Mayor Kevin L. Faulconer Executive Order Informational Bulletin

This is a list of Mayor Kevin L. Faulconer Executive Order provisions that are still in effect. To view executive orders, please visit, https://www.sandiego.gov/coronavirus

1. City Departments will execute their Continuity of Operations Plans to maintain appropriate levels of essential services. The City will continue to provide these services including Police, Fire, Water, Wastewater and Trash Disposal. (Executive Order No. 2020-1)

2. All City of San Diego public buildings shall be closed to the general public until further notice. (Executive Order No. 2020-1)

3. The City of San Diego shall limit parking enforcement and issuance of citations to holiday or Sunday enforcement regulations, including no longer enforcing parking meters, yellow commercial zones, short-term green zones and 1-hour to 2-hour time parking zones. Red, white, blue, and other all-time enforcement areas will continue to be enforced to maintain public safety. (Executive Order No. 2020-1)

4. The City of San Diego shall enact a moratorium on utility shutoffs for utilities provided by the City of San Diego Public Utility Department and the City may develop a program for payment deferrals. (Executive Order No. 2020-1)

5. The City will suspend until further notice the discontinuation or shut off of water service for residents and businesses for non-payment of water and sewer bills and the imposition of late payment penalties or fees for delinquent water and/or sewer bills. The City will develop a program for payment deferrals. (Executive Order No. 2020-2)

6. All City landlords shall comply with the provisions of the emergency ordinance adopted by the City Council on March 25, 2020 adopting a temporary moratorium on evictions of residential and commercial tenants in the City of San Diego if the tenant demonstrates an inability to pay rent due to substantial economic hardship caused by COVID-19. (This temporary moratorium was extended by the City Council on May 19, 2020 and is currently in effect until June 30, 2020.) (Executive Order No. 2020-2)

7. Trucks and other vehicles engaged in the delivery of medical supplies to any health care operations in the City, or engaged in the delivery of grocery items to grocery stores, when such items are made available for sale to the public, are
hereby exempt from having to comply with any City rules and regulations that limit the hours for such deliveries. (Executive Order No. 2020-2)

8. In accordance with California Government Code sections 3100 and 3101, all City employees are declared to be Disaster Service Workers (DSW), subject to disaster service activities as may be assigned to them by their superiors or by law. "Disaster Service" means all activities authorized by and carried on under the California Emergency Services Act, including approved and documented training necessary or proper to engage in such activities. Each DSW in any classification, without regard to a formal designation or assignment, is considered to be acting within the scope of disaster service activities while assisting any unit of the City of San Diego Emergency Operations Center (EOC), performing any act contributing to the protection of life or property, or mitigating the effects of an emergency or potential emergency. As part of this Order, Department Directors will take all necessary steps to ensure compliance with State of California DSW guidelines, San Diego Municipal Code sections 51.0101 through 51.0108 related to Public Emergency Procedures, and other applicable provisions. (Executive Order No. 2020-2)

9. The City of San Diego Library Department shall make all 3D printers available to produce any parts or equipment requested by the health care community, specifically hospital facilities, in response to COVID-19. Additionally, the City shall offer up all available City property (vacant and surplus) to the State for surge capacity. (Executive Order No. 2020-2)

10. The City of San Diego shall continue to work with City lessees, with particular attention to businesses of 100 employees or less, on flexible lease payment arrangements. (Executive Order No. 2020-2)

11. All Building Permit Applications will remain open for an extended period of 180 days, consistent with the Building Official’s determination that the COVID-19 emergency constitutes circumstances beyond the control of the applicants. The time to utilize a building permit shall be extended 180 days, consistent with the Building Official’s determination that the COVID-19 emergency constitutes circumstances beyond the control of the permit holder, which prevented completion of the work. (On June 2nd, 2020, the City Council approved O-2020-110 (Item 60). This authorized Building Permits, that had not expired prior to March 12, 2020, to be automatically granted an additional 365-day extension of their utilization or expiration dates in addition to any extensions already permitted by the Municipal Code and the Mayor’s Executive Order 2020-2, unless direction from the State dictates otherwise.) (Executive Order No. 2020-2)

12. All fees associated with Business Tax Certificates (BTC), and any business-related fees, permits, and assessments, will be deferred for up to 120 days. A one-year forgiveness period in BTC penalties and surcharges will also apply for
businesses in need of reestablishing their accounts. (Executive Order No. 2020-2)

13. All City residents shall comply with all current direction issued by Executive Order of the Governor of California and by directive of the County Public Health Officer. (Executive Order No. 2020-2)

14. All City of San Diego residents two years of age or older shall be in possession of a face covering when they leave their home or place of residence and shall wear it when they are in a business or within six feet of another person who is not a member of their family or household. Persons with medical or mental health conditions, or a developmental disability that prevents them from wearing a face covering, shall be exempt from this requirement. Additionally, effective May 8, 2020, each essential business shall require employees to wear a face covering. This order is in accordance with the County Public Health Order as amended on April 30, 2020. (Executive Order No. 2020-3)

15. The San Diego Convention Center will remain temporarily in use as an emergency homeless shelter to support Operation Shelter to Home and prevent the spread of COVID-19 among San Diego's homeless population, in accordance with the County Public Health Order as amended on April 30, 2020. (Executive Order No. 2020-3)

16. All businesses, including bars, adult entertainment establishments, and nightclubs in the City of San Diego shall be limited in their operation in a manner consistent with public health orders established by the County of San Diego and State of California. Restaurants and business establishments that serve food in the City of San Diego shall be allowed to operate in a manner consistent with public health orders established by the County of San Diego and State of California. Facilities expressly exempted from this order include cafeterias, commissaries, and restaurants located within hospitals, skilled nursing facilities, and other healthcare facilities, grocery stores, pharmacies, and food banks. (Executive Order No. 2020-4)

17. The City of San Diego will limit vehicle access to designated streets and roads as part of a “Slow Streets San Diego” limited program for the time this Executive Order remains in effect, consistent with California Vehicle Code section 21101 which permits local authorities to allow certain types of street closures and prohibit the use of particular highways by certain vehicles. The City Engineer is authorized to make public safety determinations per Vehicle Code section 21101(e). Slow Streets will not impact emergency vehicles, deliveries, public transit services or residents that must use these streets to access a final destination. (Executive Order No. 2020-4)
18. City of San Diego beaches and bays are open for limited use by individuals, including sitting, walking, running, hiking, biking, equestrian, swimming, body surfing, boogie boarding, surfing, kite surfing, paddle boarding, kayaking, snorkeling, and scuba diving from the shore (where allowed). Boating is allowed by members of a single family or household. The public shall not congregate or participate in active sport activities. Visitors must practice all social distancing guidelines in accordance with the public health orders. (Executive Order No. 2020-5)

19. Except as superseded by order of the Governor or the Public Health Official:

   A. Effective June 8, 2020 Mission Bay Park and all Mission Bay Park parking shall open.

   B. Effective June 8, 2020, Fiesta Island shall be open for pedestrians, dogs, cyclist, and other recreation activities, but shall remain closed to vehicular traffic through July 5, 2020.

   C. Effective June 9, 2020, all City of San Diego piers, boardwalks, and beach parking lots shall open.

   D. Effective June 12, 2020, Balboa Park Central Mesa and all Balboa Park parking lots shall open.

   (Executive Order No. 2020-6)

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