

OFFICE OF THE MAYOR

Amended Declaration of State of Emergency and Executive Order for the City of Trenton

WHEREAS, on March 9, 2020, Governor Philip Murphy issued Executive Order 103 which declared a state of emergency for the public health danger resulting from COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on January 30, 2020, the World Health Organization declared the outbreak of COVID-19 as a Public Health Emergency and a Pandemic on March 11, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Trenton, I, W. Reed Gusciora, issued a Declaration of Emergency on March 14, 2020, thus triggering the Mayor's powers; and

WHEREAS, the City of Trenton is experiencing an increase in COVID-19 cases, and it is necessary to return to an increase in safety precautions to minimize, and potentially avoid, a second wave of COVID-19, within the City as well as to limit the unnecessary movement of individuals in and around their communities and person-to-person interactions in accordance with CDC and DOH guidelines; and

NOW THEREFORE, pursuant to the authority vesting in the Office of the Mayor of the City of Trenton, I hereby issue this Amended Declaration of Emergency and Executive Order, effective at midnight, November 15, 2020 through December 5, 2020:

- 1. All City businesses, including restaurants, bars and grocery stores must close at 10 p.m. daily. Gas stations may stay open only to dispense gas. Restaurants and drive-through businesses may be open for pickup or delivery until 11 p.m., provided that no parties are allowed to congregate inside or outside of the establishment.
- 2. All City residents are encouraged to remain indoors after 10:00 p.m., wearing masks, practice social distancing techniques as recommended by the CDC by avoiding large crowds, and, whenever possible, keeping a distance of 6 feet.
- 3. All City residents are strongly encouraged not to have large family gatherings on Thanksgiving, and particularly not to host persons from states which are on the Governor's travel advisory list.

If any provision of this Amended Emergency Declaration and Executive Order, or the application of any provision to any party or conditions, shall be invalid or unenforceable, the remainder of this Amended Declaration and Executive Order, to the extent applicable at law, shall remain in full force and effect.

This Amended Declaration and Executive Order shall be kept on file in the Office of the City Clerk and Business Administrator. It shall be made available to the public upon request.

By:
W. Reed Gusciora
Mayor
Executed on this 13 th day of November, 2020.
As to form and legality:
By: John Morelli
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Director of Law
As to filing with the City Clerk:
By:
Matthew Conlon
City Clerk