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**Twenty-Seventh Supplement to Public Order Under
City of Culver City Emergency Authority**

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Subject: (1) Reopening of Nail Salons for Limited Indoor Services at 25% Capacity; (2) Reopening of Cardrooms for Outdoor Operations Only; (3) Reopening of Indoor Shopping Malls at 25% Capacity; (4) Reopening of Outdoor Playgrounds; (5) Requirement for Businesses to Post Community Workforce Resources Poster; (6) Continued Waiver of Outdoor Dining and Valet Parking License Fees through December 31, 2020; and (7) Outdoor Operation of Hair Salons, Barbershops, and Certain Personal Care Establishments Permitted in the Public Right of Way.

This Twenty-Seventh Supplement to Public Order addresses the limited reopening of various sectors in alignment with recent announcements by the County of Los Angeles Department of Public Health, as well as several requirements and waivers unique to Culver City, as set forth herein.

On March 14, 2020, the City Manager, as Director of Emergency Services, issued a Proclamation of Local Emergency, due to the outbreak and spread of the Coronavirus Respiratory Disease (COVID-19), which was ratified by the City Council on March 18, 2020 by Resolution No. 2020-R015. Such action followed the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health's and the Chair of the Board of Supervisor's declarations of a local health emergency and the State of California's declaration of a State of Emergency on March 4, 2020, and the President's declaration of a National Emergency on March 13, 2020.

Beginning on March 16, 2020, the City Manager issued a number of public orders closing many businesses and significantly restricting the operations of others, consistent with various supplemental orders that were issued by the State of California and the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health, as well as a number of neighboring communities.

In the early part of May 2020, the County of Los Angeles announced its Roadmap to Recovery, A Phased Approach to Reopening Safely, which allowed certain businesses and activities to slowly reopen and resume, subject to strict public health protocols. Although this phased reopening allowed some businesses to open and some activities to resume, many other businesses remained closed and activities were not permitted.

In late June and early July, 2020, due to increases in the daily reported COVID-19 cases, hospitalizations, and the testing positivity rates, the Los Angeles County Public Health Officer issued revised orders, in alignment with the California Governor's announcements, requiring the closure of specific activities and business sectors, superseding previous orders (which had allowed many businesses to reopen), to address the serious regression of COVID-19 indicators within Los Angeles County. Such closures of certain higher risk businesses, recreational sites, commercial properties, and activities, where more frequent and prolonged person-to-person contacts are likely to occur, superseded any previous openings permitted in Culver City.

On September 30, 2020, the County of Los Angeles Public Health Officer announced it will be revising its Order and protocols to phase in various limited reopenings. To support the safe operations and recovery of our business sectors and safe participation in recreational activities within the City during COVID-19, and consistent with the State Orders and guidance, as well as County Orders and protocols, by virtue of authority vested in me as the Director of Emergency Services, pursuant to the provisions of CCMC Section 3.09.020.B.1.h(2), to make and issue rules and regulations on matters reasonably related to the protection of persons, property and the environment as affected by such emergency, I hereby order:

1. *Safe Reopening of Nail Salons for Limited Services Indoors at 25% of Maximum Occupancy.* Effective immediately, nail salons may reopen indoors at 25% of maximum occupancy, with required modifications, but are encouraged to provide services outdoors where feasible. Nail salons reopening indoors shall comply with all State of California Public Health Orders and Guidance, and local laws, rules, and regulations. The owner, manager or operator must, prior to reopening for indoor operations, prepare, implement and post the most recent version of the required Los Angeles County Department of Public Health Protocols Personal Care Establishments (Appendix R) and any other protocol pertaining to nail salon operation, posted at <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/>.

2. *Cardrooms May Reopen for Outdoor Gaming Only.* Effective October 5, 2020, cardrooms may reopen for outdoor gaming only. Food and beverages may not be served at the tables. Any cardroom re-opening shall comply with all State of California Public Health Orders and Guidance, and local laws, rules, and regulations. Operators must prepare, implement and post, prior to reopening, the most recent version of the required Los Angeles County Department of Public Health Protocol for pertaining to this sector, posted at <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/>.

