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The question I have for Mondays council meeting is the following:
1. When will the city issue a shelter in place ordinance?
Thank you
Sincerely
Kathy Cox Gutierrez

Kathy's Blog
Ms. Goodwin:

I am submitting my opposition to a May 2 City election, with early voting dates of April 20-28, as input for the April 6 City Council Meeting. Governor Abbott has provided all municipalities, including Fredericksburg, the authorization to move the election date back to November, coinciding with State-wide elections. In the light of the current pandemic situation, this is the only prudent course of action to take at this time.

Clearly, the Coronavirus puts all of our citizens at tremendous risk. Given the demographics of our City’s age group, commencing with public voting on April 20, (less than three weeks from now), would encourage groups of more than ten to assemble at unsafe distances, in violation of the local State of Disaster Decree. Given the option of a November date, the City election is not an essential action required at this time.

If the City elects to continue with a plan for voting later this month, you can be sure that Fredericksburg would be a topic of conversation on news stations, not only in Texas, but potentially on national television. Such news reports would not reflect well on our City government, nor on our community as an attractive destination.

Tim Lafferty
830-456-4271 cell
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Name: Dawn Bloodgood

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I would like to comment on Agenda Item #: Stay at home order for Fredericksburg

COMMENTS: I manage a local convenience store here in FBG. We are deemed essential. I cant understand that for essential needs like bread, milk, water and other essential thing to survive. The store I manage is seeing a rise in customers in the last 3 weeks. Its not just people coming to get the essentials. I have customers who continue to work even when they aren't essential buying what they need for the day EVERY DAY. I have customers who constantly come in for 1 or 2 lottery tickets then go scratch them and return, Most of them go to their cars then come right back. I have retired people coming in to buy 1 lotto ticket a day. Retired groups coming in because they are either on their way to or just coming from Willow City Loop. They stop and crowed the store getting snacks and using the restroom. People are treating this time as like its a vacation. My stores customer count is up from last year by close to 200 a day on what are normally slow days. I hear a lot of comments like this is a joke. This is just the press putting fear in people. The hospital has already asked for the town to shut down because they don't have the resources. I have been informed by my children's dr that tests are taking 8-9 days to come back. Just think how many people 1 person could infect
in the 2 weeks before they were sick by not staying 6 feet away from people and not abiding by the essential workers only rule. My daughters work at Whataburger where I know there are more then 10 people in the kitchen at once. They are not 6 feet away from each other and they are sending workers out to the B lane to take money and bring them back food. To be honest Im not sure if I am physically or emotionally drained when I get home. At work I am wiping things down constantly hopping to prevent us from getting the virus as well as any of our customers. I worry about getting the virus because im on heart meds and have asthma. Im terrified I will bring the virus home to my kids. I am terrified for my employees risking their lives for a lottery ticket and bringing it home to their families. The store I manage is in between 2 nursing homes and we get nurses and health care providers in all day so Im worried the environment isn't safe for them because of the needless traffic. Im sure I am not the only one with these fears so Im speaking up for all of us essential works who have to come out and perform their jobs. I feel like if I stayed home I would be being selfish when the rest of my team shows up. This town for at least 2 weeks needs to shut down, keep tourists away so we can support our community in this time of crisis. If all the essential workers out there become sick who will provide health care or run a cash register so you can buy essentials. Who will be there to stock the essential. In this town every one knows every one and congregate to talk about the latest gossip. So as a mother as an essential worker and as a member of this community PLEASE consider a stay at home order for this city.
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<td>Because we have had only a few cases of COVID19 is the very most important reason to issue shelter-in-place orders. Shelter-in-place will insure that we continue to have very few cases. If the Federal Government had issued shelter-in-place in February, we would not have had the problems we are currently having. Stay ahead of the curb. Listen to Hill Country Memorial. They know what they are talking about.</td>
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Shelley Goodwin

From: Mickie Cunningham
Sent: Monday, April 6, 2020 10:27 AM
To: Shelley Goodwin
Subject: City Council Mtg 04/06/2020
Attachments: Amended Order Mandating Closure of Short-Term Rental Facilities.PDF; Order Closing Bed and Breakfast Facilities and Hotels.PDF; Order Requiring a Minimum Period of Stay for Recreational Vehicles in RV Parks.PDF; Order Mandating that Citizens Stay in Place.PDF

Shelley,

Regarding COVID – I would like to suggest that Fredericksburg issue the same type of mandates Galveston did to insure their residents are safe. Since they are also a BIG tourist area I believe the same precautions should be utilized here regardless of how it affects the tourists' dollars. I have attached the 4 that relate to our town and I hope that the Mayor will now take action to keep our citizens healthy and away from possible outside contamination. Galveston orders are in effect until April 28th.

