

BEFORE THE CITY OF CANNON BEACH

FOR THE PURPOSE OF RESCINDING THE CITY’S ) RESOLUTION NO. 20-20  
PROTECTIVE MEASURES )

WHEREAS, Governor Kate Brown, on March 8, 2020, declared a state of emergency due to the COVID-19 virus, finding that COVID-19 has created a threat to public health and safety, and constitutes a statewide emergency under ORS 401.025(1); and

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization, on March 11, 2020, declared COVID-19 to be a pandemic that causes respiratory distress with the potential to cause serious illness and loss of life; and

WHEREAS, the Cannon Beach City Council declared a local state of emergency pursuant to ORS 401.309(1) in Resolution 20-09 and pursuant to the Cannon Beach Municipal Code chapter 2.42 in Resolution 20-10;

WHEREAS, on March 22, 2020, the Cannon Beach City Council passed Resolution 20-11 evacuating visitors and restricting the operation of Hotels (including short-term rentals) within the City with limited exceptions pursuant to ORS chapter 401 and then pursuant to the Cannon Beach Municipal Code chapter 2.42 in Resolution 20-12 (hereinafter “Protective Measures”); and

WHEREAS, Governor Kate Brown followed up the March 8<sup>th</sup> declaration on March 23, 2020, with Order 20-12 “Stay Home, Save Lives” further enforcing social distancing measures and closing certain businesses to mitigate the effects of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the City Council extended the Protective Measures in Resolutions 20-14, 20-15, 20-16 and 20-17; and

WHEREAS, on May 8, 2020 Governor Brown issued “Specific Guidance for Outdoor Recreation Organizations” and began opening state parks and recreation spaces with restrictions; and

WHEREAS, on May 13, 2020 Governor Brown declared that on May 15, 2020 all stand-alone retail businesses will be allowed to open with restrictions; and

WHEREAS, on May 14, 2020 Governor Brown found that Clatsop County had met the prerequisite health and safety conditions to enter into “Phase 1” of reopening on May 15, 2020, which allows certain types of businesses such as restaurants, bars, gyms, and daycares to reopen with restrictions; and

WHEREAS, the City Council believes with the above restrictions in place and with Clatsop County meeting the Governor’s prerequisites for reopening, the visitor evacuation is no longer necessary.

NOW THEREFORE, the Cannon Beach City Council, resolves as follows:

**Section 1.** The City of Cannon Beach rescinds the evacuation of visitors pursuant to Resolution 20-11 sections 1 and 2 and Resolution 20-12 effective immediately.

**Section 2.** The City of Cannon Beach rescinds the restrictions on Hotels (including short term rentals) pursuant to Resolution 20-11 sections 3-6 and Resolution 20-12 effective Tuesday, May 26, 2020 at 6am.

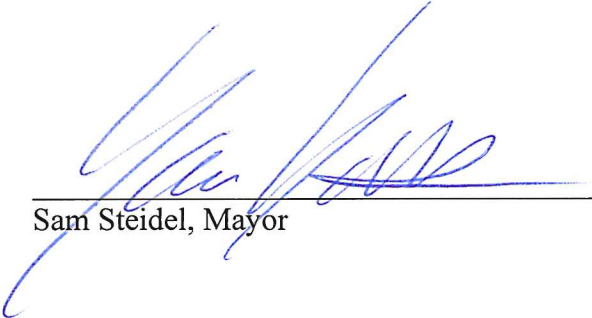
**Section 3.** The City of Cannon Beach's emergency declaration remains in effect.

**Section 4.** This Resolution is effective immediately.

Dated and effective this 15<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2020.

PASSED by the Common Council of the City of Cannon Beach this 15th day of May 2020, by the following vote:

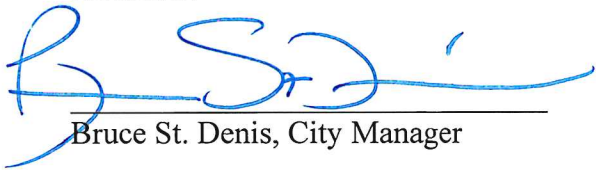
YEAS: Councilors Benefield, McCarthy, Ogilvie, Risley and Mayor Steidel  
NAYS: None  
EXCUSED: None



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Sam Steidel, Mayor

ATTEST:



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Bruce St. Denis, City Manager