

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING SHELTER IN PLACE EXECUTIVE ORDER
AND CLARIFYING THE POSITION OF
THE CITY OF LOUISVILLE, MISSISSIPPI

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Mississippi issued Executive Order No. 1466 on April 1, 2020, which ordered shelter in place;

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Board of Alderman of the City of Louisville, Mississippi, recognize the seriousness of COVID-19, and the necessity of the Governor's Executive Order 1466;

WHEREAS, The Mayor and Board of Alderman of the City of Louisville, Mississippi, have been presented with questions as to what the shelter in place allows or prohibits;

WHEREAS, The Mayor and Board of Alderman of the City of Louisville, Mississippi, in order to provide some clarity as to what is expected.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF LOUISVILLE, MISSISSIPPI, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION ONE - ALLOWED ACTIVITIES

1. Go to the grocery, convenience, or warehouse store;
2. Go to the pharmacy or other healthcare necessities;
3. Go to necessary medical appointments (check with provider first);
4. Go to a restaurant for take-out, curbside, pick-up, delivery or drive-thru;
5. Care for or support a friend or family member;

6. Take a walk, ride your bike, hike, jog, and be in nature-keeping at least 6 feet between you and others;
7. Walk your pets and take them to the veterinarian, if necessary;
8. Receive deliveries from any business which delivers;
9. Travel to and from essential employment.

SECTION TWO - DISALLOWED ACTIVITIES

1. Go to work unless you are providing essential service as defined by this order;
2. Visit friends and family if there is no urgent need or care;
3. Maintain less than 6 feet of distance from others when you go out;
4. Visit the hospital, nursing home, skilled nursing facility, or other residential care facility, except for limited exceptions provided by the facility.

SECTION THREE - EXAMPLES OF ESSENTIAL WORKER FUNCTIONS

1. Healthcare and caregivers;
2. Mental health and social service;
3. Pharmacy;
4. Supporting grocery, pharmacy, & other retail sale food & beverage;
5. Restaurant carryout & quick-serve food operations & food delivery;
6. Farming;
7. Utility or municipal service providers;
8. Critical manufacturing;
9. Petroleum, natural & propane gas;
10. Transportation & Logistics;
11. Communications & Information Technology;
12. Financial Services & Banking Industry.

SECTION FOUR - ADDITIONAL PROVISIONS


Business and other similar type establishments having large customer/client base (retail stores, plasma centers, home improvement stores, ect.) must limit customer access to their places of business to no more than 10% of their permitted occupancy limit, at any one time. This calculation does not include employees in the count.

SECTION FIVE - ENFORCEMENT PROVISIONS

For those establishments and individuals choosing to further the spread of the virus by ignoring social distancing protocols and allowing the gathering of groups, whether a violation of the curfew ordinance or the State of Mississippi Executive Order 1466, the City is instituting a new WARNING and CITATION policy. Police Officers have been authorized to issue warning notices to operations in violation of crowd density and social distancing restrictions. Those establishments issued a warning will be posted on the City of Louisville's website. Police Officers are authorized to issue citations, that include a fine up to \$300, and/or jail time, up to 6 months for each offense. First offense shall be for the on-premises manager or supervisor. Second offense violations shall apply to the managers, supervisors, property owners, head of household, and all patrons on premises.

SO ORDERED BY THE MAYOR AND BOARD OF ALDERMEN, this
the 7th day of April, 2020.





Will Hill, Mayor



Babs W. Fulton, City Clerk