Regards,

Mickie Cunningham
313 Heritage Hills Dr
Fbg, TX 78624
281-989-3580

You can live by excuses or you can live by results.
AMENDED ORDER MANDATING CLOSURE OF SHORT-TERM RENTAL FACILITIES IN THE CITY OF GALVESTON ISSUED BY THE MAYOR OF GALVESTON

WHEREAS, the City of Galveston, Texas has declared a state of emergency in accordance with Texas Government Code Chapter 418 due to the Coronavirus/COVID 19; and

WHEREAS, information issued by the Federal Center for Disease Control and the Texas Department of Health Services related to the Coronavirus have stressed undertaking steps to control the spread of the virus; and

WHEREAS, those entities have urged that the failure to take steps to diminish the spread of the virus will result in the overwhelming of the health care system in this area with a concomitant increase of mortality; and

WHEREAS, the Galveston County Health District has confirmed the presence of Coronavirus in Galveston County caused by community spread with a growing number of confirmed cases in Galveston County every day and more being contemplated; and

WHEREAS, the present emphasis is the control of community spread of the virus by limiting the number of citizens who are present in a given area; and

WHEREAS, community control slowing the spread of the virus includes restricting vehicular traffic on certain beaches to limit the number of citizens who might spread the virus; and

WHEREAS, short term rental locations, which provide rental of residential premises to third parties for periods of thirty days or less, in the City have been closed pursuant to the Emergency Order signed by Mayor on March 24, 2020 but further restrictions are required to enforce that Order; and

WHEREAS, it appears the implementation of control measures to control the community spread of the virus by imposing additions restrictions on short term rentals in the City of Galveston is appropriate.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT DECLARED BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF GALVESTON, TEXAS, THAT:

SECTION 1. The findings and recitations set out in the preamble to this ORDER are found to be true and correct and they are hereby adopted by the Mayor and made a part hereof for all purposes.

SECTION 2. For purposes of this Order a “short-term rental” shall be defined as the leasing of a premises for the purpose of occupancy to an individual or individuals with a where the duration of the lease is for thirty days or less.
SECTION 3. The operation of short term rental units in the City of Galveston is ordered to be and is prohibited effective on entry of this Order.

SECTION 4. For the purposes of this Order, the term “agent or broker” shall include any person, business, or entity who lease short term rental units on behalf of the owner or person in possession or control of the premises being leased.

SECTION 5. It shall be unlawful for the owner of a short-term rental to lease the unit to an individual or individuals. Each such rental shall constitute a separate offense. Each day of occupancy shall constitute a separate offense. This prohibition goes into effect immediately upon entry of this Order.

SECTION 6. It shall be unlawful for the agent or broker of a short-term rental to the lease the unit to an individual or individuals. Each such rental shall constitute a separate offense. Each day of occupancy shall constitute a separate offense. The leasing of a short-term rental by an agent or broker does not relieve the owner of liability under this Order. This prohibition goes into effect immediately upon entry of this Order.

SECTION 7. It shall be unlawful for the an individual or individuals to occupy a short-term rental unit in the City of Galveston. Each occupant of the unit shall be subject to enforcement of this Order. Each day of occupancy shall constitute a separate offense. This prohibition goes into effect immediately upon entry of this Order.

SECTION 8. Nothing in this Order shall prohibit the leasing of premises for a period in excess of thirty days; however, the occupancy of a unit shall be presumed to be for thirty days or less unless documentation is produced upon demand by an official enforcing this Order in the form of a fully executed lease renting the premises for a period in excess of thirty days with proof of payment of all deposits and rental payment required in the lease.

SECTION 9. Individuals occupying in a short-term rental in the City of Galveston are ordered to vacate the premises immediately upon entry of this Order.

SECTION 10. Nothing in this Order shall prohibit admission of an individual to a short-term rental pursuant to a contract entered into directly by the owner or agent with an agency of the federal or state government to house persons deemed essential by the governmental entity or military personnel. A copy of the rental agreement executed by the owner and agency shall be produced upon demand of an official enforcing this Order.

SECTION 11. Nothing in this Order shall prohibit admission of an individual to a short-term rental pursuant to a contract entered into directly between the owner or agent and the County of Galveston or the City of Galveston to house persons deemed essential by those entities. A copy of the rental agreement executed by the owner or agent and the County or City shall be produced upon demand of an official enforcing this Order.
SECTION 12. Nothing in this Order shall prohibit admission of an individual to a short-term rental pursuant to a contract entered into a person engaged in an essential service as defined in the attached Exhibit A.

SECTION 13. Any person who shall violate any provision of this Order shall be deemed guilty of a Class C misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined in a penalty sum as allowed by law.

SECTION 14. In accordance with the Texas Disaster Act, this order shall take effect immediately at 5:00 p.m. on March 27, 2020 and shall terminate seven days from the entry of this Order or until further Order of the City.

SO DECLARED AND ORDERED, at 4:00 p.m. on this 27th day of March 2020.

[Signature]
JAMES D. YARBROUGH
MAYOR, CITY OF GALVESTON

ATTEST:

[Signature]
CANCELL WILLIAMS
City Secretary

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

[Signature]
DONALD S. GLYWASKY
CITY ATTORNEY
EXHIBIT A

The following are defined as essential services for the purpose of this Order on the condition the services are performed on or from the City of Galveston:

1) Essential Healthcare Operations. Healthcare operations, including hospitals, clinics, dentists, pharmacies, pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, other healthcare facilities, healthcare suppliers, mental health providers, substance abuse service providers, blood banks, medical research, laboratory services, or any related and/or ancillary healthcare services. Home-based and residential-based care for seniors, adults, or children are also considered healthcare operations. Healthcare operations also includes veterinary care and all health and welfare services provided to animals. This exemption shall be viewed broadly to avoid any impacts to the delivery of healthcare. Healthcare operations do not include fitness and exercise gyms and similar facilities. Healthcare operations do not include elective medical, surgical, and dental procedures.

