



**CITY COUNCIL AGENDA**

**MARCH 24, 2020**

**EMERGENCY meeting 5:30PM**

CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, CITY HALL  
 29592 ELLENSBURG AVE  
 GOLD BEACH OR 97444

**THIS EMERGENCY MEETING WILL BE HELD VIA TELECONFERENCE.**

**Call in #: 351-888-7947 mtg PIN 4958**

Call to order:            Time: \_\_\_\_\_

- 1.     **The pledge of allegiance**
- 2.     **Roll Call:**

Members	Present	Absent
Mayor Karl Popoff		
Council Position #1 Summer Matteson		
Council Position #2 Larry Brennan		
<b>Council Position #3 Anthony Pagano BEGINNING VOTE</b>		
Council Position #4 Becky Campbell		
Council Position #5 Tamie Kaufman		
City Administrator Jodi Fritts		

- 3.     **Special Orders of Business:**
  - a.     Discussion of Governor’s Executive order 20-12 adopted March 23<sup>rd</sup>
  - b.     Discussion of emergency declarations from other coastal communities
  - c.     Discussion of Rep David Brock Smith resolution from Coastal Caucus  
           Adopted version of DBS resolution by Curry County
  - d.     Discussion possible City emergency declaration

- 4.     **Consent Calendar:**  
        *None Scheduled*

- 5.     **Citizens Comments**  
        *As presented to the Mayor at the beginning of the meeting*

- 6.     **Public Hearing**  
        *None Scheduled*

- 7.     **Citizen Requested Agenda Items**  
        *None Scheduled*

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**8. Public Contracts and Purchasing**

*None Scheduled*

**9. Ordinances & Resolutions**

**DUE TO THE EMERGENCY NATURE OF THIS MEETING STAFF PREPARED DRAFT RESOLUTION THAT MAY/MAY NOT BE ADOPTED BY COUNCIL AFTER EMERGENCY DISCUSSIONS EARLIER IN MEETING**

- a. Resolution R1920-10 Declaring a City Wide Emergency
- b. Resolution R1920-11 REQUESTING GOVERNOR KATE BROWN’S IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE TO PROTECT THE HEALTH, LIFE, AND SAFETY OF THE RESIDENTS OF GOLD BEACH (suggested resolution from Rep David Brock Smith)
- c. *Possible Resolution R1920-12 to ensure public safety in Gold Beach (possible version of northern coastal cities to be discussed at meeting)*

**10. Miscellaneous Items (including policy discussions and determinations)**

- a. City Management Staff response to various state declarations

**11. City Administrator’s Report**

*To be presented at meeting*

**12. Mayor and Council Member Comments**

- a. Mayor Karl Popoff
- b. Councilors
  - 1) Summer Matteson
  - 2) Larry Brennan
  - 3) Anthony Pagano
  - 4) Becky Campbell
  - 5) Tamie Kaufman

**13. Citizens Comments**

*As permitted by the Mayor*

**14. Executive Session**

*None Scheduled*

**EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 2019 THE GOLD BEACH CITY COUNCIL REGULAR MONTHLY MEETINGS WILL BE HELD ON THE FIRST MONDAY OF THE MONTH**

The next regularly scheduled City Council meeting is the **Monday, April 6, 2020, at 6:30PM** in the Council Chambers of City Hall, 29592 Ellensburg Avenue, Gold Beach, Oregon.

**15. Adjourn Time: \_\_\_\_\_**

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# **SPECIAL ORDERS OF BUSINESS**



## **GOLD BEACH CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT**

Agenda Item No. **3 a.**  
Council Meeting Date: March 24, 2020

### **TITLE: Governor's Executive Order 20-12**

#### **SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND:**

In response to the coronavirus COVID19 pandemic several sweeping executive orders have been adopted by Governor Brown to stop the spread of the disease in Oregon. Executive Order 20-12 adopted March 23<sup>rd</sup> tightens social distancing measures, announced additional business closures, and strongly urged Oregonians to Stay Home, Save Lives. The press release and order are attached. The Executive Order directly relates to the rest of the agenda items.

*For the sake of brevity and speed in preparing this packet, City management staff measures in response to the EO 20-12 are attached in the Misc section. A separate report will not be prepared but the measures will be discussed at the meeting. Copies of notices going into effect March 24<sup>th</sup> City wide are attached in the Misc section.*



STATE OF OREGON  
Office of the Governor  
**KATE BROWN**

**NEWS RELEASE**

**March 23, 2020**

**Media Contact:**  
[Charles Boyle](#), 503-931-7773

## **Governor Kate Brown Tightens Social Distancing Measures, Tells Oregonians to “Stay Home, Save Lives”**

*Updated orders for individuals, businesses, public organizations, and outdoor spaces to prevent COVID-19 spread*

(Portland, OR)—Governor Kate Brown today issued [Executive Order 20-12](#), directing everyone in Oregon to stay at home to the maximum extent possible and adding to the list of businesses that will be temporarily closed to stem the spread of COVID-19 in Oregon. The order is effective immediately, and remains in effect until ended by the Governor.

“We are learning more about this virus and how people react to it every day. Not just from a medical standpoint, but from a social and behavioral standpoint.

“I started by asking Oregonians to stay home and practice social distancing. Then I urged the public to follow these recommendations. Instead, thousands crowded the beaches of our coastal communities, our trails, our parks, and our city streets, potentially spreading COVID-19 and endangering the lives of others across the state. Now, I’m ordering it. To save lives and protect our community.

“Today, I am issuing a new executive order further requiring social distancing measures because we know this is the most effective way to flatten the curve and slow the spread of this virus. I hope everyone in Oregon abides by its core message: stay home unless absolutely necessary.

“Staying home both keeps you safe from infection, and ensures you do not unknowingly infect others.

“We’ve already put a number of measures forward specifically aimed at increasing hospital capacity, such as cutting down on non-emergency care so we conserve masks, gloves, and gowns to save the lives of the health care workers who are working so hard to save others. All of these things add up, and by slowing the infection rate, we preserve hospital beds so that there will be one available if and when you need it.

“None of us have ever been through this before, and that means there is no way to know exactly what lies ahead. We don’t know yet when this outbreak will end, or what changes this will bring for our state and for our country. But I want to make sure that we’ve done all we can to end it as quickly as possible.”

About the order:

- All non-essential social and recreational gatherings of individuals are prohibited immediately, regardless of size, if a distance of at least six feet between individuals cannot be maintained. Gatherings of members of the same residential household are permitted.
- It closes and prohibits shopping at specific categories of retail businesses, for which close personal contact is difficult to avoid, such as arcades, barber shops, hair salons, gyms and fitness studios, skating rinks, theaters, and yoga studios.
- It requires businesses not closed by the order to implement social distancing policies in order to remain open, and requires workplaces to implement teleworking and work-at-home options when possible.
- It directs Oregonians to stay home whenever possible, while permitting activities outside the home when social distance is maintained.
- It closes playgrounds, sports courts, and skate parks, among other types of outdoor recreation facilities. Those that remain open are required to strictly adhere to social distancing guidelines.
- It outlines new guidelines for child care facilities, setting limits and rules on amounts of children allowed in care, and outlining that child care groups may not change participants.
- Failure to comply with the order will be considered an immediate danger to public health and subject to a Class C misdemeanor.

Following this order will save lives, while still allowing businesses to function if they can protect employees and customers through social distancing. While many businesses and organizations that are heavily dependent on foot traffic and in-person interactions have already closed or will close under the expanded order, other businesses that make robust plans to meet social distancing requirements—and enforce those requirements—may remain in operation, preserving jobs while ensuring health.

This distinction from closing all businesses except for those categorized as essential as mandated in other states, aims to minimize unintended consequences and add clarity for businesses who can adjust their business models to accommodate vital social distancing measures.

“This order is designed to flatten the curve over the coming weeks, preserving scarce hospital space and equipment. It will also ensure that any place of business that remains operational does its part to enforce social distancing rules,” said Governor Brown. “It is designed to be more sustainable over time, to allow Oregonians to keep their jobs when their work does not add to the growth of COVID-19 in Oregon.”

Retail businesses closed by Executive Order 20-12 include:

- Shopping: Outdoor and indoor malls and retail complexes, although individual types of businesses not subject to the measures may stay open.
- Fitness: Gyms, sports and fitness centers, health clubs, and exercise studios
- Grooming: Barbershops, beauty and nail salons, and non-medical wellness spas
- Entertainment: Theaters, amusement parks, arcades, bowling alleys, and pool halls

Other retail businesses will not be able to continue to operate unless they can implement strict social distancing measures and designate an employee or officer charged with ensuring compliance. Retail businesses able to adapt to take-out style shopping experiences can also remain open. If businesses can have employees work from home, then they must do so. Many of the businesses outlined in the order have voluntarily closed their doors already, to do their part to protect Oregon’s communities. In addition, non-retail businesses like manufacturers and the construction industry must ensure that their employees are maintaining social distancing measures.

**Please read the full details on all businesses listed in the [executive order here](#).**

In addition to businesses, Executive Order 20-12 also orders state executive branch offices and buildings to close to the public and provide public services by phone to the extent possible. When public services require in-person interactions, the order requires social distancing measures to be implemented and enforced. State agencies must also facilitate telework and work-at-home for state employees whenever possible. While the order does not apply to local, federal, or tribal governments, those governments are strongly encouraged to follow these directives.

