

## AMENDED EXECUTIVE ORDER 2020-01

## AN ORDER REGARDING THE WEARING OF FACIAL COVERINGS IN PUBLIC

WHEREAS, on July 6, 2020, Westerville Executive Order 2020-01 was issued regarding the wearing of facial coverings in public; and

WHEREAS, on July 8, 2020, The Ohio Department of Health issued a Director's Order for facial coverings ("Director's Order for Facial Coverings," copy attached and incorporated herein by reference as if fully rewritten herein), Section 7 of which required the wearing of facial coverings in Franklin County for the duration set forth in Section 10 thereof; and

WHEREAS, The Director's Order for Facial Coverings only applies to the Franklin County portion of the City, and it is hereby deemed necessary for the City to have a uniform set of requirements for all areas, including those portions of the City in Delaware County.

**NOW THEREFORE, I**, David Collinsworth, City Manager of the City of Westerville, Franklin and Delaware Counties, Ohio, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Ohio Constitution, the Charter of the City of Westerville, and Ordinance 2020-09, do hereby amend sections 1 through 7 of Executive Order 2020-01 to read in their entirety as follows:

<u>Section 1.</u> That whenever the Ohio Director of Health orders either Franklin County or Delaware County to comply with Section 7 of the Director's Order for Facial Coverings (as may be amended), such order shall, by this Executive Order, be uniformly applicable to all areas of the City, regardless of the county, and shall remain in force throughout the City for the duration set forth in Section 10 of the Director's Order for Facial Coverings.

<u>Section 2</u>. That this Executive Order is declared to be an emergency measure necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, or safety, such necessity arising from the rapid spread of the COVID-19 virus in Central Ohio, and therefore, shall take effect and be in force on or after 6:00pm on Friday July 10, 2020, and shall remain in full force and effect unless and until it is modified, superseded, or rescinded by any of the following:

- a) Executive Order of the City Manager;
- b) Action of Council in accordance with Section 8 of City Ordinance 2020-09;
- c) Order of any public health agency having jurisdiction;
- d) Termination of the Director's Order for Facial Coverings
- e) Termination or modification of the Governor's Executive Order 2020-01D;
- f) State or Federal law or rule.

This Executive Order is issued this 9th day of July, 2020

David A. Collinsworth, City Manager

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