2) Essential Government Functions. All services provided by local governments needed to ensure the continuing operation of the government agencies to provide for the health, safety and welfare of the public. Further, nothing in this order shall prohibit any individual from performing or accessing "Essential Government Functions." All Essential Government Functions shall be performed in compliance with social distancing requirements of six feet, to the extent possible.

3) Essential Critical Infrastructure. Work necessary to the operations and maintenance of the 16 critical infrastructure sectors as identified by the National Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Agency (CISA) including public works construction, residential and commercial construction, airport operations, water, sewer, gas, electrical, oil refining, roads and highways, public transportation, solid waste collection and removal, internet, and telecommunications systems (including the provision of essential global, national, and local infrastructure for computing services, business infrastructure, communications, and web-based services), financial institutions, defense and national security-related operations, essential manufacturing operations provided that they carry out those services or that work in compliance with social distancing requirements of six feet, to the extent possible. Essential Businesses providing essential infrastructure should implement screening precautions to protect employees and all activity shall be performed in compliance with social distancing guidelines attached.

4) Essential Retail. Food service providers, including grocery stores, warehouse stores, big-box stores, bodegas, liquor stores, gas stations and convenience stores, farmers' markets that sell food products and household staples. Food cultivation, including farming, fishing, and livestock. Businesses that ship or deliver groceries, food, goods or services directly to residences. Restaurants and other facilities that prepare and serve food, but only for delivery or carry out. Schools and other entities that typically
provide free services to students or members of the public on a pick-up and take-away basis only. The restriction of delivery or carry out does not apply to cafes and restaurants located within hospital and medical facilities. Laundromats, dry cleaners, and laundry service providers. Gas stations, auto-supply, auto and bicycle repair, hardware stores, and related facilities. Businesses that supply products needed for people to work from home.

5) Providers of Basic Necessities to Economically Disadvantaged Populations. Businesses that provide food, shelter, and social services, and other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged or otherwise needy individuals.

6) Essential Services Necessary to Maintain Essential Operations of Residences or Other Essential Businesses. Trash and recycling collection, processing and disposal, mail and shipping services, building cleaning and maintenance, warehouse/distribution and fulfillment, storage for essential businesses, funeral homes, crematoriums and cemeteries. Plumbers, electricians, exterminators, and other service providers who provide services that are necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operations of residences and Essential Businesses. Professional services, such as legal or accounting services, when necessary to assist in compliance with legally mandated activities. Businesses that supply other essential businesses with the support of supplies needed to operate.


8) Childcare Services. Childcare facilities providing services that enable employees exempted in this Order to work as permitted.
ORDER CLOSING BED AND BREAKFAST FACILITIES AND
HOTELS OPERATING IN THE CITY OF GALVESTON
ISSUED BY
THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF GALVESTON

WHEREAS, the City of Galveston, Texas, has declared a state of emergency in accordance with Tex. Gov't Code Ch. 418 related to the Corona/Covid 19 virus; and

WHEREAS, information issued by the federal Center for Disease Control and the Texas Department of Health Services related to the Corona/Covid 19 virus have stressed undertaking steps to control of the virus; and

WHEREAS, those entities have urged that the failure to take steps to diminish the spread of the virus will result in the overwhelming of the health care system in this area with a concomitant increase of mortality; and

WHEREAS, the Galveston County Health District has confirmed the presence of Corona virus in Galveston County caused by community spread and the number of active cases in the County continues to grow; and

WHEREAS, the present emphasis is the control of community spread of the virus by limiting the number of citizens who are interacting within a given area; and

WHEREAS, the presence of a high concentration of citizens in restaurants and bars open to the public presented an opportunity for community spread of the virus and the City has previously issued orders closing them except for take-out and delivery operations; and

WHEREAS, the City has taken further steps to discourage people from visiting the City by closing amenities at beaches and parks and prohibiting the lease of Short-Term Rentals in the City; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of these control measures has been to diminish the numbers of visitors to the City and thereby curtail the concentration of individuals in areas to reduce the chance of community spread of the virus from person to person; and

WHEREAS, since the time of the closure of restaurants and bars in the City there has been a steady increase in the number of active Corona/Covid 19 infections in the County and such increase warrants further control measures be undertaken to control the spread of the virus; and

WHEREAS, it appears that despite the efforts of the City to diminish the number of visitors to the City those efforts have been frustrated by local hotels booking and accepting guests that are not essential employees of essential businesses operating in or from Galveston in direct conflict with the public health measures undertaken by the City to reduce the opportunities for the spread of the virus and therefore more robust control measures are required.

