

OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

EMERGENCY REGULATION: PROHIBITIONS ON PUBLIC-FACING BUSINESSES

WHEREAS, the City issued a Proclamation Declaring State of Emergency on March 16, 2020, in response to the COVID-19 outbreak;

WHEREAS, at that time, in accordance with guidance from the President of the United States and the Center for Disease Control, the City urged the public to practice social distancing and not attend events where ten or more people will be gathered;

WHEREAS, said outbreak continues to emerge and spread rapidly, so that the number of cases of COVID-19 since the City's Proclamation was issued has risen from eight confirmed and nine presumptively positive cases to 30 confirmed and 12 presumptively positive cases;

WHEREAS, health officials have now confirmed the first case of COVID-19 in Penobscot County; and

WHEREAS, the risk of community spread throughout Bangor impacts the life, health and safety of the public and public health is imperiled by the person-to-person spread of COVID-19;

- I, Catherine M. Conlow, City Manager of the City of Bangor, pursuant to the City's Proclamation Declaring State of Emergency of March 16, 2020 and Section 28-79 of the Bangor City Code, hereby regulate as follows:
 - 1. Beginning March 19, 2020 at 6:00 p.m., no auditorium, stadium, arena, large conference room, meeting hall, theater, gymnasium, fitness center, or private club, said uses being listed in the Governor of the State of Maine's Executive Order of March 18, 2020, or movie theater, museum, dance club, music venue, adult entertainment facility, casino, gym, yoga studio, or indoor cycling studio, shall be open while said Proclamation Declaring State of Emergency shall remain in effect, including any renewal thereof.
 - 2. The establishments covered under sections 1 do not include businesses that provide essential services, including but not limited to food processing, agriculture, industrial manufacturing, construction, trash collection, grocery and household goods (including convenience stores), home repair and hardware and auto repair, pharmacy and other medical facilities, biomedical and health care, child care, post offices and shipping outlets, insurance, banks, gas stations, laundromats, veterinary clinics and animal feed

and supply stores, shipping stores, public transportation, and hotel and commercial lodging (except to the extent that said hotel and commercial lodging facilities include bars, restaurants, meeting facilities, and other facilities required to be closed by City or State emergency proclamation, including but not limited to section 1 above).

3. The establishments covered under section 1 also do not include any establishment to the extent it is used for COVID-19 relief efforts, including but not limited to housing, meal preparation, medical facilities, and other relief efforts.

March 19, 2020

Catherine M. Conlow, City Manager