

## Mayor of Providence

## Jorge O. Elorza

## **EXECUTIVE ORDER**

### 2020-2

#### March 16, 2020

# SUPPLEMENTAL EMERGENCY DECLARATION

This Emergency Declaration supplements Executive Order 2020-1 issued March 12, 2020.

COVID-19 continues its spread internationally. For the protection of the health of the people of the City of Providence and the further prevention of the spread of COVID-19, consistent with the emergency directives of the State of Rhode Island, and pursuant to the authority vested in me by virtue of, *inter alia*, Title 30, Chapter 15 of the General Laws and Chapter 7 of the City of Providence's Code of Ordinances, I hereby order and direct the following:

- 1. There shall be no gatherings of more than twenty-five (25) persons within the boundaries of the city.
- 2. There shall be no on-premises food or drink consumption for restaurants, bars, coffee shops, or other food establishments within the boundaries of the city. Establishments with a food license may continue to conduct pick-up, drive-thru, and delivery only.
- 3. The Providence Place Mall is to close.
- 4. Nothing in this Executive Order shall constrain duties and powers of the City, the Mayor, or PEMA authorized by Title 30, Chapter 15 of the General Laws and the City of Providence's Code of Ordinances §§ 7-1 *et seq.*
- 5. This Executive Order shall take effect tomorrow, March 17, 2020, and remain in full force and effect through March 19, 2020, and, with the consent of the City Council, it shall continue in effect until the earlier of March 30, 2020 or a declaration that the need for a state of emergency has abated.

So Ordered: Joige D. Eldrza, Mayor

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