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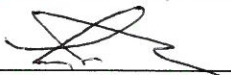
EMERGENCY PROCLAMATION DECLARATION OF PUBLIC HEALTH DISASTER ORDER EO-01 IN RESPONSE TO COVID-19

ISSUED BY THE MAYOR OF THE NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH, UNDER THE AUTHORITY GRANTED BY NORTHWEST ARCTIC BOROUGH CODE 12.16.060.

I HEREBY PROCLAIM THE FOLLOWING EMERGENCY REGULATIONS TO BE EFFECTIVE AS OF 5:00 P.M. ON THURSDAY, MARCH 19, 2020, TO PROTECT PUBLIC HEALTH IN AND ADJACENT TO THE BOROUGH. THE FOLLOWING EMERGENCY REGULATIONS HAVE THE POWER OF LAW, SHALL REMAIN IN EFFECT UNTIL 11:59 P.M. ON TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 2020, AND SHALL SUPERSEDE ALL CONFLICTING LAWS DURING THE EXISTENCE OF THIS EMERGENCY.

1. All restaurants, food and beverage stands, and other establishments serving food or beverages within the Borough shall be closed to the public for dine-in service. This order does not forbid otherwise lawful take-out or delivery services. A copy of this order or a sign conveying the closure information shall be conspicuously posted by the owner, operator, manager, or other person having control of an establishment subject to this order.
 - This regulation does not apply to grocery stores, employee cafeterias within a business, pharmacies, or hospitals.
2. All entertainment facilities within the Borough shall be closed to the public, including gyms and bingo halls.
3. All large events and mass gatherings of ten (10) people or more within the Borough are banned.
 - This regulation does not apply to the day-to-day operations of organizations such as businesses or institutions of higher learning that are not already subject to closure.
4. The Borough urges residents to limit travel to essential travel in order to help curb the spread of COVID-19.

DATED this 19th day of March 2020.



Lucy Nelson, Mayor