PROCLAMATION

EMERGENCY ORDER NO. 2020-8

An Emergency Order issued by the Mayor of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, during the COVID-19 Health Emergency to extend the duration of the Emergency Declaration to January 31, 2021.

WHEREAS, on March 17, 2020, the Mayor of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri (the "**City**") issued a Proclamation which declared that a state of emergency exists within the City due to the 2019 novel coronavirus (COVID-19) (referred to as the "**Emergency Declaration**"); and,

WHEREAS, the state of emergency continues to exist within the City due to the novel COVID-19 pandemic; and,

WHEREAS, on April 16, 2020, the Mayor issued Emergency Order No. 2020-1 which (a) extended the Emergency Declaration to May 15, 2020, (b) tolled the running of deadlines in the City's Unified Development Ordinance during the Emergency Declaration, and (c) suspended in-person neighborhood meetings for land-use applications during the Emergency Declaration; and,

WHEREAS, on April 16, 2020, the Mayor issued Emergency Order No. 2020-2 which suspended the City Code provision that prohibits the sale of alcoholic beverages to people in vehicles during the Emergency Declaration, to facilitate curb-side pickup of food and beverage by restaurants that continue to provide such services during the Emergency Declaration; and,

WHEREAS, on April 21, 2020, the Mayor issued Emergency Order No. 2020-3 which adopted procedural rules for public hearings which are held by videoconference during the Emergency Declaration; and,

WHEREAS, on April 27, 2020, the Director of the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services issued an order (the "**State Order**") which set forth orders, directives, and guidance regarding health and safety measures to be followed by Missouri residents, businesses, and certain governmental entities during the COVID-19 pandemic through May 31, 2020; and,

WHEREAS, on May 8, 2020, the Mayor issued Emergency Order No. 2020-4 which took the following actions: (a) directed City officials and staff to interpret the laws of the City in a manner consistent with the orders, directives and guidance of the State Order; (b) extended to July 1, 2020 the deadline associated with liquor license renewals as set forth in Section 4-91 of the City Code; (c) extended the effective period of Emergency Order No. 2020-2, dealing with the curb-side sale of alcoholic beverages, to terminate on the same date of termination which is applicable to Industry Circulars issued by the Missouri Division of Tobacco and Alcohol Control, which is currently June 15, 2020; (d) provided that all business licenses issued by the City which are set to expire in May or June 2020 are extended to July 1, 2020; (e) extended the City Emergency Declaration to May 31, 2020; and,

WHEREAS, on May 12, 2020, Jackson County issued an order entitled "**AMENDED ORDER** OF JACKSON COUNTY EXECUTIVE FRANK WHITE, JR., JACKSON COUNTY HEALTH DIRECTOR BRIDGETTE SHAFFER, AND JACKSON COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT COORDINATOR TROY M. SCHULTE DIRECTING ALL INDIVIDUALS LIVING IN, AND BUSINESSES OR ENTITIES OPERATING IN, JACKSON COUNTY, MISSOURI, EXCEPT KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI, TO ADHERE TO THE PROVISIONS OF PHASE ONE OF THE EASTRN JACKSON COUNTY RECOVERY PLAN AS OUTLINED BELOW" (the "**County Amended Order**") which is to remain in effect until May 31, 2020 and as may be further extended by Jackson County; and,

WHEREAS, on or about May 12, 2020, Jackson County issued the "**Eastern Jackson County Recovery Plan Phase 1**" which established the four phases of recovery from the Covid-19 emergency period, established the Phase I guidelines for business and activity restrictions, and described the benchmarks which will guide future Jackson County directives to move through the subsequent Phases II, III and IV as community health improves; and,

WHEREAS, on May 12, 2020, Governor Parsons issued Executive Order 20-09 which extended the State emergency declaration established by Executive Order 20-02 to the date of June 15, 2020; and,

WHEREAS, on May 29, 2020, the Mayor issued Emergency Order No. 2020-5 which extended the duration of the Emergency Declaration to June 30, 2020 and modified the terms of Emergency Order No. 2020-2; and,

WHEREAS, on June 29, 2020, the Mayor issued Emergency Order No. 2020-6 which extended the duration of the Emergency Declaration to July 31, 2020; and,

WHEREAS, on July 31, 2020, the Mayor issued Emergency Order No. 2020-7 which extended the duration of the Emergency Declaration to September 30, 2020; and,

WHEREAS, Jackson County remains in the Phase 2.5 recovery period at the present time, and it is expected that this Phase 2.5 of the Jackson County Recovery Plan will continue in effect for an extended period; and,

WHEREAS, the Mayor wishes to modify the City's prior Emergency Declaration so that the City Emergency Declaration stays in effect while the Jackson County emergency declaration and phased Recovery Plan remain in effect; and,

WHEREAS, this Order is being issued pursuant to the authority granted to the Mayor in Section 10-2 of the City Code, which provides that the Mayor may promulgate rules and orders to implement and clarify the City Emergency Declaration, as extended.

NOW THEREFORE, I, William A. Baird, Mayor of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, do hereby declare and order that:

1. The Emergency Declaration and the effective duration of all Emergency Orders are hereby extended to end at 11:59 p.m. on January 31, 2021, unless earlier terminated or further extended by written order of the Mayor.

2. The prior Emergency Orders issued by the Mayor are modified as set forth in this Emergency Order No. 2020-8. In the event of any conflict between this Emergency Order No. 2020-8 and prior Mayor Emergency Orders, the provisions of this Emergency Order No. 2020-8 shall be followed.

3. The parts and provisions of this Emergency Order No. 2020-8 shall be severable, and in the event that a court of competent jurisdiction rules that any part or provision of this Emergency Order No. 2020-8 is unlawful or unconstitutional the remaining parts and provisions shall remain in full force and effect.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the City of Lee's Summit, Missouri, at 1:50 p.m o'clock p.m. on the 25th day of September, 2020.

CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT, MISSOURI

MAYOR *WILLIAM A. BAIRD*

ATTEST:

City Clerk *Trisha Fowler Arcuri*