

A RESOLUTION BY THE CITY OF FAYETTE REAFFIRMING THE CITY OF FAYETTE'S STANCE AND TO ENSURE THAT THE PUBLIC IS ACTING IN A SAFE MANNER.

WHEREAS, in December 2019, medical professionals detected a novel coronavirus, now designated as "SARS-CoV-2," which causes a disease known as "coronavirus disease 2019" abbreviated and popularly known as "COVID-19"; and

WHEREAS, on January 30, 2020, the World Health Organization Director General declared an outbreak of COVID-19 as a Public Health Emergency of International Concern, advising countries to prepare for containment, detection, isolation and case management, contact tracing and prevention of the onward spread of the disease; and

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization Director General characterized COVID-19 as a pandemic; and

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, the President of the United States declared the outbreak of COVID-19 in the United States constitutes a national emergency; and


WHEREAS: on March 13, 2020 Governor of the State of Missouri, Mike Parson, signed Executive Order 20-02 declaring a State of Emergency in Missouri in response to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS: On Monday, April 28, 2020, Missouri Governor Parsons announced Phase 1 of the "Show Me Missouri Recovery Plan" which allows all Missouri businesses to open with safe-spacing requirements of six feet effective Monday, May 4, 2020;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Fayette, Missouri, as follows:

1. I, Kevin Oeth, Mayor of Fayette, Missouri, along with the Board of Alderman reaffirm the city's intent to remind our citizens to act in a safe manner, and remember the guidelines recommended by the Center of Disease Control.
2. Citizens who feel sick should stay home, continue to practice good hygiene, including: washing hands with soap and water, or using hand sanitizer, especially after touching frequently used items or surfaces; Avoiding touching your face; Sneezing or coughing into a tissue, or the inside of your elbow, and disinfecting frequently used items and surfaces as much as possible. Citizens are reminded to be cognizant of the CDC recommendations and asked to act responsibly when visiting businesses.
3. Citizens are asked to act responsibly when in groups that do not readily allow for appropriate physical distancing.
4. Churches and other places of worship may continue services (including weddings, funerals, wakes, memorial services or similar gatherings) but are encouraged to comply with CDC guidelines including social distancing and additional sanitizing practices.

Adopted this 18th day of August, 2020



Kevin Oeth, Mayor

Attest:



Tara Kunze City Clerk