The order also directs state agencies to close parks and other outdoor spaces where social distancing cannot be maintained—expanding on actions already taken by the

Oregon Parks and Recreation Department.

All coronavirus executive orders will be posted on the [Oregon Coronavirus Information and Resources Page](#) after they have been issued and signed.

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**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 20-12**

**STAY HOME, SAVE LIVES: ORDERING OREGONIANS TO STAY AT HOME, CLOSING SPECIFIED RETAIL BUSINESSES, REQUIRING SOCIAL DISTANCING MEASURES FOR OTHER PUBLIC AND PRIVATE FACILITIES, AND IMPOSING REQUIREMENTS FOR OUTDOOR AREAS AND LICENSED CHILDCARE FACILITIES**

On February 28, 2020, I appointed the State of Oregon's Coronavirus Response Team.

On February 29, 2020, the Department of Human Services issued strict guidelines, restricting visitation at congregated care facilities, including nursing homes.

On March 2, 2020, the State of Oregon Emergency Coordination Center was activated.

On March 8, 2020, I declared an emergency under ORS 401.165 *et seq.* due to the public health threat posed by the novel infectious coronavirus (COVID-19).

On March 12, 2020, I prohibited gatherings of 250 or more people, and announced a statewide closure of Oregon K-12 schools from March 16, 2020, through March 31, 2020.

On March 13, 2020, the President of the United States declared the COVID-19 outbreak a national emergency.

On March 16, 2020, the Department of Human Services imposed its most recent protective measures to restrict visitors to long-term care facilities and other residential facilities. The Oregon Health Authority has adopted similar measures at the Oregon State Hospital and other behavioral health settings and has limited admissions to the Oregon State Hospital. The Oregon Department of Corrections has suspended all visits to state prisons.

On March 17, 2020, I prohibited gatherings of 25 or more people, banned on-site consumption of food and drink at food establishments statewide, and extending school closures until April 28, 2020. I also encouraged all businesses not subject to the prohibitions to implement social distancing protocols.

On March 18, 2020, I suspended in-person instructional activities at higher education institutions through April 28, 2020.





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On March 19, 2020, I ordered the postponement of non-urgent health care procedures, in order to conserve personal protective equipment and hospital beds for the state's COVID-19 emergency response efforts. I also directed the Oregon Health Authority to provide guidance regarding limitations and screening for visitors to hospitals and ambulatory surgical centers.

COVID-19 may cause respiratory disease leading to serious illness or death. The World Health Organization considers COVID-19 to be a global pandemic. COVID-19 spreads person-to-person through coughing, sneezing, and close personal contact, including touching a surface with the virus on it and then touching your mouth, nose, or eyes.

To reduce spread of COVID-19, the United States Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has recommended community mitigation strategies to increase containment of the virus and to slow transmission of the virus, including cancellation of gatherings of people and social distancing in smaller gatherings.

State and local public health officials advise that the virus is circulating in the community and expect the number of cases to increase. The CDC reports that COVID-19 is most contagious when the individual is most symptomatic but may also spread before symptoms appear.

The number of COVID-19 cases continues to rise in Oregon. On March 8, 2020, at the time I declared an emergency, there were 14 presumptive or confirmed cases in Oregon. By March 12, 2020, there were 21. As of today, there are at least 161 cases and five deaths.

In a short time, COVID-19 has spread rapidly. Additionally, some Oregonians are not adhering to social distancing guidance provided by the Oregon Health Authority, as represented by crowds this last weekend at the Oregon Coast, Smith Rock State Park, the Columbia River Gorge, and other places around the state. To slow the spread of COVID-19 in Oregon, to protect the health and lives of Oregonians, particularly those at highest risk, and to help avoid overwhelming local and regional healthcare capacity, I find that immediate implementation of additional measures is necessary. The purpose of this Executive Order is to reduce person-to-person interaction with the goal of slowing transmission.





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**NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DIRECTED AND ORDERED THAT:**

Stay Home, Save Lives

1. It is essential to the health, safety, and welfare of the State of Oregon during the ongoing state of emergency that, to the maximum extent possible, individuals stay at home or at their place of residence, consistent with the directives set forth in my Executive Orders and guidance issued by the Oregon Health Authority. To that end, pursuant to ORS 433.441(3), ORS 401.168(1), ORS 401.175(3), and ORS 401.188(2) to (3), I am ordering the following:
  - a. Non-essential social and recreational gatherings of individuals outside of a home or place of residence (e.g., parties, celebrations, or other similar gatherings and events) are prohibited immediately, regardless of size, if a distance of at least six feet between individuals cannot be maintained.
  - b. Individuals are prohibited from patronizing businesses that are closed pursuant to paragraph 2 of this Executive Order, and from engaging in conduct prohibited by prior Executive Orders or inconsistent with guidance provided by the Oregon Health Authority.
  - c. When individuals need to leave their homes or residences, they should at all times maintain social distancing of at least six feet from any person who is not a member of their immediate household, to the greatest extent possible, and comply with the other Social Distancing Requirements guidance issued by the Oregon Health Authority.
  - d. Individuals may go outside for outside recreational activities (walking, hiking, etc.), but must limit those activities to non-contact, and are prohibited from engaging in outdoor activities where it is not possible to maintain appropriate social distancing (six feet or more between individuals).
  - e. Failure to comply with any of the provisions of this Executive Order constitutes an imminent threat and creates an immediate danger to





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public health. Any person found to be in violation of this Executive Order is subject to the penalties described in ORS 401.990.

Closure of Certain Businesses

2. Pursuant to ORS 433.441(3)(a), (b), (d) and (f), ORS 401.168(1), and ORS 401.188(1) to (3), and effective 12:01 a.m. on March 24, 2020, I prohibit the operation of the following businesses, for which close personal contact is difficult or impossible to avoid:

Amusement parks; aquariums; arcades; art galleries (to the extent that they are open without appointment); barber shops and hair salons; bowling alleys; cosmetic stores; dance studios; esthetician practices; fraternal organization facilities; furniture stores; gyms and fitness studios (including climbing gyms); hookah bars; indoor and outdoor malls (i.e., all portions of a retail complex containing stores and restaurants in a single area); indoor party places (including jumping gyms and laser tag); jewelry shops and boutiques (unless they provide goods exclusively through pick-up or delivery service); medical spas, facial spas, day spas, and non-medical massage therapy services; museums; nail and tanning salons; non-tribal card rooms; skating rinks; senior activity centers; ski resorts; social and private clubs; tattoo/piercing parlors; tennis clubs; theaters; yoga studios; and youth clubs.

3. Paragraph 2 of this Executive Order does not apply to restaurants, bars, taverns, brew pubs, wine bars, cafes, food courts, coffee shops, or other similar establishments that offer food or drink, which remain subject to Executive Order No. 20-07 (prohibiting on-premises consumption of food or drink, but allowing take-out or delivery service).
4. Indoor and outdoor malls, and other businesses subject to paragraph 2 of this Executive Order, are not prohibited from operating to provide food, grocery, health care, medical, pharmacy, or pet store services.
5. Subject to approval by the Governor, the Oregon Health Authority has the authority to determine if additional business closures are necessary to slow the spread of COVID-19 during the ongoing state of emergency.





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Required Social Distancing for Other Retail Businesses

6. Pursuant to ORS 433.441(3)(a), (b), (d) and (f), ORS 401.168(1), and ORS 401.188(1) to (3), and effective 12:01 a.m. on March 24, 2020, I prohibit the operation of any other retail business not subject to paragraph 2 of this Executive Order, unless the business designates an employee or officer to establish, implement, and enforce social distancing policies, consistent with guidance from the Oregon Health Authority.
7. Retail businesses that fail to comply with paragraph 6 of this Executive Order will be closed until they demonstrate compliance.
8. Paragraphs 6 and 7 of this Executive Order do not apply to grocery, health care, medical, or pharmacy services, which also are encouraged to comply with social distancing guidelines.

Workspace Restrictions

9. Pursuant to ORS 433.441(3)(a), (b), (d) and (f), ORS 401.168(1), and ORS 401.188(1) to (3), and effective March 25, 2020, all businesses and non-profit entities with offices in Oregon shall facilitate telework and work-at-home by employees, to the maximum extent possible. Work in offices is prohibited whenever telework and work-at-home options are available, in light of position duties, availability of teleworking equipment, and network adequacy.
10. When telework and work-from-home options are not available, businesses and non-profits must designate an employee or officer to establish, implement, and enforce social distancing policies, consistent with guidance from the Oregon Health Authority. Such policies also must address how the business or non-profit will maintain social distancing protocols for business-critical visitors.
11. Businesses and non-profits that fail to comply with paragraphs 9 and 10 of this Executive Order will be closed until they demonstrate compliance.





