar facilities.
- Section 7. All gyms and exercise and fitness facilities within the Town of Collierville are to close effective at Midnight on March 20, 2020.
- Section 8. All movie theatres located within the Town of Collierville are to close effective at Midnight on March 20, 2020.
- Section 9. The Town of Collierville Police Department is authorized to enforce and close those businesses within the Town of Collierville in violation of this Order.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, by authority vested in me, I have here unto set my hand and signed this Executive Order this 20th day of March, 2020.

  
Stan Joyner, Mayor

Attest:   
Lynn Carmack, Town Clerk