NOW THEREFORE, I, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF GALVESTON, HEREBY FIND AND ORDER, THAT:

SECTION 1. The findings and recitations set out in the preamble to this ORDER are found to be true and correct and they are hereby adopted by the Mayor and made a part hereof for all purposes;
SECTION 2. For purposes of this Order, the term “hotel” shall refer to hotels, motels, tourist courts, and bed and breakfast facilities.

SECTION 3. It shall be unlawful for the operator of a hotel to lease a hotel room to a guest. Each such rental shall constitute a separate offense. Each day of occupancy shall constitute a separate offense. This prohibition goes into effect immediately upon entry of this Order.

SECTION 4. It shall be unlawful for an individual to lease a hotel room from the operator of a hotel. Each such rental shall constitute a separate offense. Each day of occupancy shall constitute a separate offense. This prohibition goes into effect immediately upon entry of this Order.

SECTION 5. The prohibition contained in this Order shall not extend to the rental of rooms to those individuals identified as essential employees by entities identified as essential businesses which are identified on the attached Exhibit A.

SECTION 6. Guests registered in a hotel as of the effective time of this Order shall vacate the premises not later than 10:00 a.m. on Saturday March 28, 2020.

SECTION 7. Nothing in this Order shall prohibit admission of an individual to the hotel facility pursuant to a contract entered into directly by the hotel with an agency of the federal or state government to house persons deemed essential by the governmental entity or military personnel.

SECTION 8. Nothing in this Order shall prohibit admission of an individual to the hotel facility pursuant to a contract entered into directly between the hotel and the County of Galveston or the City of Galveston to house persons deemed essential by those entities.

SECTION 9. Nothing in this Order shall prohibit the hotel from continuing operation of an on premises restaurant; however all congregate dining areas will be closed; food prepared by an on premises restaurant will be delivered to essential guests’ rooms by use of room service.

SECTION 10. A violation of this Order shall be a Class C misdemeanor punishable as permitted by law.

SECTION 11. In accordance with the Texas Disaster Act, this declaration shall take effect at 5:00 p.m. on March 27, 2020 and shall terminate seven days from the entry of this Order or until further Order of the City.

SO DECLARED AND ORDERED at 4:00 pm this the 27th day of March 2020.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DONALD S. GILWASKY
CITY ATTORNEY

JAMES D. YARBROUGH
MAYOR, CITY OF GALVESTON

ATTEST:

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ORDER REQUIRING A MINIMUM PERIOD OF STAY FOR RECREATIONAL VEHICLES IN RV PARKS OPERATING WITHIN THE CITY OF GALVESTON AND PROHIBITING THE PARKING OF RECREATIONAL VEHICLES IN ANY PUBLIC PARK OR COMMERCIAL PARKING LOT IN THE CITY OF GALVESTON ISSUED BY THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF GALVESTON

WHEREAS, the City of Galveston, Texas, has declared a state of emergency in accordance with Tex. Gov’t Code Ch. 418 related to the Corona/Covid 19 virus; and

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WHEREAS, the Galveston County Health District has confirmed the presence of Corona virus in Galveston County caused by community spread and the number of active cases in the County continues to grow; and

WHEREAS, the present emphasis is the control of community spread of the virus by limiting the number of citizens who are present in a given area;

WHEREAS, we are presently at this time of year designated as spring break during which the number of visitors to the City of Galveston rises dramatically increasing the density of individuals on the island with a concomitant increase of the risk of transmission of the disease; and

WHEREAS, the closure of schools and businesses in numerous areas as a result of control measures undertaken in response to the present public health emergency has also resulted in increased visitation to the City of Galveston increasing the density of individuals on the island with a concomitant increase of the risk of transmission of the disease; and

WHEREAS, the presence of transient recreational vehicles at RV parks and public parks and private commercial lots results in an increased the number of visitors to the City, and the occupants of such vehicles are contained in an enclosed confined space which facilitates the transmission of the virus more easily; and

WHEREAS, the determination to implement control measures involves consideration of the balance between the social utility of the control measure implements versus the effect of the measure on the private and public sectors ability to deliver goods and services to the general population and preserve the public confidence; and

WHEREAS, the City has taken several control measures to reduce the number of visitors to the City by the entry of Orders and also reduce the risk of community spread of the virus by closing restaurants, bars,
public entertainment venues, and short term rental units, but there has been an increase in the presence of recreational vehicles in the City at various locations, the occupants of which are typically highly mobile and have visited numerous locations with varying degrees of infection by the Corona virus, which frustrates the purpose of the control measures implemented by the City; and

WHEREAS, for the purpose of this Order, the term "recreational vehicle" includes Class A, B and C motor homes, travel trailers and fifth wheels and any other driven or towed vehicle designed for people to live in either on a limited or long-term basis; and

WHEREAS, for the purposes of this Order, the term RV park refers to a location making available to recreational vehicle owners a place to park their RV for a period of time not to exceed sixty days; and

WHEREAS, for the purposes of this Order, the term "public park" shall refer to any place on the Galveston Seawall, any beach access point in the City of Galveston, any parking lot owned by a governmental entity within the City, and any area owned by a public entity used for recreation of any kind; and

WHEREAS, the term "commercial lot" shall refer to a parcel of real property owned by a public or private entity used to park motor vehicles of any kind.