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Government Buildings

12. Pursuant to ORS 433.441(3)(a), (b), (d) and (f), ORS 401.168(1), and ORS 401.188(1) to (3), and effective March 25, 2020, all state executive branch offices and buildings, to the maximum extent possible, shall close to the public and provide public services by phone and online during regular business hours. To the extent that closure is not feasible, in-person interactions between staff and the public should be by appointment, whenever possible. When public services require in-person interactions, social distancing measures must be established, implemented, and enforced, to the maximum extent possible.
13. State executive branch offices and buildings shall facilitate telework and work-at-home by employees, to the maximum extent possible. When telework and work-from-home options are not possible, agencies must designate an employee or officer to establish, implement, and enforce social distancing policies, consistent with guidance from the Oregon Health Authority.
14. Paragraphs 12 and 13 of this Executive Order apply to all offices and buildings owned or occupied by the state executive branch. This Executive Order does not apply to offices and buildings owned or occupied by the state legislative and judicial branches, federal government, local governments, and tribal governments, but those governments are nonetheless strongly encouraged to adhere to the policies underlying these directives.

Childcare Facilities

15. Pursuant to ORS 433.441(3)(a) and (d), ORS 401.168(1), and ORS 401.188(2) and (3), it is ordered that any childcare facility licensed under ORS 329A.030 and ORS 329A.250 to ORS 329A.450 that does not meet the requirements of paragraph 16 of this Executive Order shall close from March 25, 2020, through April 28, 2020 (“effective period”), unless that period is extended or terminated earlier by the Governor.
16. Notwithstanding paragraph 15, childcare facilities are allowed to remain open during the effective period if they meet the following requirements:





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- a. Childcare must be carried out in maximum stable groups of 10 or fewer children ("stable" means the same 10 or fewer children are in the same group each day), and in a classroom that cannot be accessed by children outside the stable group; and
  - b. Facilities must prioritize the childcare needs of first responders, emergency workers, health care professionals, followed by critical operations staff and essential personnel, consistent with guidance provided by the Oregon Department of Education, Early Learning Division.
17. I delegate authority to the Oregon Department of Education, Early Learning Division, to set forth exceptions to the rules provided by paragraph 16 of this Executive Order, if it becomes necessary to do so.

Outdoor Recreation and Travel

18. Pursuant to the powers vested in me by ORS 433.441(3), ORS 401.168(1) and (3), and ORS 401.188(1) to (3), I hereby order all private and public campgrounds to be closed immediately. This order does not prohibit camp hosts or veterans from remaining in state campgrounds, nor does it extend to RV parks and other housing.
19. I authorize the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department to close any property or facility, when proper social distancing cannot be maintained.
20. I order the immediate closure of all pools, skate parks, outdoor sports courts, and playground equipment areas.
21. For public recreational areas that are permitted to remain open subject to this Executive Order, signs requiring social distancing must be posted at all entrances, exits, and in prominent areas. On-site restrooms must have trash cans, and soap and water or hand sanitizer available. Users of open public recreational areas must strictly adhere to social distancing guidelines.
22. Individuals are directed to minimize travel, other than essential travel to or from a home, residence, or workplace; for obtaining or providing food, shelter, essential consumer needs, education, health care, or emergency services; for essential business and government services; for the care of family members, household members, elderly persons, minors, dependents,





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persons with disabilities, or other vulnerable persons, pets or livestock; travel as directed by government officials, law enforcement, or courts; and other essential travel consistent with the directives of my Executive Orders and guidance from the Oregon Health Authority.

Enforcement

23. The directives in this Executive Order are effective statewide.
24. This Executive Order is a public health law, as defined in ORS 431A.005, and may be enforced as permitted under ORS 431A.010. Additionally, any person found to be in violation of this Executive Order is subject to the penalties described in ORS 401.990.

This Executive Order is issued under the authority conferred to the Governor by ORS 401.165 to 401.236. Pursuant to ORS 401.192(1), the directives set forth in this Executive Order have the full force and effect of law, and any law, ordinances, rules and orders shall be inoperative to the extent that they are inconsistent with this exercise of the Governor's emergency powers.

This Executive Order is effective immediately, and remains in effect until terminated by the Governor.

Done at Salem, Oregon this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March, 2020.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kate Brown".

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Kate Brown  
GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

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Bev Clarno  
SECRETARY OF STATE





# All state parks closed starting March 23

March 22, 2020

## All state parks will close March 23. The last night anyone can stay is March 22.

We're sorry to interrupt your plans. The previously scheduled April 3 campground closure has been moved up to March 23 and now includes all state parks, including all trails, viewpoints, and picnic areas and all other facilities. This is part of the statewide effort to reduce transmission of COVID-19. Day-use state parks will close at the dusk on March 23 and will not reopen until further notice. At this time, campers may spend the night March 22 and must vacate by 1 p.m. on March 23.

For campers, please leave before the deadline to avoid congestion, and if the line at the park wastewater dump station is long, drive out of the park and find another station. This closure will last at least until May 8. All cancelled nights will be refunded.

We made this difficult decision based on four realities:

- We serve a lot of people. Maintaining social distance is difficult in busy parks.
- Staff and volunteers make parks work. We want to protect their health and safety, and we expect fewer will be available as this situation goes on.
- Park visitors affect the local community. Bringing several thousand people into a local community strains already-stressed grocery stores and health care providers, and search-and-rescue teams.
- Information is changing fast. Our new state park closure decision is in response to Governor Kate Brown directing Oregonians to maintain social distance in public at all times. The department urges all Oregonians to follow the Governor's directive and stay home to stay healthy.

Remember:

- Wash your hands regularly with soap and water for at least 20 seconds at a time.
- Avoid touching your face.
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
- When in public, maintain a social distance of at least six feet.
- Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw it away. If you don't have a tissue, use the inside of your elbow.
- Clean surfaces you touch regularly.
- Check the Oregon Health Authority's website: [govstatus.egov.com/OR-OHA-COVID-19](http://govstatus.egov.com/OR-OHA-COVID-19)
- Oregon State Park system updates: [bit.ly/OPRD-covid](http://bit.ly/OPRD-covid)

## Stay Home. Stay Healthy.

## News Release

Oregon Parks and Recreation Department

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Release Date: March 22, 2020

Media Contact:

Oregon Parks and Recreation Dept: Chris Havel, 503-986-0722 (desk), 503-931-2590 (cell)

### **Temporary Oregon state park closure starts March 23 and affects camping and day-use**

SALEM, Oregon – At the direction of Governor Kate Brown, and in keeping with the guidance that all Oregonians should stay home and stay healthy, the Oregon State Park system will close at the end of the day Monday, March 23. Day-use areas will be closed starting March 23 at 5 p.m. Campers need to check out no later than 1 p.m.

The Oregon Parks and Recreation Department (OPRD) previously ordered a campground closure that would have started April 3, and advised travelers to avoid day trips to full parks. With new guidance from the Governor, and clear signs that travelers are not following advice to avoid full parks, a statewide state park closure is necessary. Beaches can be closed by OPRD at their discretion and will be closed if social distancing practices are not followed.

All daytime park services will be closed statewide, including parking areas and restrooms. Campers will be refunded for all cancelled nights. All travelers are advised to follow the guidance to stay home to stay healthy. City and county parks and other public land managers are open at their discretion, with the recommendation they do so only if they can adhere to social distancing practices.

“We would have preferred an orderly shutdown of the system and to remain open for daytime visits, but our concern for the effects on rural health care systems requires us to move up and expand our plans,” says Lisa Sumption, director of the Oregon Parks and Recreation Department. “We know this will cause a disruption, since we’re suspending service to everyone, even people who live near a park. Reducing contact between people is more important than recreation at the moment.”

Know before you go:

- Travel Oregon travel alerts: <https://traveloregon.com/travel-alerts/>.
- State park service reductions and closures: <https://bit.ly/OPRD-covid>.
- Oregon Department of Forestry: <https://www.oregon.gov/ODF/>
- Oregon Department of Fish and Wildlife: <https://myodfw.com/visit-odfw-wildlife-areas>

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**From:** League of Oregon Cities <leagueoforegoncities@orcities.org>  
**Sent:** Monday, March 23, 2020 1:25 PM  
**To:** jfritts@goldbeachoregon.gov  
**Subject:** Breaking: Governor Brown Issues 'Stay Home' Order



March 23, 2020

**Cities - Please share this widely with your communities**

## **Governor Kate Brown: Stay Home Unless Absolutely Necessary**

This morning, Governor Kate Brown issued a [new executive order](#) that tightens social distancing measures, with updated orders for individuals, businesses, public organizations, and outdoor spaces to prevent COVID-19 spread.

This new executive order further requires social distancing measures because we know this is the most effective way to flatten the curve and slow the spread of this virus. The core message is simple: stay home unless absolutely necessary.

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feet between individuals cannot be maintained. Gatherings of members of the same residential household are permitted.

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[Read the full details on all businesses listed in the executive order.](#)

# STAY HOME. SAVE LIVES.

## DO:

- Stay home as much as possible (kids, too).
- Stay at least 6 feet away from others any time you are out.
- Go out only for essentials (groceries, medical care).
- Exercise outside (hiking, biking) only if you can be 6 feet apart from others.
- Have video and phone chats.
- Drop food off to neighbors who can't go out.

