

CITY OF DEL CITY
REVISED EMERGENCY PROCLAMATION
MARCH 20, 2020

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, the President of the United States declared COVID-19 a National Emergency and ordered each state to set up emergency operations centers and ordered hospitals to activate their emergency preparedness plans; and

WHEREAS, I, Floyd A. Eason, Mayor of the City of Del City, Oklahoma, do find that the aforementioned conditions constitute a threat to the public health, safety and welfare of the City, and create an emergency disaster situation within the meaning of Section 683.3, Oklahoma Emergency Act of 2003, as amended and Del City Municipal Code, Section 6-1, et seq.; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, I issued a Local Emergency Proclamation declaring a public disaster due to COVID-19; and City Council ratified it; and

WHEREAS, the United States is experiencing a continuing outbreak of the Novel Coronavirus-2019 also known as COVID-19; and

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

WHEREAS, on March 15, 2020, the Governor of Oklahoma declared a State of Emergency because the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, the Center for Disease Control (“CDC”) has emphasized the COVID-19 risk to individuals is dependent on exposure and transmission is through respiratory droplets produced when an infected person coughs or sneezes; and

WHEREAS, due to the urgency of the situation and the advice of our public health professionals, I and the City Council have determined that an actual emergency exists that requires the use of measures to secure the safety protection of the public health, life, safety and welfare; and

WHEREAS, my previous Local Emergency Proclamation should be revised to include additional provisions noted below.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it proclaimed as the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Del City, Oklahoma, the COVID-19 pandemic, and specifically the local community transmission of such disease, is and continues to be a public disaster which affect public health, life, safety and welfare and public peace within the limits of the City of Del City.

AND FURTHER PROCLAIM, the following provisions are issued and applicable within the City of Del City limits and effective as noted below and shall continue until the state of emergency is terminated:

1. Organized gatherings of fifty (50) or more people, excepting political subdivisions and state entities over which the City of Del City has no control are hereby prohibited until the expiration of this emergency declaration.
2. In accordance with guidance from the CDC, residents are further urged to avoid all gatherings of ten (10) persons or more.
3. All private clubs, bars and lounges located within the corporate limits of the City of Del City shall be prohibited from operating or opening to the patrons until the expiration of this emergency declaration.
4. Restaurant dining rooms, and other dine-in service areas such as “food courts” and “buffets”, shall be closed for the public health, life, safety and welfare of the general public. “Drive thru” or “to go” orders are encouraged to limit the exposure of the spread of COVID-19 in our community. This shall remain in effect until the expiration of this emergency declaration.
5. Grocery stores, pharmacies, and other retail establishments are urged to set “senior hours” to allow those who are elderly or others who have high risk factors identified by the CDC to have designated shopping hours.

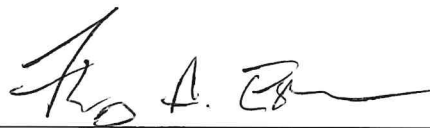
NOW, THEREFORE, BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN ME BY STATE LAW, I, FLOYD EASON, MAYOR OF THE CITY OF DEL CITY, OKLAHOMA, AND THE CITY COUNCIL DO HEREBY PROCLAIM AND DECLARE:

This proclamation shall become effective 12:01 midnight of March 22, 2020.

This state of emergency shall continue until 12:01 o'clock a.m., May 11, 2020, or terminated earlier by further proclamation.

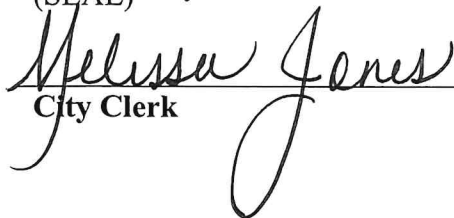
PROCLAIMED THIS 20th DAY OF MARCH 2020.

ATTEST:



MAYOR FLOYD A. EASON

(SEAL)



City Clerk

