



**CITY OF GARDEN GROVE**  
**DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES**  
**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 3**

May 21, 2020

Whereas, on February 26, 2020 the County of Orange declared a local emergency and a local health emergency due to the spread of the novel coronavirus, COVID-19. On March 4, 2020, California Governor Gavin Newsom declared a State of Emergency in California due to COVID-19. On March 13, 2020, United State President Donald J. Trump declared a national emergency due to COVID-19; and

Whereas, on March 16, 2020 effective at 12:01 a.m. on March 17, 2020 the Garden Grove Director of Emergency Services did proclaim the existence of a local emergency due to COVID-19; and

Whereas, on March 24, 2020 the Garden Grove City Council ratified the proclamation of the local emergency in the City due to COVID-19 and confirmed the imposition of the various local orders applicable in the City during the existence of the local emergency.

Whereas on May 7, 2020 Governor Newsom issued updated industry guidance and a Resilience Roadmap with 4 stages to help drive reopening for some economic sectors in the State – including retail, manufacturing and logistics – with modifications, beginning Friday, May 8; the guidance provides for regional variances to allow for counties to move further into broader reopening of various sectors when the counties attest to meeting certain criteria.

Whereas, on May 12, 2020, the Garden Grove City Council reviewed and confirmed the necessity to continue the local emergency and confirmed the Director Emergency Services' orders related thereto.


NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott C. Stiles, City Manager of the City of Garden Grove, acting as the Director of Emergency Services do hereby issue the following order to become effective immediately:

1. The limitations of the Garden Grove Municipal Code applicable to outdoor dining are hereby temporarily suspended to facilitate the implementation of a temporary outdoor dining permit issued at the discretion of the City's Department of Economic and Community Development Department to enable restaurants and eateries to expand their business footprint adjacent to their place of business onto the parking facilities and public right-of-way to enable social distancing while serving the community, subject to applicable State and County Health Department guidelines.



2. This order shall expire upon the expiration of the local emergency or at the time when the State authorizes restaurants and eateries to continue dine-in services without restrictions, whichever comes first.

Executed this 21<sup>st</sup> day of May 2020.

  
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Scott C. Stiles  
Director of Emergency Services and  
City Manager

Attest:

  
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Teresa Pomeroy  
City Clerk