## OPEN:

- Grocery stores
- Banks
- Pharmacies
- Bars, restaurants (takeout, delivery only)
- Some other stores (stay 6 feet from others)
- Gas stations

## DON'T:

- Gather in groups.
- Get together with friends (no drinks or dinners).
- Have play dates for kids.
- Make unnecessary trips.

## CLOSED:

- Malls and retail complexes
- Fitness, yoga and dance centers
- Barbershops, hair and nail salons, spas, cosmetic stores, tattoo parlors
- Theaters, amusement parks, arcades, bowling alleys, skating rinks, museums
- Concerts, sporting events, festivals
- Campgrounds, pools, skate parks, playgrounds



3/23/20

# Stay Home Save Lives

# STAY HOME. SAVE LIVES.



## **GOLD BEACH CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT**

Agenda Item No. **3 b.**  
Council Meeting Date: March 24, 2020

### **TITLE:       Emergency Declarations from other Coastal Communities**

#### **SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND:**

Attached are the emergency declarations related to the Virus Visitors in the northern coastal communities. Staff did not prepare a specific one for Gold Beach. If the Council wishes to adopt a City specific one, I would ask that you take those portions of the adopted resolutions that you feel most adequately cover your concerns and we can develop the resolution for adoption “as discussed” at the meeting. Staff can formally prepare the resolution for the Mayor’s signature after the meeting. Staff will have our concerns for you to consider at the meeting.

RESOLUTION NO. 2565

Introduced by All Commissioners

TO ENSURE THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE CITIZENS OF WARRENTON AND TO AVOID  
UNNECESSARY RISKS TO HOSPITAL SURGE IN CLATSOP COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Warrenton City Commission has declared a state of emergency in the City of Warrenton due to the COVID-19 Outbreak; and

WHEREAS, the novel coronavirus COVID-19 has been found to cause serious illness or loss of life; and

WHEREAS, thousands of people from outside Clatsop County who reside in communities where positive cases of coronavirus have been confirmed have flocked to the north coast; and

WHEREAS, in order to protect the health and safety of its citizens the Warrenton City Commission finds it appropriate to put in place the following restrictions;

NOW, THEREFORE, Be it Resolved by the City Commission of the City of Warrenton the following order is hereby enacted:

Section 1. Warrenton and Hammond Marinas - all camping is closed.

Section 2. KOA - all camping is closed except to camp hosts, employees, and residential users residing since at least March 11, 2020 and under a 30-day or longer period to stay in the parks.

Section 3. Ft. Stevens State Park - all camping is closed except to camp hosts, employees, and residential users residing since at least March 11, 2020 and under a 30-day or longer period to stay in the parks.

Section 4. Kampers West - all camping is closed except to camp hosts, employees, and residential users residing since at least March 11, 2020 and under a 30-day or longer period to stay in the parks.

Section 5. Hammond Marina RV Park - all camping is closed except to camp hosts, employees, and residential users residing since at least March 11, 2020 and under a 30-day or longer period to stay in the parks.

Section 6. All camping on private property is prohibited, except for those approved by both the Police Chief and Clatsop County Public Health.

Section 7. All short-term rentals and homestay lodging will be prohibited until this emergency has passed.

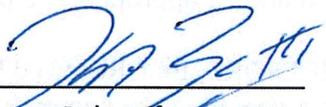
Section 8. All Hotels within the city limits of Warrenton shall be closed except for any current users registered for longer than 30-days (no new long-term rentals) and as authorized by the Clatsop County Health Authority.

Section 9. The City Commission of the City of Warrenton gives 24-hours to those impacted by this order to vacate as outlined above.

Section 10. This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

Adopted by the City Commission of the City of Warrenton this 21st day of March, 2020.

APPROVED

  
Henry Balensifer, III, Mayor

ATTEST

  
Dawne Shaw, CMC, City Recorder

**RESOLUTION 20- 05**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF ASTORIA IMPOSING EMERGENCY RESTRICTIONS TO ENSURE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY.**

**WHEREAS**, on March 16, 2020, pursuant to ordinances of the City of Astoria, the City Council declared a state of emergency in the City of Astoria and authorized the City Council to take such actions and issue such orders as are necessary to protect the public and mitigate the effect of the emergency.

**WHEREAS**, thousands of people from outside Clatsop County have come to Clatsop County in order to celebrate spring break.

**WHEREAS**, the Astoria City Council finds that influx of persons from outside Clatsop County represents a threat to spread the COVID-19 virus to the citizens of our City and poses a threat to overwhelm our health care resources

**WHEREAS**, the City of Warrenton has issued an order, and Clatsop County will be considering an order, banning hotel stays and short-term rentals in recognition that this influx represents a threat to introduce and spread the COVID-19 infection to Clatsop County.

**WHEREAS**, the President of the United States has discouraged gatherings of more than 10 people and the Governor of the State of Oregon has adopted a policy of "Stay Home, Stay Healthy" and issued a protective order banning such things as seated dining at bars and restaurants and gatherings of more than 25 people.

**WHEREAS**, the Astoria City Council finds, that in order to protect its citizens and to support state and national goals of reducing transmission of COVID19, temporary hotel, short-term rental and homestay lodging closures are necessary.

**NOW, THEREFORE, Be It Resolved by the Astoria City Council:**

**Section 1.** Except as excepted in Section 2, transient lodging, short-term rentals and homestay lodgings are prohibited while the City's emergency declaration is in effect.

**Section 2.** All Hotels, short-term rentals and homestay lodgings within the city limits of Astoria shall accept no guests while the City's emergency declaration is in effect except for:

- a. Residents registered for longer than 30-days;
- b. Local residents effecting a COVID-19 self-quarantine if such stays are authorized by the local Health Authority or local residents who have moved from their home in order to allow family members to self-quarantine in their local residence;
- c. Employees of a facility provided lodging at no cost as a requirement of their employment;

- d. Patients receiving medical treatment at local facilities;
- e. Essential workers, including but not limited to doctors, nurses and other health care workers, US Coast Guard members, delivery drivers, utility crews, bar pilots, river pilots and other persons providing essential services to the City.

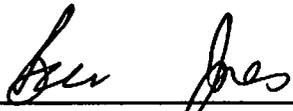
**Section 3.** Property owners and managers of Astoria hotels, short-term rentals and homestay lodging shall take all reasonable steps to terminate the occupancy of any guests not exempted by Section 2 of this ordinance no later than 11:59 pm on Monday March 23, 2020.

**Section 4.** Property owners and managers found to be in violation of the terms of this resolution may be cited into Astoria Municipal Court pursuant to Astoria Code 1.010.

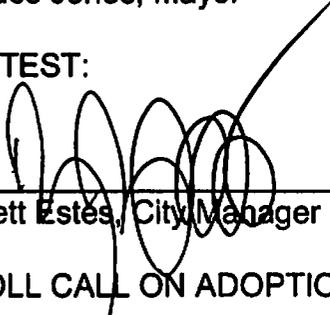
**Section 5.** This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its adoption and approval.

**ADOPTED BY THE ASTORIA CITY COUNCIL THIS 22<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF MARCH 2020.**

**APPROVED BY THE MAYOR THIS 22<sup>nd</sup> DAY OF MARCH 2020**

  
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 Bruce Jones, Mayor

ATTEST:

  
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 Brett Estes, City Manager

ROLL CALL ON ADOPTION: YEA NAY ABSENT

Councilor	YEA
Rocka	X
Brownson	X
Herman	X
West	X
Mayor Jones	X

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

**RESOLUTION NO 20-02**

**A RESOLUTION TO ENSURE THE PUBLIC HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE RESIDENTS OF MANZANITA AND TO AVOID UNNECESSARY RISK TO HOSPITAL SURGE IN TILLAMOOK COUNTY**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Manzanita Council has declared a state of emergency in the City of Manzanita due to the COVID-19 outbreak; and

**WHEREAS**, the novel coronavirus COVID-19 has been found to cause serious illness or loss of life; and

**WHEREAS**, thousands of people from outside Tillamook County who reside in communities where positive cases of coronavirus have been confirmed have flocked to the north coast; and

**WHEREAS**, in order to protect the health and safety of its residents the City of Manzanita Mayor finds it appropriate to put in place the following restrictions;

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MANZANITA:**

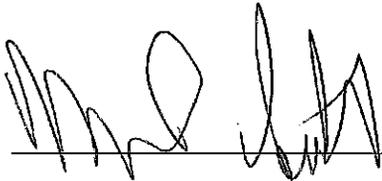
**Section 1.** All short term rentals will be prohibited until this emergency has passed.

**Section 2.** All hotels within the City limits of Manzanita shall be closed except for any current user registered for longer than 30 days (no new long-term rentals).

**Section 3.** The City of Manzanita gives 24-hours starting noon today to those impacted by this order to vacate as outlined above.

**Section 4.** This resolution shall take effect immediately upon its passage.

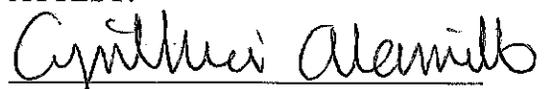
**Date and effective this 22th day of March, 2020.**



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Michael Scott, Mayor

ATTEST:



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Cynthia Alamillo, City Manager/Recorder



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TTY Oregon Relay Service

Bill Baertlein, Chair

Mary Faith Bell, Vice-Chair

David Yamamoto, Commissioner

March 22, 2020

In response to the public health emergency presented by COVID-19 to our residents, our workforce and our guests, the Tillamook Board of County Commissioners took decisive action today, March 22, 2020 to mitigate the impacts of visitors and tourists to our area through April 28, 2020.

