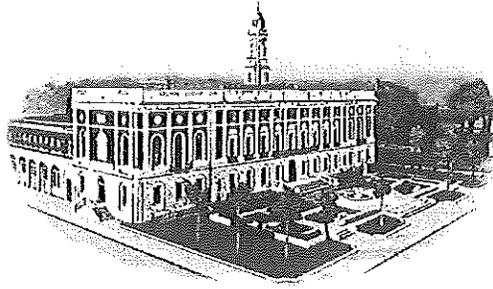


NEIL M. O'LEARY

MAYOR



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**THE CITY OF WATERBURY**  
CONNECTICUT

By His Honor Neil M. O'Leary  
Emergency Order issued May 18, 2020

**WHEREAS**, on March 10, 2020, the Governor of the State of Connecticut declared a public health emergency and civil preparedness emergency for the State of Connecticut, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Sections 19a-131 and 28-9, in response to the global pandemic of COVID-19 disease associated with a novel coronavirus that is currently affecting multiple countries and states; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 13, 2020, the President of the United States declared a national emergency to combat the coronavirus that is currently infecting the population of the United States; and

**WHEREAS**, in response to the issuance of declarations of a public health emergency and civil preparedness emergency by the Governor of this State, and a national emergency by the President of the United States, and the spread of COVID-19 as a result of the global pandemic, the Chief Executive of the City of Waterbury, its Mayor Neil O'Leary, declared that a state of emergency exists in the City of Waterbury on March 16, 2020, and continuing through September 14, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, by way of Executive Order(s) restrictions have been placed on business and operations during the COVID-19 pandemic. On May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2020, the Governor began the process of modifying the restrictions to allow the election of certain business and activities to open subject to certain operational restrictions;

**WHEREAS**, Mayor Neil O'Leary is desirous of facilitating the safe resumption of economic activity consistent with the Executive Orders issued by the Governor;

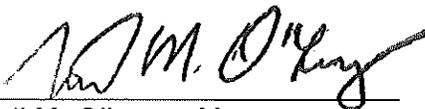
**NOW, THEREFORE, THE HONORABLE MAYOR NEIL M. O'LEARY DOES HEREBY ORDER AND DIRECT:**

1. The City Planner or his designee shall be authorized to make any and all changes to permit the activities as prescribed by Executive Order 7MM including but not limited to the temporary suspension and modification of certain permitting and approval process required by local City ordinance or regulation and as authorized by any Executive Order of the Governor or a governing authority having jurisdiction over such matters;

2. The City Planner shall draft and make available to all members of the public guides and instructions that shall include the requirement of the submission of an application or sufficient drawings or plans necessary to allow the City Planner, as reviewing official reasonable basis for the approval or rejection of any plan, permit or application. The City Planner or his designee may require detailed information deemed necessary in his sole discretion, to protect the public health, safety and environment; and

3. The City Planner is hereby designated as the City official authorized to conduct any required hearing in furtherance of any action on any submitted application and is designated the Relevant Enforcement Official;

4. Outdoor activities shall be allowed subject to reasonable conditions continuing through the City's declared state of Emergency;

  
Neil M. O'Leary, Mayor