NOW THEREFORE, I, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF GALVESTON, HEREBY FIND AND ORDER, THAT:

SECTION 1. The findings and recitations set out in the preamble to this ORDER are found to be true and correct and they are hereby adopted by the Mayor and made a part hereof for all purposes.

SECTION 2. RV parks located within the City of Galveston are prohibited from allowing an RV to be parked in their facility for a period of less than thirty days; any lease, rental or license to use a parking space in an RV park in the city shall be required to be for a period of thirty-one days or more and be evidenced by a commensurate rent, lease or license charge. The operator of an RV park who enters into an agreement to allow and RV to be parked for a period of less than thirty days shall be in violation of this Order. Each agreement to park and RV shall be deemed a separate offense. Each day of violation shall be deemed to be a separate offense.

SECTION 3. An operator of an RV may not park the RV in a public park for a period in excess of two hours; parking in a public park in excess of two hours shall be a violation of this Order.

SECTION 4. An operator of an RV may not park the RV in a commercial lot for a period in excess of two hours; parking in a commercial lot in excess of two hours shall be a violation of this Order.

SECTION 5. This Order shall not apply to those persons performing essential services as defined in the attached Exhibit A.

SECTION 6. Individuals occupying a space in an RV park in the City of Galveston are ordered to vacate the premises by 10 a.m. on March 28, 2020.

SECTION 7. Any person who shall violate any provision of this ORDER shall be deemed guilty of a Class C misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined in a penal sum as allowed by law.
SECTION 8. In accordance with the Texas Disaster Act, this declaration shall take effect at 5:00 p.m. on March 27, 2020 and shall terminate seven days from the entry of this order or until further Order of the City.

SO DECLARED AND ORDERED at 4:00 pm on this the 27th day of March 2020.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DONALD S. GLYNSKY
CITY ATTORNEY

JAMES D. YARBROUGH
MAYOR, CITY OF GALVESTON

ATTEST

JANELLE WILLIAMS
CITY SECRETARY
ORDER MANDATING THAT CITIZENS STAY IN PLACE IN THEIR RESIDENCE, MAKING EXCEPTIONS FOR THOSE ENGAGED IN ESSENTIAL ACTIVITIES, BUSINESS OR GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS IN THE CITY OF GALVESTON ISSUED BY THE MAYOR OF GALVESTON

WHEREAS, the City of Galveston, Texas has declared a state of emergency in accordance with Texas Government Code Chapter 418 due to the Coronavirus/COVID 19; and

WHEREAS, information issued by the Federal Center for Disease Control and the Texas Department of Health Services related to the Coronavirus have stressed undertaking steps to control the spread of the virus; and

WHEREAS, those entities have urged that the failure to take steps to diminish the spread of the virus will result in the overwhelming of the health care system in this area with a concomitant increase of mortality; and

WHEREAS, the Galveston County Health District has confirmed the presence of Coronavirus in Galveston County caused by community spread with fourteen confirmed cases in Galveston County and more being contemplated; and

WHEREAS, the Galveston County Health District has recommended the county and municipal jurisdictions impose a stay at home order; and

WHEREAS, Galveston County has issued a stay at home order for residents within Galveston County; and

WHEREAS, the present emphasis is the control of community spread of the virus by limiting the number of citizens who are present in a given area; and

WHEREAS, community control slowing the spread of the virus includes restricting the congregation of citizens so as to limit the number of citizens who might spread the virus; and

WHEREAS, the determination to implement control measures involves consideration of the balance between the social utility of the control measure implements versus the effect of the measure on the private and public sectors ability to deliver goods and services to the general population and preserve the public confidence; and

WHEREAS, it appears the implementation of control measures to control the community spread of the virus is in the best interest of this community; and

WHEREAS, the implementation of such control measures at public entertainment venues would not undermine the ability of the private and public sector to deliver essential goods and services to the general population.
NOW THEREFORE, I, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF GALVESTON, HEREBY FIND AND ORDER:

SECTION 1. That the findings and recitations set out in the preamble to this ORDER are found to be true and correct and they are hereby adopted by the Mayor and made a part hereof for all purposes.

SECTION 2. It is ordered the following measures are placed in effect as of the time set forth in this Order:

(a) All individuals currently living within the City of Galveston are ordered to stay at home. For the purposes of this Order, residences include hotels, motels, shared rentals, and similar facilities. To the extent individuals are using shared or outdoor spaces, they must at all times as reasonably possible maintain social distancing of at least six feet from any other person. All persons may leave their residences only for Essential Activities, or to provide or perform Essential Governmental Functions, or to operate Essential Businesses, all as defined in below.

(b) All businesses operating within City of Galveston, except Essential Businesses as defined herein below, are required to cease all activities at facilities located within the City. For clarity, businesses may continue operations consisting exclusively of employees or contractors performing activities at their own residences (i.e. working from home). To the greatest extent possible, all Essential Businesses shall comply with the Social Distancing Guidelines attached, including maintaining six-foot social distancing for both employees and the general public.