We will be closing all parks: camping and day use in all privately owned, county, state and federal parks except for folks who live in parks full-time and pay month to month.

We will be closing all transient lodging including hotels, motels, bed and breakfasts and short-term rentals including condos to all visitors who are not providing essential services or are here for commercial reasons such as construction, trucking, etc.

We are closing boat launches to all but commercially fisherman that provide a retail food source. We are closing beach access points and parking lots and extending no parking zones in public right of ways.

COVID-19 represents an unprecedented threat to public health the likes of which has not been seen in the past 100 years. The severity of the threat to life, health and safety calls for extreme measures and immediate action. We care deeply about the economic resilience of our lodging providers and businesses in the tourism sector and are grateful for their sacrifices for the protection of their employees, guests and the community at large.

We ask the community's support and forbearance as the outdoor recreation opportunities that we all value including parks, beach access and boat launches are closed to us all.

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Attachment: Resolution #R20-006

BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS  
FOR TILLAMOOK COUNTY, OREGON

In the Matter of the Continuance of a     )     RESOLUTION  
Local State of Emergency Within         )     #R-20-006  
Tillamook County                             )

This matter came before the Tillamook County Board of Commissioners on March 22, 2020. The Board of Commissioners, being fully apprised of the records and files herein, finds as follows:

1. Under the emergency powers granted by ORS 401.305, on March 14, 2020 the Board of Commissioners signed Resolution #R-20-005 designating a State of Emergency within Tillamook County due to the spread of the Coronavirus (COVID-19).
2. The emergency still exists and additional measures are required to address the emergency.

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED, that following are effective immediately:

3. As allowed by law, the Board of Commissioners may redirect funds as needed to this emergency.
4. Emergency procurements of goods and services are authorized pursuant to ORS 279B.080, ORS 279C.335(6), and ORS 279C.380(4). Pursuant to ORS 279B.080(2), county department heads issuing emergency contracts shall set a solicitation time period that is reasonable under the emergency circumstances and may issue written or oral requests for offers or make direct appointments without compensation.
5. The following closures shall go into effect no later than **12:00 p.m. on Monday, March 23, 2020:**
  - a. Closure of all county, state, and federal parks within Tillamook County. Current park hosts and employees of the park are allowed to remain in the park;
  - b. Closure of all county parking lots, beach access, and certain parking areas along road rights-of-way;
  - c. Closure of all county public boat launches to non-commercial users that do not commercial fish for the purpose of providing a retail food source; and
  - d. Closure of all transient lodging facilities including, but not limited to, motels, hotels, short-term vacation rentals, bed and breakfasts, RV parks, and

campgrounds. Transient lodging facilities may remain open to serve only the following designated groups:

- i. Current users registered for longer than thirty (30) consecutive days.
- ii. Essential personnel as defined by federal law, where lodging in Tillamook County is necessary for work involving the safety of human life or the protection of property or performing certain types of other work consistent with the intent of this provision (e.g. emergency and public safety responders, truck drivers and supply providers, and construction industry workers).
- iii. Other individuals as authorized by the Tillamook County Health Authority.

6. Resolution #R-20-005 declaring a local State of Emergency is hereby extended and shall expire on April 28, 2020, unless extended by the Board. This Resolution in the matter of continuance of a local state of emergency shall expire on April 28, 2020, unless extended by the Board.

DATED this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2020.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS FOR  
TILLAMOOK COUNTY, OREGON

Aye    Nay    Absent/Abstain

Bill Baertlein  
Bill Baertlein, Chair

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Mary Faith Bell  
Mary Faith Bell, Vice Chair

Y                    /

David Yamamoto  
David Yamamoto, Commissioner

Y                    /

ATTEST: Tassi O'Neil, County Clerk  
BY: Rocky Hartz  
Special Deputy

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
Joel W. Stevens  
Joel W. Stevens, County Counsel

RESOLUTION NO. 20-05

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF BANDON,  
OREGON, FOR THE PURPOSE OF LIMITING TRANSMISSION OF COVID-19

WHEREAS, Governor Kate Brown, on March 8, 2020, declared a state of emergency due to the COVID-19 virus, finding that COVID-19 has created a threat to public health and safety, and constitutes a statewide emergency under ORS 401.025(1); and

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization, on March 11, 2020, declared COVID-19 to be a pandemic that causes respiratory distress with the potential to cause serious illness and loss of life; and

WHEREAS, according to the Center for Disease Control, COVID-19 is spread mainly from person-to-person (a) between people who are in close contact with one another (within about 6 feet) and (b) through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs or sneezes. These droplets can land in the mouths or noses of people who are nearby or possibly be inhaled into the lungs. As a result, the federal and state governments have taken measure to encourage and/or order individuals to maintain social distancing; and

WHEREAS, from March 16, 2020 through March 22, 2020 the City of Bandon experienced a heavy influx of visitors from outside the City; and

WHEREAS, visitors congregated throughout the City without following social distancing guidelines issued by state and federal health authorities and caused a depletion of critical resources such as food and supplies at local vendors; and

WHEREAS, many Bandon residents are retired and therefore the City's population skews older than the general population. As a result, the local population is more vulnerable to the deadly effects of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the southern Oregon coast has limited medical resources, which further endangers the local population when there are large influxes of visitors during times of declared emergencies; and

WHEREAS, the Bandon City Council believes an ongoing influx of visitors to the City poses a serious risk to the health and welfare of the local populations during the COVID-19 crisis; and

WHEREAS, ORS 401.309(2) provides that a city may carry out any activity to minimize the impact of emergency conditions during a declared emergency; and

WHEREAS, ORS 401.309(4) provides that a city may authorize officials to order an evacuation of residents or other individuals after a state of emergency is declared when necessary for public safety or when necessary to mitigate the effects of the emergency; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor has declared an emergency pursuant to Bandon Municipal Code Chapter 1.06;

NOW THEREFORE, the Bandon City Council, resolves as follows:

**Section 1:** All overnight +visitors within the City’s jurisdiction are ordered to evacuate within twenty-four hours of the effective date of this Resolution and remain evacuated while this Resolution is in effect. A visitor is defined as any individual who is spending time in the City for pleasure, recreation or non-business reasons and is not a resident, property owner or business owner.

**Section 2:** Although not an exclusive list, this order does not apply to the following individuals:

- a. Local residents and property owners;
- b. Invitees of local residents and property owners; subject to Section 3, below;
- c. Local business owners;
- d. Employees of local business owners;
- e. Vendors, agents and service providers of local residents, property owners, and businesses;
- f. Essential workers, including but not limited to doctors, nurses and other health care workers, US Coast Guard members, delivery drivers and other persons providing essential services to the City; and
- g. People staying in lodging for medical purposes.

**Section 3.** Except as provided in Sections 2 and 4, Hotels, Inns, Bed and Breakfast establishments, temporary vacation rentals and short term rentals are prohibited from operating while the City’s emergency declaration is in effect.

**Section 4.** Notwithstanding Section 3 of this Resolution, all Hotels within the city limits of Bandon are permitted to provide services to only the following persons while the City’s emergency declaration is in effect:

- a. Residents registered for longer than 30-days;
- b. Employees of a facility provided lodging at no cost as a requirement of their employment;
- c. Persons in lodging for medical reasons;
- d. Essential workers, including but not limited to doctors, nurses and other health care workers, US Coast Guard members, delivery drivers, utility crews, bar pilots, river pilots and other persons providing essential services to the City.

**Section 5.** Property owners and managers of Bandon Hotels shall take all reasonable steps to terminate the occupancy of any transients not exempted by Section 4 of this Resolution no later than 5:00 pm on Monday March 23, 2020.

**Section 6:** This declaration is effective immediately and shall remain in effect until at least May 1, 2020, but may be extended as necessary. The restriction on Hotels in Section 4 remains in effect for the duration of the emergency declaration.

**Section 7:** The City Manager is authorized to order a limit on the amount of a single transaction from a grocery store, drug store or other establishment selling critical or important supplies,

Dated and effective this 23rd day of March, 2020.

**ADOPTED** by unanimous vote of the City Council and **APPROVED** by the Mayor of the City of Bandon, this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of March 2020.

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Mary Schamehorn, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Denise Russell, City Recorder



## **GOLD BEACH CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT**

Agenda Item No. **3 c.**  
Council Meeting Date: March 24, 2020

### **TITLE: Proposed Resolution from Rep David Brock Smith**

#### **SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND:**

Rep David Brock Smith was present at the Curry County special Board of Commissioners meeting today to discuss the Governor's most recent Executive Order 20-12, and to request that the BOC adopt a version of a resolution he prepared regarding coastal communities. The Board adopted the resolution at that meeting. A copy of a Gold Beach version is attached for your consideration and possible adoption.

