

**CITY OF MONTICELLO
MAYOR'S EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 20-03**

**CITY OF MONTICELLO LOCAL DISASTER
EMERGENCY DECLARATION EXTENSION**

WHEREAS, the undersigned, is the duly elected Mayor of the City of Monticello, Indiana ("City"); and,

WHEREAS, on March 19, 2012, the Common Council of the City of Monticello enacted the Monticello Disaster Emergency Declaration Ordinance (Ordinance No. 2012-02), authorizing the declaration of a local disaster emergency pursuant to I.C. §10-14-3-29(a)(1); and

WHEREAS, the Mayor has a duty to minimize an imminent threat of widespread injury or loss of life within the City, and to ensure efficient government of the City; and,

WHEREAS, the COVID 19 coronavirus ("Coronavirus") has spread to every county in Indiana, and Coronavirus cases continues to increase within White County and especially in certain counties adjacent to White County; and

WHEREAS, Federal, State, and County health officials recommend implementation of mitigation strategies to increase containment of the Coronavirus, by limiting public interaction, including public interaction within Retail Businesses; and

WHEREAS, the Indiana Governor has defined by his Executive Order 20-22 "Essential Businesses and Operations" as meaning Healthcare and Public Health Operations, Human Services Operations, Essential Government Functions, and Essential Infrastructure, as well as other certain Businesses and Operations specifically set forth therein; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, it is hereby declared that a state of local emergency continues to exist in the City of Monticello, and in accordance with Governor Holcomb's Executive Order 20-22 regarding "Essential Retail Business and Operations", I, Cathy Gross, Mayor of the City of Monticello, do hereby Order:

1. Essential Retail Businesses and Operations shall allow only one (1) person per family into an Essential Retail Business or Operation at a time.
2. Children under the age of sixteen (16) will not be allowed inside Essential Retail Businesses or Operations.
3. Every person who enters an Essential Retail Business or Operation must wear a mask that covers their nose and mouth.
4. No more than two (2) customers are allowed inside an Essential Retail Business or Operation per 1,000 square feet of retail space.

5. If an Essential Retail Business or Operation has more than 62,000 square feet of retail space, allowance is capped at 125 customers at one time.

6. Essential Retail Businesses and Operations shall monitor and enforce these orders.

7. All those considered "high-risk" are encouraged to avoid all public gatherings.

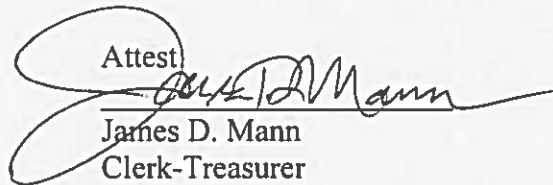
8. All previous Executive Orders shall continue in full force and effect.

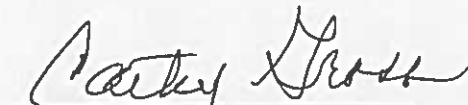
9. Any person who knowingly, intentionally, or recklessly violates this Executive Order commits a Class B Misdemeanor punishable by up to 180 days imprisonment and a fine up to \$1,000.00.

This Executive Order shall expire at 12:01 A.M. (EST) on Wednesday, May 6, 2020.

SO ORDERED, this 28th day of April, 2020.

Attest


James D. Mann
Clerk-Treasurer


CATHY GROSS, MAYOR
City of Monticello, Indiana