

SUSPENSION OF EMERGENCY DECLARATION

WHEREAS, the COVID-19 pandemic conditions throughout the State of Arizona, Cochise County and the Greater Sierra Vista area have shown significant improvement since the Emergency Declaration regarding the use of face coverings within the City of Sierra Vista issued by the Mayor of Sierra Vista on June 26, 2020 (the "Emergency Declaration"); and

WHEREAS, the positive actions of the good Citizens and Businesses in the Sierra Vista area, to take care of their families, friends and neighbors by following the Emergency Declaration, have resulted in significantly reducing the number of local COVID-19 cases; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Sierra Vista community have clearly demonstrated their understanding of the CDC and State Health Department Guidelines by the proper wearing of face coverings in public and continuing to follow proper social distancing guidelines; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Sierra Vista may reinstate the Emergency Declaration should there be a rapid increase in the number of COVID-19 cases in the Greater Sierra Vista area that would endanger public health and safety:

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby declared that the Emergency Declaration issued on June 26, 2020 is suspended, effective September 18, 2020 at 1:00 a.m.

IT IS HEREBY FURTHER RECOMMENDED:

The following guidelines are recommended to all persons located within the City of Sierra Vista:

SECTION 1: Face Coverings and use of Shields in Public:

- A. While in the City of Sierra Vista, every person is strongly encouraged to follow CDC and State of Arizona COVID-19 Guidelines when in public.
- B. While in the City of Sierra Vista, every person is strongly encouraged to follow the social distancing and requirements regarding the wearing of face coverings issued by respective Commercial Establishments, Government Facilities, Schools, Institutions of Higher Learning, Child Care Centers, Not for Profit Organizations and Houses of Worship.

SECTION 2: Duration.

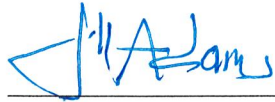
This Suspension Order shall remain in effect until the earlier of the rescission of the City of Sierra Vista Emergency Declaration dated June 26, 2020 or the rescission of Executive Order 2020-40 by the Governor of the State of Arizona.

Dated this 17th day of September, 2020.



Frederick W. Mueller, Mayor

ATTEST:



Jill, Adams, Sierra Vista City Clerk