## Jodi Fritts

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**From:** Rep Smith D <Rep.DavidBrockSmith@oregonlegislature.gov>  
**Sent:** Monday, March 23, 2020 8:43 AM  
**To:** Terrie Richards; Jodi Fritts (jfritts@goldbeachoregon.gov); Janell Howard  
**Cc:** Mary Schamehorn (marys@coosnet.com); Rep Smith D; citymanager@cityofbandon.org  
**Subject:** Draft Curry County Covid-19 Resolution  
**Attachments:** Curry Covid Transient Lodging Resolution.docx

Good Morning City Administrators and Mayor Schamehorn,

Please see the attached resolution I have drafted for the Curry County Board of Commissioners to respond to the influx of visitors to our area for their emergency meeting this morning. As the Chair of the Oregon Legislative Coastal Caucus, my recommendation to temporarily close our coastal transient lodging facilities along the coast was accepted yesterday as the coastal caucus recommendation to the Governor for her next executive order, as I explained on the Governor's coastal conference call yesterday at 2:15 pm.

I encourage your communities to modify as needed and adopt as soon as possible to show your support of these Coastal Caucus recommendations to the Governor.

I know we are in a very difficult time and the economic impacts now our severe to our communities. But to prevent a statewide stay at home order that would be even more devastating to our economies, one that many including the Governor feel it would be very difficult to recover from, these proposals could go a long way to keep people from outside our area from coming here at this time, while minimizing the economic impact to our communities further. I thank you for all that you do for our residents and appreciate your consideration. Please stay safe.

*Best,*

*David Brock Smith*

Oregon State Representative

House District 1

Curry, Coos, Douglas & Josephine Counties

Website: <http://www.oregonlegislature.gov/smithd>



**Jodi Fritts**

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**From:** Court Boice <boicec@co.curry.or.us>  
**Sent:** Monday, March 23, 2020 4:34 PM  
**To:** Court Boice  
**Subject:** Governor Brown Oregon State Park Closures ... Curry County Park Closures ...  
**Attachments:** Oregon State Parks Closure Final - COVID-19 3-23-20.pdf; COVID - 19 Curry County request Governor Brown - Public Health Assistance 3-23-20.pdf

*Thank you for your recent correspondence.*

*Today the Curry Board of Commissioners followed the lead of the State (shutting down all Oregon State Parks - attachment 1) and approved a Oregon Legislative Coastal Caucus Resolution from Chair, State Representative Brock Smith to close all TLT's, Air B n B's, RV Parks and Vacation Rentals - request to Governor Brown (attachment 2) . Basic purpose – hopefully temporary - if there is no place for them to stay, they'll go home until we're ready for Visitor Season. Better for not spreading COVID-19 and taking our valuable local resources.*

*Finally – Governor Brown's Updated orders for individuals, businesses, public organizations, and outdoor spaces to prevent Corona spread – Noon today Executive Order 20-12*

*Please never hesitate to contact me with any questions, projects or needs.*

Court Boice  
Curry County Oregon Commissioner

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BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CURRY, OREGON

In the Matter of Requesting Governor ) RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Kate Brown’s Immediate Assistance )  
to protect the Health, Life and Safety )  
of the Residents of Curry County, Oregon )

**WHEREAS**, the Curry County Board of Commissioners declared that a local State of Emergency exists for Curry County under ORS 401.309 on March 18, 2020, Resolution No. R2020-08; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-03, Declaration of Emergency due to Corona Virus (COVID-19) outbreak in Oregon; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-05 Prohibiting Large Gatherings Due to Coronavirus (COVID-19) Outbreak in Oregon; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-06 Declaration of Abnormal Disruption of the Market due to COVID-19; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-07 Prohibiting On-Premises Consumption of Food or Drink and Gatherings of More Than 25 People; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-08 School Closures and the Provision of School-based and Child Care Services in Response to Coronavirus (COVID-19) Outbreak; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-09 Suspension of In-Person Instructional Activities at Higher Education Institutions in Response to Coronavirus (COVID-19) Outbreak; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-10 Preserving Personal Protective Equipment and Hospital Beds, Protecting Health Care Workers, Postponing Non-urgent Health Care Procedures, and Restricting Visitation in Response to Coronavirus (COVID-19) Outbreaks; and

**WHEREAS**, the Coronavirus (COVID-19) has greater health impacts to older populations and those with existing health conditions; and

**WHEREAS**, according to the US Census, Curry County’s resident population of 50+ years of age is 55.7%, with a median age of 55.6 years; and

**WHEREAS**, according to the US Census, Curry County’s resident population of 60+ years of age of full adults is 57.26%, having homes with at least one person 60+ years of age at 55.45%; and

**WHEREAS**, the 2018 Curry Health Risk Assessment by Advantage Health statistics show that Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease (CLRD) is the third leading cause of death in Curry County; and

**WHEREAS**, as of the date of this Resolution, there have been no presumptive of positive cases of Coronavirus (COVID-19) identified in Curry County; and

**WHEREAS**, Curry County and our coastal communities have limited health care resources for in hospital patient care to treat Coronavirus (COVID-19) positive cases; and

**WHEREAS**, Curry County and our coastal communities have limited supplies and resources for the needs of our existing residents; and

**WHEREAS**, Governor Brown and the Oregon Health Authority have issued the Executive Orders listed above and protocols for state residents for social distancing and to stay home and stay healthy to reduce the spread and flatten the curve of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) as to not overwhelm the states limited health care resources; and

**WHEREAS**, Curry County and our coastal communities are seeing an influx of visitors during this time from California, Washington and other areas outside of our jurisdiction that increases the risk of Coronavirus (COVID-19) spread in Curry County and our coastal communities; and

**WHEREAS**, Curry County supports our business community and encourages tourism, but not at this time as it causes violations of Governor Brown’s Executive Orders and the protocols from the Oregon Health Authority, in addition to adding stress on resources for residents due to the closure of sit down dining establishments; and

**WHEREAS**, to preserve the public health, life and safety of the residents of Curry County and our coastal communities, it is the recommendation to Governor Brown by the Oregon Legislative Coastal Caucus that all transient lodging facilities be closed to stay and purchase to persons of less than 28 days along the Oregon Coast.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF CURRY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HEREBY RESOLVES:**

That public health, life and safety Emergency exists in Curry County due to individuals that are not following the protocols set forth in Governor Brown’s Executive Orders and outlined by the Oregon Health Authority and continue to visit Curry County and coastal communities during this time of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic; and

**THE BOARD OF CURRY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS HEREBY FURTHER RESOLVES:**

To request with this resolution, that Kate Brown, Governor of Oregon, include in her next Executive Order the recommendations of the Oregon Legislative Coastal Caucus to close all transient lodging facilities to stay and purchase to persons of less than 28 days in Curry County, including our coastal counties and their communities, until May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020, with limited exceptions to individuals in the trucking industry, victims of domestic violence, health care workers, contract workers and others that may be deemed as essential personnel services.

DATED this 23<sup>rd</sup> day March, 2020.

BOARD OF CURRY COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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Christopher S. Passch, Chair

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Court Boice, Vice Chair

Approved as to form

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John R. Huttli, County Council

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Sue Gold, Commissioner



## **GOLD BEACH CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT**

Agenda Item No. **3 d.**  
Council Meeting Date: March 24, 2020

### **TITLE: Proposed Emergency Declaration**

#### **SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND:**

In anticipation of further measures related to the COVID19 pandemic, our legal counsel prepared a basic emergency declaration resolution. Her specific questions to you are identified in her draft sample. Staff prepared an actual resolution for adoption if the Council wishes to proceed at this time. After reviewing her comments we can make changes to the draft resolution if the Council wishes to adopt the resolution at this time.

## 2017 ORS 401.309<sup>1</sup>

### Declaration of state of emergency by city or county

- procedures
- mandatory evacuations

- (1) The governing body of a city or county in this state may declare, by ordinance or resolution, that a state of emergency exists within the city or county. The ordinance or resolution must limit the duration of the state of emergency to the period of time during which the conditions giving rise to the declaration exist or are likely to remain in existence.
- (2) A city or county in this state may, by ordinance or resolution, establish procedures to prepare for and carry out any activity to prevent, minimize, respond to or recover from an emergency. The ordinance or resolution shall describe the conditions required for the declaration of a state of emergency within the jurisdiction.
- (3) An ordinance or resolution adopted under subsection (2) of this section may designate the emergency management agency, if any, or any other agency or official of the city or county as the agency or official charged with carrying out emergency duties or functions under the ordinance.
- (4) A city or county may authorize an agency or official to order mandatory evacuations of residents and other individuals after a state of emergency is declared under this section. An evacuation under an ordinance or resolution authorized under subsection (2) of this section shall be ordered only when necessary for public safety or when necessary for the efficient conduct of activities that minimize or mitigate the effects of the emergency.
- (5) Nothing in this section shall be construed to affect or diminish the powers of the Governor during a state of emergency declared under ORS 401.165 (Declaration of state of emergency). The provisions of ORS 401.165 (Declaration of state of emergency) to 401.236 (Rules) supersede the provisions of an ordinance or resolution authorized by this section when the Governor declares a state of emergency within any area in which such an ordinance or resolution applies. [1997 c.361 §2; 2009 c.718 §32]

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<sup>1</sup> Legislative Counsel Committee, *CHAPTER 401—Emergency Management and Services*, [https://www.oregonlegislature.gov/bills\\_laws/ors/ors401.html](https://www.oregonlegislature.gov/bills_laws/ors/ors401.html) (2017) (last accessed Mar. 30, 2018).

