

CITY OF SEAL BEACH

**SECOND SUPPLEMENT TO PROCLAMATION OF EXISTENCE
OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY BY THE EMERGENCY SERVICES DIRECTOR**

WHEREAS, City of Seal Beach Municipal Code Section 3.25.020 empowers the City Manager as the Director of Emergency Services to proclaim the existence or threatened existence of a local emergency when said city is affected or likely affected by a public calamity and the City Council is not in session, and

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020 the City Manager/Emergency Services Director of the City of Seal Beach proclaimed a local emergency to help the City and the region prepare for and respond to the public health crisis created by the spread of the COVID-19 virus; and

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, the President of the United States also declared a national emergency, joining the State of California and the County of Orange in making resources available to fight the spread of the virus and imposing or suggesting certain restrictions; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020 the President requested that people avoid non-essential travel and congregating in groups of 10 or more, among other precautions; and

WHEREAS, Governor Newsom has issued an Order that all persons “stay at home” with certain limited exceptions and for persons to comply with “social distancing” requirements when out in public; and

WHEREAS, the City’s Public Safety and Marine Safety officers have observed that members of the public are continuing to congregate and not employ safe “social distancing” requirements while using certain public spaces and facilities in the City; and

WHEREAS, this second supplement to the Proclamation of Local Emergency is necessary to protect public health, safety, life and property in the City.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jill R. Ingram as City Manager and Director of Emergency Services for the City of Seal beach, do hereby issue the following order to be effective at 10:00 pm on March 23, 2020 until further notice:

1. The following areas in the City will be closed to the public:
 - All beaches including Surfside Beach
 - Playgrounds/Tot Lot
 - All City Parks including Basketball Courts, Tennis Courts, Volleyball Courts, and Picnic Areas
 - Arbor Dog Park
 - Gum Grove Nature Park
 - Edison Park Community Garden
 - Beach Parking Lots
 - Seal Beach Pier

- Public Restrooms operated by the City
- San Gabriel River Bike Path within the City limits.

The City will continue to monitor COVID-19 disease spread, State and CDC recommendations, and the impact of the required measures, and as needed, may revisit, extend, expand, or otherwise modify this Order to protect the public's health and safety.

2. Any violation of this or other Orders shall be punishable as a violation of Seal Beach Municipal Code Section 3.25.030 and other applicable laws.
3. This Order is subject to review and ratification by the Seal Beach City Council as soon as practical.

Effective Date: March 23, 2020

Time: 10:00 P.M.

By: /s/ Jill R. Ingram
Jill R. Ingram
City Manager and Director of Emergency Services
City of Seal Beach