

CM-EO 2020-10

**EXECUTIVE ORDER OF THE CITY MANAGER
PROVIDING FOR UPDATED TEMPORARY MEASURES TO CANCEL OR POSTPONE
CERTAIN PARKS AND RECREATION ACTIVITIES AND RENTALS
RELATED TO GOVERNOR'S DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY 20-52**

The following Executive Order was adopted by the City Manager of the City of Melbourne, Florida on the date written below.

WHEREAS, on March 9, Governor DeSantis issued Executive Order 20-52 declaring a state of emergency for the entire State of Florida pursuant to Chapter 252 of Florida Statutes based upon substantial harm related to COVID-19 ("Governor EO 20-52"); and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, President Donald J. Trump and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention ("CDC") issued guidance to address COVID-19 advising individuals to adopt far-reaching social distancing measures, such as avoiding gatherings of more than 10 people, and in states with evidence of community spread, indoor and outdoor venues where groups of people congregate should be closed; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 18-23 of Melbourne City Code, upon the Governor's said declaration of emergency, the City Manager is authorized to order appropriate emergency measures as set forth in Section 18-26 of Melbourne City Code; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager previous issued Executive Order 2020-02 postponing or cancelling City Parks and Recreation activities through April 30, 2020, subject to additional postponement pursuant to a future executive order; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager desires to extend the timeframe for postponing or cancelling certain City Parks and Recreation activities.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED BY THE CITY MANAGER OF THE CITY OF MELBOURNE, FLORIDA AS OF THE 15th DAY OF APRIL, 2020:

SECTION 1: That based upon the authority given to me by Sections 18-26(3) and 18-26(4) of City Code during the declared state of emergency set forth in Governor EO 20-52, I hereby order the following temporary measures regarding Parks and Recreation activities and events:

- A. All classes, activities, programs, tennis, athletics, and special events at City Parks and Recreation facilities are hereby postponed through May 15, 2020. Such activities at City Parks and Recreation facilities are subject to additional postponement pursuant to a future Executive Order.
- B. City Parks and Recreation Facility rentals, including community centers, civic centers, auditorium, parks, pavilions, and ballfields, are hereby cancelled through May 15, 2020. All rental fees will be refunded to the respective rental applicants.

SECTION 2. This Executive Order shall take effect immediately upon adoption, and shall remain in effect for the duration of the Governor’s Executive Order 20-52 unless this Executive Order of the City Manager is earlier revoked by the City of Melbourne.

BY: _____
Shannon M. Lewis
City Manager of the City of Melbourne