CITY OF \_\_\_\_\_

ORDINANCE # \_\_\_\_\_

**DECLARING A TEMPORARY STATE OF EMERGENCY WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY AND DELEGATING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY MANAGER**

WHEREAS, on March 8, 2020, the Governor of the State of Oregon issued Executive Order 20-03 declaring a statewide State of Emergency under ORS 401.025(1) due to the serious public health and safety threat posed by the spread of the COVID-19 virus within our state; and

WHEREAS, the City of \_\_\_\_\_ (“the City”) has enacted local ordinance, \_\_\_\_\_, which pertains to the declaration and administration of a City-wide State of Emergency within City boundaries; and

WHEREAS, ORS Chapter 401.309 and Section \_\_\_\_ of the City Charter grants the City additional authority to declare a State of Emergency within the City; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that the detection of multiple cases of Coronavirus (COVID-19) within the state and the Governor’s Declaration present circumstances constituting a present threat of imminent widespread or severe damage, significant injury to persons or property, increased human suffering, loss of life, and financial loss within the City’s boundaries; and

WHEREAS, the City Council finds that during this State of Emergency, it is prudent and responsible to delegate certain powers and responsibilities to the City Manager in order to more efficiently expedite City responses and services; and

WHEREAS, these emergency circumstances require focused and coordinated municipal and community responses beyond that which occur routinely and such coordinated responses cannot be achieved without temporarily amending some of the City’s regular business, emergency, employment, and intergovernmental practices; and

WHEREAS, these emergency circumstances are anticipated to remain in effect for at least \_\_\_\_\_;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS DECLARED THAT:

1. **City-wide State of Emergency.** A City-wide State of Emergency hereby exists within the City of \_\_\_\_\_, which includes all of the area within the city boundaries. This State of Emergency shall become effective immediately and

**Commented [LGLG1]:** Consider whether a resolution declaration is more expedient for your City, depending upon your required Charter emergency adoption procedures. If you have other emergency declaration or preparedness ordinances in your code, we generally recommend adopting an Ordinance rather than a Resolution.

**Commented [LGLG2]:** Customize as needed. Only include this paragraph if your City has an ordinance in your Code regarding the declaration of emergency or provision of emergency services. Review your entire Code to ensure you are familiar with any ordinances which pertain to emergency management. Make sure this Ordinance/Resolution is in compliance with your Code. If you need assistance with this, please contact our office.

**Commented [LGLG3]:** Review your Charter to ensure you are familiar with any provisions which pertain to emergency management/declaration.

**Commented [LGLG4]:** If needed, change all references to “City Manager” to reflect your City’s correct title for your manager.

**Commented [LGLG5]:** Add a reasonable time span.

shall continue for a period of \_\_\_\_\_, unless further extended or rescinded by the City pursuant to this Declaration.

2. **City Authority.** During this State of Emergency, the City may take any legal and necessary steps to respond and recover from the emergency, including but not limited to: requesting assistance, funds, and reimbursement from the State of Oregon and federal agencies; adopting temporary rules and policies regarding City facilities, funds, resources, and staff; entering into contracts for services or aid agreements with other governmental or private entities; and cancelling non-essential City meetings and events.

- a. Emergency procurement of goods, services, and public improvements is hereby authorized pursuant to ORS 279B.080, ORS 279C.320, ORS 279C.380(4), and all other applicable statutes, ordinances, and rules.

3. **Staff Designation.** The City Manager is directed to identify two additional City staff members who are designated and authorized to serve as the “acting in capacity” City Manager (City Manager AIC) in the City Manager’s absence during this State of Emergency. The City Manager or designee(s) shall regularly document and report to the Council regarding any actions or orders taken pursuant to this Declaration.

**Commented [LGLG6]:** Think about who should be able to have this authority in the event that the City Manager is unable to report to work.

4. **City Manager Delegation.** During this State of Emergency, the Council hereby delegates to the City Manager (and to City Manager designees in the case of the City Manager’s absence), the authority to take actions and issue orders necessary and reasonable to protect health, safety and welfare of the City and the public and to conduct activities that minimize or mitigate the effect of the emergency, as long as such actions, orders, and activities are in compliance with City, state and federal law.

- a. Notwithstanding the immediately preceding, if the City Manager desires to issue a municipal order limiting or banning public gatherings, establishing curfews, closing or limiting businesses, or implementing other social distancing measures *beyond that ordered by the State of Oregon*, the City Manager shall first consult with the City Council. This provision does not prevent the City Manager from publishing recommendations regarding such social distancing measures within the City.

**Commented [LGLG7]:** Are there any circumstances under which you want the City Manager to seek Council guidance or approval? If so, add them to this paragraph.

5. **Effective Date and Duration.** This Declaration shall be effective on the date adopted by the City Council and shall remain in effect until \_\_\_\_\_ at \_\_\_\_pm, unless further extended by the City Manager or designee or the City Council.
6. **Establishing an Emergency.** It is hereby adjudged and declared that existing conditions are such that this Declaration is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the City of \_\_\_\_\_, and an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Ordinance, and all provisions modifying the Ordinance referred to herein, shall take effect in full force and effect when signed by the Mayor.

**Commented [LGLG8]:** Make sure to follow the process in your Charter or ordinances regarding the reading and adoption of emergency ordinances. Be sure that the date inserted here reflects the same time period inserted into Section 1.

**Commented [LGLG9]:** Sample Emergency Ordinance adoption language.

ADD APPROPRIATE SIGNATURE AND DATE LINES AND "EMERGENCY ORDINANCE" ADOPTION LANGUAGE AS REQUIRED BY YOUR OWN CHARTER OR PROCESSES.



# **ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS**



## SECTION 9. ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS

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### **GOLD BEACH CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT**

Agenda Item No. **9. a.**  
Council Meeting Date: March 24, 2020

### **TITLE: Resolution R1920-10 Declaring City Wide Emergency**

#### **SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND:**

After reviewing the proposed emergency declaration from legal counsel, if the Council wishes to adopt the draft prepared by staff, a suggested motion is below.

#### **SUGGESTED MOTION**

I make the motion that the Council adopt RESOLUTION R1920-10, A RESOLUTION DECLARING A TEMPORARY STATE OF EMERGENCY WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY AND DELEGATING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR

(NOTE: if you make any changes to the draft resolution in the meeting please also include AS AMENDED in the motion)

**CITY OF GOLD BEACH  
RESOLUTION R1920-10**

**DECLARING A TEMPORARY STATE OF EMERGENCY WITHIN THE BOUNDARIES OF THE CITY  
AND DELEGATING AUTHORITY TO THE CITY ADMINISTRATOR**

**WHEREAS,** on March 8, 2020, the Governor of the State of Oregon issued Executive Order 20-03 declaring a statewide State of Emergency under ORS 401.025(1) due to the serious public health and safety threat posed by the spread of the COVID-19 virus within our state; and

**WHEREAS,** ORS Chapter 401.309 and Section 5 of the City Charter grants the City authority to declare a State of Emergency within the City; and

**WHEREAS,** the City Council finds that the detection of multiple cases of Coronavirus (COVID-19) within the state and the Governor's Declaration present circumstances constituting a present threat of imminent widespread or severe damage, significant injury to persons or property, increased human suffering, loss of life, and financial loss within the City's boundaries; and

**WHEREAS,** the City Council finds that during this State of Emergency, it is prudent and responsible to delegate certain powers and responsibilities to the City Administrator in order to more efficiently expedite City responses and services; and

**WHEREAS,** these emergency circumstances require focused and coordinated municipal and community responses beyond that which occur routinely and such coordinated responses cannot be achieved without temporarily amending some of the City's regular business, emergency, employment, and intergovernmental practices; and

**WHEREAS,** these emergency circumstances are anticipated to remain in effect for at least 35 days until April 28, 2020;

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS DECLARED THAT:**

1. **City-wide State of Emergency.** A City-wide State of Emergency hereby exists within the City of Gold Beach, which includes all of the area within the city boundaries. This State of Emergency shall become effective immediately and shall continue for a period of 35 days until April 28<sup>th</sup>, unless further extended or rescinded by the City pursuant to this Declaration.
2. **City Authority.** During this State of Emergency, the City may take any legal and necessary steps to respond and recover from the emergency, including but not limited to: requesting assistance, funds, and reimbursement from the State of Oregon and federal agencies; adopting temporary rules and policies regarding City facilities, funds, resources,

and staff; entering into contracts for services or aid agreements with other governmental or private entities; and cancelling non-essential City meetings and events.