(c) All public or private gatherings of any number of people occurring outside a single household or living unit are prohibited, except as otherwise provided herein. Nothing in this Order prohibits the gathering of members of a household or living unit.

(d) Restaurants with or without drive-in or drive-through services and microbreweries, micro-distilleries, or wineries may only provide take out, delivery, or drive-through services as allowed by law.

(e) Religious and worship services may only be provided by video and teleconference. Religious institutions must limit in-person staff to ten (10) people or less when preparing for or conducting video or teleconference services, and all individuals must follow the Social Distancing Guidelines including the six-foot social distancing.

(f) All elective medical, surgical, and dental procedures are prohibited anywhere in City of Galveston. Hospitals, ambulatory surgery centers, dental offices, and other medical facilities are directed to identify procedures that are deemed "elective" by assessing which procedures can be postponed or cancelled based on patient risk considering the emergency need for redirection of resources to COVID-19 response.
(g) For purposes of this Order, individuals may leave their residence only to perform any of the following "Essential Activities":

i. To engage in activities or perform tasks essential to their health and safety, or to the health and safety of their family or household members (for example, obtaining medical supplies or medication, visiting a health care professional, or obtaining supplies needed to work from home).

ii. To obtain necessary services or supplies for themselves and their family or household members, or to deliver those services or supplies to others (for example, food, pet supply, and any other household consumer products, and products necessary to maintain the safety, sanitation, and essential operation of residences).

iii. To engage in outdoor activity, provided the individuals comply with social distancing requirements of six feet (for example, walking, biking, hiking, or running).

iv. To perform work providing essential products and services at an Essential Business or to otherwise carry out activities specifically permitted in this Order.

v. To care for a family member or pet in another household.

(h) For purposes of this Order, "Essential Businesses" means:

i. Essential Healthcare Operations. Healthcare operations, including hospitals, clinics, dentists, pharmacies, pharmaceutical and biotechnology companies, other healthcare facilities, healthcare suppliers, mental health providers, substance abuse service providers, blood banks, medical research, laboratory services, or any related and/or ancillary healthcare services. Home-based and residential-based care for seniors, adults, or children are also considered healthcare operations. Healthcare operations also includes veterinary care and all health and welfare services provided to animals. This exemption shall be viewed broadly to avoid any impacts to the delivery of healthcare. Healthcare operations do not include fitness and exercise gyms and similar facilities. Healthcare operations do not include elective medical, surgical, and dental procedures.

ii. Essential Government Functions. All services provided by local governments needed to ensure the continuing operation of the government agencies to provide for the health, safety and welfare of the public. Further, nothing in this order shall prohibit any individual from performing or accessing "Essential Government Functions." All Essential Government Functions shall be performed in compliance with social distancing
requirements of six feet, to the extent possible.

iii. Essential Critical Infrastructure. Work necessary to the operations and maintenance of the 16 critical infrastructure sectors as identified by the National Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Agency (CISA) including public works construction, residential and commercial construction, airport operations, water, sewer, gas, electrical, oil refining, roads and highways, public transportation, solid waste collection and removal, internet, and telecommunications systems (including the provision of essential global, national, and local infrastructure for computing services, business infrastructure, communications, and web-based services), financial institutions, defense and national security-related operations, essential manufacturing operations provided that they carry out those services or that work in compliance with social distancing requirements of six feet, to the extent possible. Essential Businesses providing essential infrastructure should implement screening precautions to protect employees and all activity shall be performed in compliance with social distancing guidelines attached.

(iv) Essential Retail. Food service providers, including grocery stores, warehouse stores, big-box stores, bodegas, liquor stores, gas stations and convenience stores, farmers' markets that sell food products and household staples. Food cultivation, including farming, fishing, and livestock. Businesses that ship or deliver groceries, food, goods or services directly to residences. Restaurants and other facilities that prepare and serve food, but only for delivery or carry out. Schools and other entities that typically provide free services to students or members of the public on a pick-up and take-away basis only. The restriction of delivery or carry out does not apply to cafes and restaurants located within hospital and medical facilities. Laundromats, dry cleaners, and laundry service providers. Gas stations, auto-supply, auto and bicycle repair, hardware stores, and related facilities. Businesses that supply products needed for people to work from home.

(v) Providers of Basic Necessities to Economically Disadvantaged Populations. Businesses that provide food, shelter, and social services, and other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged or otherwise needy individuals.

