



**PROCLAMATION AMENDING THE STATE OF EMERGENCY DECLARED
ON MARCH 15, 2020 TO ALL CITIZENS AND PERSONS WITHIN THE CITY
OF ASBURY PARK AND TO ALL DEPARTMENTS, DIVISIONS AND
BUREAUS OF THE MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT OF THE CITY OF ASBURY
PARK:**

WHEREAS, by reason of the rapidly evolving outbreak of the novel coronavirus, COVID-19, there is a need for immediate local government operations in order to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the people of the City of Asbury Park and the public in general, and to take all precautionary actions necessary in order to avoid an exacerbation and worsening of existing health conditions; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to the powers vested in me by N.J.S.A. App. A:9-40.5 and by ordinances adopted by the City of Asbury Park, and other relevant authority, a **STATE OF LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY** within the City of Asbury Park was declared on March 15, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the aforesaid laws authorize the promulgation of such orders, rules, regulations, and emergency management operations as are necessary to meet the various problems which have or may be presented by such an emergency; and

WHEREAS, since the declared **STATE OF LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY**, the Governor of the State of New Jersey issued Executive Order 104, restricting many activities to protect the health, safety and welfare of the people of the State of New Jersey and the public in general; and

WHEREAS, since the declared **STATE OF LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY**, additional actions are necessary to protect the health, safety and welfare of the people of the City of Asbury Park and the public in general.

NOW, THEREFORE, IN ACCORDANCE WITH the aforesaid laws, given current exigent circumstances, I do hereby declare, in order to continue to protect the residents of the City of Asbury Park, the following:

1. The Asbury Park Boardwalk, which has been closed since March 27, 2020 will be re-opened to the public on or before Friday, May 22, 2020. Social distancing will be required as directed by the Governor of New Jersey and the Center for Disease Control. Pedestrians will be asked to wear face coverings or masks when on the Asbury Park Boardwalk.
2. To eliminate the increase in litter seen in the City since alternate side parking regulations were suspended on March 22, 2020, alternate side parking regulations for street cleaning will resume on Tuesday, May 26, 2020.

3. All short-term rentals (such as promulgated through services including AirBNB, VRBO and HomeAway), and other vacation rentals whether online, in-person, by Realtor or Owner transaction, which have been suspended as of April 1, 2020, may resume starting June 25, 2020.
4. All hotel, motel and bed-and-breakfast reservations, which have been suspended since Friday, April 17, 2020, may resume starting Friday May 15, 2020 for guest occupancy beginning June 25, 2020. Guest occupancy from June 25, 2020 to July 2, 2020 may not exceed 25%; guest occupancy for July 3, 2020 to July 31, 2020 may not exceed 50%; and full occupancy may resume August 1, 2020. In accordance with Administrative Order 2020-9 issued by the State of New Jersey Office of Emergency Management, hotels, motels, guest houses, or private residences, or parts thereof, may accept any individuals who have no permanent housing to which they may safely or lawfully return. Examples of individuals who would satisfy the criteria include, but are not limited to, homeless individuals, individuals affected by domestic violence, or individuals in hotels or motels in compliance with a court order.

THIS ORDER hereby amends and supplements the **STATE OF LOCAL DISASTER EMERGENCY** within the City of Asbury Park which was declared on March 15, 2020 (as amended).

Emergency Management Coordinator
City of Asbury Park

Date

Mayor
City of Asbury Park

Date