3. *Safe Reopening of Indoor Shopping Malls at 25% of Maximum Occupancy.* Effective October 7, 2020, shopping malls may reopen indoors at 25% of maximum occupancy. Food courts and common areas are to remain

closed. Shopping Malls reopening indoors shall comply with all State of California Public Health Orders and Guidance, and local laws, rules, and regulations. The owner, manager or operator must, prior to reopening for indoor operations, prepare, implement and post the most recent version of the required Los Angeles County Department of Public Health Protocols for Shopping Center Operators (Appendix E) posted at <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/>.

4. Outdoor Playgrounds May Reopen. Effective October 3, 2020, outdoor playgrounds may reopen in the City of Culver City. Parents and children over 2 years of age must wear masks, there shall be no eating or drinking, and a six-foot clearance must be maintained between children not in the same household. Indoor playgrounds shall remain closed. The owner, manager or operator must, prior to reopening, prepare, implement and post the most recent version of the required Los Angeles County Department of Public Health Reopening Protocol for Outdoor Playgrounds posted at <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/>.

5. Mandatory Posting of Community Workforce Resources Poster. All businesses that have reopened must post the Culver City Community Workforce Resources Poster, in both English and Spanish, no later than October 16, 2020. The Poster shall be placed in a visually accessible location in proximity to other employee postings. The poster consists of two pages and shall be printed on letter size paper with dimensions of 8.5" x 11", in portrait orientation. It may be printed in black and white or color. The Posters may be downloaded via the City's website at <https://www.culvercity.org/live/public-safety/emergency-preparedness/coronavirus/businesses-coronavirus>. A limited number of Posters are available for those without access to a printer, by contacting the City at business.assistance@culvercity.org, or calling (310) 253-5765.

6. Continued Waiver of Outdoor Dining and Valet Parking License Fees. As set forth in the March 20, April 11, May 14, May 27, and August 21, 2020 Supplements to Public Orders, outdoor dining license fees and valet parking license fees will continue to be waived through December 31, 2020.

7. Hair Salons, Barbershops and Certain Personal Care Services May Operate Outdoors in the Public Right of Way, Subject to a City Permit. Notwithstanding any provisions of the Culver City Municipal Code to the contrary, in order to allow hair salons, barbershops, and certain personal care establishments, including esthetician, skin care and cosmetology services, nail salons, and massage therapy (in a non-healthcare setting), to continue to serve their clients during the course of the local emergency, and subject to the approval of the Public Works Director/City Engineer, hair salons, barbershops, and the personal care establishments listed herein may temporarily expand services outdoors into the public right-of-way. All businesses operating in the right of way shall comply with all State of California Public Health Orders and Guidance,

industry regulations, and local laws, rules, and regulations. The owner, manager or operator must, prior to reopening for indoor operations, prepare, implement, and post the most recent version of the required Los Angeles County Department of Public Health Protocols: the Reopening Protocol for Hair Salons and Barbershops (Appendix H), and the Reopening Protocol for Personal Care Establishments (Appendix R) and any other applicable protocol, posted at <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/>.

8. In order to effectuate this Public Order, the Public Works Director/City Engineer shall have the authority and discretion to establish procedures, standards, conditions, rules and regulations, as he may deem appropriate, to implement the processing and approval of such temporary outdoor operations listed in Section 7 above, while ensuring compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), and any other measures deemed necessary to protect the public health, safety and welfare.

9. This Twenty-Seventh Supplement to Public Order supersedes any provision in a previous Order where there is a conflict between the Orders; otherwise all Stay at Home orders remain in place. Except as specifically provided herein, public and private gatherings of any number of people occurring outside of a single household or living unit continue to be prohibited.

10. Additional social distancing, infection control, and health and safety measures and guidelines may be imposed at any time, in my sole discretion, in order to ensure the protection of the public's health and safety, and the intent of each and every Public Order is carried out.

Any violation of this Twenty-Seventh Supplement to Public Order may be enforced under the Culver City Municipal Code, which provides for fines not to exceed \$1,000 or imprisonment not to exceed six months. Each individual officer should use their discretion in enforcing this order and always keep the intent of the order in mind.

This Twenty-Seventh Supplement to Public Order shall be effective immediately and shall remain in effect until superseded, amended, modified, or rescinded.

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