- a. Emergency procurement of goods, services, and public improvements is hereby authorized pursuant to ORS 279B.080, ORS 279C.320, ORS 279C.380(4), and all other applicable statutes, ordinances, and rules.
3. **Staff Designation.** The City Administrator is directed to identify two additional City staff members who are designated and authorized to serve as the “acting in capacity” City Administrator (City Administrator AIC) in the City Administrator’s absence during this State of Emergency. The City Administrator or designee(s) shall regularly document and report to the Council regarding any actions or orders taken pursuant to this Declaration.
  4. **City Administrator Delegation.** During this State of Emergency, the Council hereby delegates to the City Administrator (and to City Administrator designees in the case of the City Administrator’s absence), the authority to take actions and issue orders necessary and reasonable to protect health, safety and welfare of the City and the public and to conduct activities that minimize or mitigate the effect of the emergency, as long as such actions, orders, and activities are in compliance with City, state and federal law.
    - a. Notwithstanding the immediately preceding, if the City Administrator desires to issue a municipal order limiting or banning public gatherings, establishing curfews, closing or limiting businesses, or implementing other social distancing measures *beyond that ordered by the State of Oregon*, the City Administrator shall first consult with, and receive authorization from, the City Council. This provision does not prevent the City Administrator from publishing recommendations regarding such social distancing measures within the City.
  5. **Effective Date and Duration.** This Declaration shall be effective on the date adopted by the City Council and shall remain in effect until April 28<sup>th</sup> at 11:59pm, unless further extended by the City Council.
  6. **Establishing an Emergency.** It is hereby adjudged and declared that existing conditions are such that this Declaration is necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the City of Gold Beach, and an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Resolution shall take effect in full force and effect when signed by the Mayor.

**PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOLD BEACH, COUNTY OF CURRY, STATE OF OREGON, and EFFECTIVE THIS 24<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2020.**

**APPROVED BY:**

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Karl Popoff, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Jodi Fritts, City Administrator/City Recorder



## SECTION 9. ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS

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### GOLD BEACH CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT

Agenda Item No. **9. b.**  
Council Meeting Date: March 24, 2020

**TITLE: Resolution R1920-11 Rep David Brock Smith  
proposed resolution**

**SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND:**

As mentioned previously, Rep David Brock Smith prepared a suggested resolution for Curry County and the Curry cities.

**SUGGESTED MOTION**

I make the motion that the Council adopt RESOLUTION R1920-11, A RESOLUTION REQUESTING GOVERNOR KATE BROWN'S IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE TO PROTECT HEALTH, LIFE, AND SAFETY OF THE RESIDENTS OF GOLD BEACH

(NOTE: if you make any changes to the draft resolution in the meeting please also include AS AMENDED in the motion)

## RESOLUTION R1920-11

### IN THE MATTER OF REQUESTING GOVERNOR KATE BROWN'S IMMEDIATE ASSISTANCE TO PROTECT THE HEALTH, LIFE, AND SAFETY OF THE RESIDENTS OF GOLD BEACH

**WHEREAS,** the Gold Beach City Council declared that a local State of Emergency exists for the City under ORS 401.309 on March 24, 2020 by adopting Resolution No. R1920-10; and

**WHEREAS,** on March 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-03, Declaration of Emergency due to Corona Virus (COVID-19) outbreak in Oregon; and

**WHEREAS,** on March 12<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-05 Prohibiting Large Gatherings Due to Coronavirus (COVID-19) Outbreak in Oregon; and

**WHEREAS,** on March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-06 Declaration of Abnormal Disruption of the Market due to COVID-19; and

**WHEREAS,** on March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-07 Prohibiting On-Premises Consumption of Food or Drink and Gatherings of More Than 25 People; and

**WHEREAS,** on March 17<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-08 School Closures and the Provision of School-based and Child Care Services in Response to Coronavirus (COVID-19) Outbreak; and

**WHEREAS,** on March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-09 Suspension of In-Person Instructional Activities at Higher Education Institutions in Response to Coronavirus (COVID-19) Outbreak; and

**WHEREAS,** on March 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020, Oregon Governor Kate Brown moved Executive Order 20-10 Preserving Personal Protective Equipment and Hospital Beds, Protecting Health Care Workers, Postponing Non-urgent Health Care Procedures, and Restricting Visitation in Response to Coronavirus (COVID-19) Outbreaks; and

**WHEREAS,** the Coronavirus (COVID-19) has greater health impacts to older populations and those with existing health conditions; and

**WHEREAS,** according to the US Census, Curry County's resident population of 50+ years of age is 55.7%, with a median age of 55.6 years; and

**WHEREAS,** according to the US Census, Curry County's resident population of 60+ years of age of full adults is 57.26%, having homes with at least one person 60+ years of age at 55.45%; and

**WHEREAS,** the 2018 Curry Health Risk Assessment by Advantage Health statistics show that Chronic Lower Respiratory Disease (CLRD) is the third leading cause of death in Curry County; and

**WHEREAS,** as of the date of this Resolution, there have been no presumptive of positive cases of Coronavirus (COVID-19) identified in Curry County; and

**WHEREAS,** the City of Gold Beach and our coastal communities have limited health care resources for in-hospital patient care to treat Coronavirus (COVID-19) positive cases; and

**WHEREAS,** the City of Gold Beach and our coastal communities have limited supplies and resources for the needs of our existing residents; and

**WHEREAS,** Governor Brown and the Oregon Health Authority have issued the Executive Orders listed above and protocols for state residents for social distancing and to stay home and stay healthy to reduce the spread and flatten the curve of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) as to not overwhelm the states limited health care resources; and

**WHEREAS,** the City of Gold Beach and our coastal communities are seeing an influx of visitors during this time from California, Washington and other areas outside of our jurisdiction that increases the risk of Coronavirus (COVID-19) spread in the City of Gold Beach and our coastal communities; and

**WHEREAS,** the City of Gold Beach supports our business community and encourages tourism, but not at this time as it violates Governor Brown's Executive Orders and the protocols from the Oregon Health Authority, in addition to adding stress on resources for residents due to the closure of sit down dining establishments; and

**WHEREAS,** to preserve the public health, life and safety of the residents of the City of Gold Beach and our coastal communities, it is the recommendation to Governor Brown by the Oregon Legislative Coastal Caucus that all transient lodging facilities be closed to stay and purchase to persons of less than 28 days along the Oregon Coast.

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF CITY OF GOLD BEACH COMMISSIONERS HEREBY RESOLVES:**

That public health, life and safety Emergency exists in the City of Gold Beach due to individuals that are not following the protocols set forth in Governor Brown's Executive Orders and outlined by the Oregon Health Authority and continue to visit City of Gold Beach and coastal communities during this time of the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic; and

**THE GOLD BEACH CITY COUNCIL HEREBY FURTHER RESOLVES:**

To request with this resolution, that Kate Brown, Governor of Oregon, include in her next Executive Order the recommendations of the Oregon Legislative Coastal Caucus to close all

transient lodging facilities to stay and purchase to persons of less than 28 days in Curry County, including our coastal counties and their communities, until May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020, with limited exceptions to individuals in the trucking industry, victims of domestic violence, health care workers, contract workers and others that may be deemed as essential personnel services.

**PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF GOLD BEACH, COUNTY OF CURRY, STATE OF OREGON, and EFFECTIVE THIS 24<sup>TH</sup> DAY OF MARCH, 2020.**

**APPROVED BY:**

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Karl Popoff, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Jodi Fritts, City Administrator/City Recorder



**SECTION 9. ORDINANCES & RESOLUTIONS**

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**GOLD BEACH CITY COUNCIL AGENDA REPORT**

Agenda Item No. **9. c.**  
Council Meeting Date: March 24, 2020

**TITLE:     *POSSIBLE* Resolution R1920-12 similar to north coast cities**

**SUMMARY AND BACKGROUND:**

After reviewing the Governor's Executive Order 20-12, Rep David Brock Smith's suggested resolution, and the adopted resolutions of the north coast cities, if the Council wishes to adopt a similar resolution for Gold Beach we can Franken-Craft a version for Gold Beach from parts of theirs.



# **MISC. ITEMS**

**(Including policy discussions and determinations)**



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## Pursuant to the Governor's Executive Order #20-12

issued March 23rd

**CITY HALL IS CLOSED TO PERSONAL  
CONTACT UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

**WE ARE OPEN VIA  
PHONE AND EMAIL  
541-247-7029**

Staff emails: Kim: [khunnicutt@goldbeachoregon.gov](mailto:khunnicutt@goldbeachoregon.gov)

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Please contact the Police Department at: 541-247-6671

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You can use the payment dropbox to the right of the front door for check payments.

We encourage you to utilize our online payment option: **xpress** BILL PAY

Please call and Kim can either take your payment over the phone or help you set up to make your own payments via Xpress.

**We are discouraging cash payments at this time due to COVID19 concerns, but if you have no other option, please call and we will see how to process your cash payment.**

Thank you for your patience during these trying times and we hope to be able to return to normal operations soon.

**STAY HOME. SAVE LIVES.**





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**Pursuant to the Governor's  
Executive Order #20-12  
issued March 23rd  
BUFFINGTON PARK IS CLOSED  
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

**This includes ALL areas of the park:  
Kid Kastle, pavilion, softball field,  
tennis/pickle ball courts, disc golf, trails,  
parking areas, and restrooms  
(Chem Toilets are available for emergency use only)  
We understand this is a hardship, but it is necessary  
for the health of our community.**

**Stay Home-Save Lives**



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