(vi) Essential Services Necessary to Maintain Essential Operations of Residences or Other Essential Businesses. Trash and recycling collection, processing and disposal, mail and shipping services, building cleaning and maintenance, warehouse/distribution and fulfillment, storage for essential businesses, funeral homes, crematoriums and cemeteries.
Plumbers, electricians, exterminators, and other service providers who provide services that are necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and essential operations of residences and Essential Businesses. Professional services, such as legal or accounting services, when necessary to assist in compliance with legally mandated activities. Businesses that supply other essential businesses with the support of supplies needed to operate.


ix) Childcare Services. Childcare facilities providing services that enable employees exempted in this Order to work as permitted.

i) Any manufacturer who retools so that a substantial part of their business is for the purpose of manufacturing and producing ventilators may apply for an "essential business" exemption under this Order.

j) Grocery stores, supermarkets, warehouse stores, hospitals, and medical facilities are experiencing high levels of demand for a large number of products, requiring more deliveries from manufacturers and distribution centers to serve their customers. A number of Texas cities and local associations have implemented restrictions on delivery hours to stores to mitigate truck noise and traffic. Due to the need to deliver products as quickly and efficiently as possible during this critical timeframe, this Order hereby suspends all delivery hour restrictions for transport to or from any entity involved in the selling or distribution of food products, medicine, or medical supplies in City of Galveston for the next 60 days.

k) Due to increased demand for bath or toilet tissue resulting from stock up buying and individuals who purchase for resale, a mandatory limit on toilet paper sales is instituted until the supply chain meets the demand or two weeks, whichever comes first. All sales of bath or toilet tissue occurring in City of Galveston are limited to the greater of: (a) twelve (12) rolls per purchase or (b) one (1) package per purchase.

l) If someone in a household has tested positive for coronavirus, the household is ordered to isolate at home for 14 days until or unless otherwise directed by the Local Health Authority. Members of the household cannot go to work, school, or any other community function.

m) Nursing homes, retirement, and long-term care facilities are instructed by this order to prohibit non-essential visitors from accessing their facilities unless to provide critical assistance or for end-of-life visitation.

n) Additionally, all employees are to remain at home if sick and will utilize the sick leave policies of their employer.
SECTION 3. Any person who shall violate any provision of this Order shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined in a penal sum as allowed by law.

SECTION 4. In accordance with the Texas Disaster Act, this order shall take effect immediately at 10:45 A.M. on March 24, 2020 and shall terminate seven days from the entry of this Order or until further Order of the City.

SO DECLARED AND ORDERED, at 10:45 a.m. on this 24th day of March 2020.

JAMES YARBROUGH
MAYOR, CITY OF GALVESTON

ATTEST:

CITY OF GALVESTON

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DONALD S. GLYWASKY
CITY ATTORNEY
DCHHS Social Distancing Recommendations

1) Vulnerable Populations: Limit Outings
   - Vulnerable populations include people who are:
     o 60 years old and older.
     o People with certain health conditions such as heart disease, lung disease, diabetes, kidney disease and weakened immune systems.
   - For vulnerable populations, don't go to gatherings unless it is essential. Stay home. Avoid people who are sick.

2) Workplace and Businesses: Minimize Exposure
   - Suspend nonessential employee travel.
   - Ensure employees practice social distancing and do not work within six feet of one another.
   - Urge essential employees to stay home when they are sick and maximize flexibility in sick leave benefits.
   - Do not require a doctor's note for employees who are sick.
   - Maximize telecommuting options.
   - Persons who need to be at work to provide essential services of great benefit to the community must take steps in their workplace to minimize risk.

3) Cancel Non-essential Events
   - Cancel non-essential events.
   - Do not attend any events or gatherings if sick.
   - For events that aren't cancelled, we recommend:
     o Having hand washing capabilities, hand sanitizers and tissues available.
     o Frequently cleaning high touch surface areas like counter tops and hand rails.
     o Finding ways to implement social distancing.

4) Schools: Safety First
   - Do not have your child attend school if sick.
   - If you have a child with chronic health conditions, consult the child's doctor about school attendance.
   - Schools should equip all classrooms with hand sanitizers and tissues.
   - Recommend rescheduling or cancelling events that are not essential.
   - Explore remote teaching and online options to continue learning.
   - Schools should develop a plan for citywide school closures, and families should prepare for further closures.

5) Transit: Cleaning and Protection
   - Increase cleaning of vehicles and high touch surface areas.
   - Provide hand washing/hand sanitizers and tissues in stations and on vehicles.
- Ensure social distancing practices are implemented to the full extent possible.
6) Health Care Settings: Avoid as possible, protect the vulnerable
- Long-term care facilities should have a COVID-19 plan in accordance with CDC or state guidelines.
- Long-term care facilities should restrict all visitation except for certain compassionate care situations, such as end of life situations.
- The general public should avoid going to medical settings such as hospitals, nursing homes and long-term care facilities, even if you are not ill.
- If you are ill, call your health care provider ahead of time, and you may be able to be served by phone.
- Do not visit emergency rooms unless it is essential.
- Follow guidance and directions of all facilities.

7) Everyone: Do your part
The best way for all City of Galveston residents to reduce their risk of getting sick, as with seasonal colds or the flu, still applies to prevent COVID-19:
- Wash hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds.
- Cough or sneeze into your elbow or a tissue. Throw the tissue in the trash.
- Stay home if you are sick.
- Avoid touching your face.
- Try alternatives to shaking hands, like an elbow bump or wave.
- If you have recently returned from a country, state or region with ongoing COVID-19 infections, monitor your health and follow the instructions of public health officials and CDC guidance.
- There is no recommendation to wear masks at this time to prevent yourself from getting sick.

