EXECUTIVE ORDER

2020-3

March 20, 2020

SUPPLEMENTAL EMERGENCY DECLARATION


COVID-19 continues its spread locally, nationally and 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 ten (10) persons within the boundaries of the city.

2. The rendering of services by barbers, hairdressers and cosmeticians, nail technicians, electrologists, estheticians, eyelash technicians, and tattoo and piercing providers is prohibited in all public settings including, but not limited to, barbershops, beauty shops, hairdressing salons, nail salons, spas, kiosks, and tattoo or piercing establishments.

3. Fitness centers and venues of all kinds; including gyms, health clubs, spas, aquatic centers, yoga studios, martial arts studios, massage parlors, etc. shall remain closed.

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 21, 2020 at 5PM, and remain in full force and effect through March 30, 2020, or until a declaration that the need for a state of emergency has abated.

So Ordered:

Jorge O. Elorza, Mayor

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