You can also prepare for the disruption caused by an outbreak. Preparedness actions include:
- Prepare to work from home if that is possible for your job, and your employer.
- Make sure you have a supply of all essential medications for your family.
- Prepare a child care plan if you or a caregiver are sick.
- Make arrangements about how your family will manage school closures.
- Plan for how you can care for a sick family member without getting sick yourself.
- Take care of each other and check in by phone with friends, family and neighbors that are vulnerable to serious illness or death if they get COVID-19.
- Keep common spaces clean to help maintain a healthy environment for you and others. Frequently touched surfaces should be cleaned regularly with disinfecting sprays, wipes or common household cleaning products.
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I would like to comment on Agenda Item #: 2

COMMENTS: Please enforce the orders of Governor Abbott and require all non-essential businesses to close. Require all citizens and tourists to abide by the social distancing guidelines issued by the CDC. Please don’t put the lives of your community before profits and local economy. You know as well as most people that a large percentage of people will not heed the warnings and take this seriously. Give us information and updates. You have to be meeting every day to stay up to date on the country, state, county, and city status in regards to fighting this virus. Tell us what you know, how it affects us and what we should be doing.
City Council Comment Form

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Agenda Item #:  
COMMENTS: What does the body count have to be for you to issue a SIP?
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Name: Diane O'Neill

Telephone: 8324287042

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City: Fredericksburg

State: YX

Zip: 78624

I would like to comment on Agenda Item #: COVID 19

COMMENTS: Now that FBG has a community acquired case of COVID 19, when will a Shelter in Place ordinance be announced?

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Name: Emily

Telephone: 830-928-2934

Address1: 211 Clyde Run

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City: Fredericksburg

State: TX

Zip: 78624

I would like to comment on Agenda Item #: COVID-19

COMMENTS: Greetings, City Council!

There is a plethora of issues to address concerning this pandemic for you, I am sure, so I will attempt brevity in my comments.

Foremost, in regarding tourist travel and lost business revenue, I would like to address the danger of allowing tourists to roam freely in our city. A recent article suggested that COVID-19 is already very present in rural Texas counties, including Gillespie. I believe a complete lockdown of locals is an infringement of our rights, but tourists traveling here encouraged by advertisements to “get away from the virus!” is reckless and frankly, stupid. We have a large elderly population and those who work in essential businesses are particularly susceptible right now. We already have an influx of neighboring large cities sweeping our grocery stores; we do not need to encourage it. However, I believe it is important for locals to continue supporting other locals. Businesses that offer to-go food and beverages should be patronized by those who can afford to do so; as a wealthy city, this should be encouraged. A recent stimulus package was
signed by the federal government to allot only $350B to small businesses, so they require our continued support—but not at the expense of the health of the locals. Secondly, I am sure you have noticed the owners of multiple homes losing revenue due to unbooked AirBnBs and VRBOs. AirBnB is actually offering renters a $250M bailout, but the problem in our city is not the loss of income to the renters, who can afford multiple houses, but the huge increase in property taxes and the lack of at least moderately affordable places to live. The number of these rental properties needs to be drastically limited, encouraging stays at local B&Bs and driving property taxes down. This pandemic presents a unique opportunity to address this problem.

Moving forward, I would like to say I have faith in adequate, fair legislation, as I know many of you personally and I am sure you know my family as well. I am proud to be a part of this community and I am proud that we have the liberty to address our concerns and continue to make our city better.

Thank you, and godspeed.
City Council Comment Form

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I would like to comment on Agenda Item #: 2

COMMENTS: I along with many people in our community do not understand why our City hasn't declared a shelter in place along with many other cities in Texas. There are businesses on Main Street that are not abiding by the Governor's declaration. The police cannot do anything about it because our City has failed to make the official declaration. My husband and I were running on main street yesterday, Sunday the 5th and passed a group of people outside Cross Mountain Winery who were drinking wine and hanging out on the benches. They would not move over to allow the recommended 3-6 feet for us to pass along safely. They were not practicing social distancing. Our community is at risk because tourists continue to come in...We have a huge population of older residents in our town and our number one priority should be to protect them and our community as a whole.

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Name: Edward Rode
Telephone: 8309985609
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To: Fredericksburg City Council

From: Sonia Rivero  
       Fredericksburg, TX

Subject: RV Park Closure

Date: April 6, 2020

It is disturbing to note the City has closed the City RV Park to incoming guests. During this very difficult time, the RV community has been particularly hurt. I am specifically referring to the over a million people who live full-time in RVs. Most of these people are retired and need very much to shelter in place at this time.

The community to whom I refer have no other homes and live, while not in poverty, an economic lifestyle in recreational vehicles of all shapes and sizes. The closure of the more economic local or other public parks puts these households in dire straits.

Multiple times I have heard misguided City Council members make reference to people who own RVs as being people of substantial financial means. To my knowledge, people with substantial means do not live full-time in RVs. While in some jurisdictions, private RV Parks remain open, they are limited and costly.

I urge you to show that Fredericksburg has heart and can accommodate people who are themselves extremely concerned about very carefully following all health advisements. It is not necessary to keep restrooms open.

Please allow these senior citizens who need to shelter in place to do so at the City RV Park, if the request is made. A one month stay may just be the love these people need.