

**CITY OF LEADVILLE, COLORADO
RESOLUTION NO. 20
SERIES 2020**

**A RESOLUTION EXTENDING THE EMERGENCY
DECLARATION OF THE CITY OF LEADVILLE**

WHEREAS, on March 17, 2020, the City of Leadville declared a local disaster emergency due to the Novel Coronavirus (“COVID-19”) pandemic through its passage of Resolution No. 14, Series 2020, following similar emergency declarations by Lake County, the State of Colorado and the federal government; and

WHEREAS, at a regular meeting of the City Council on April 7, 2020, the City extended its emergency declaration and adopted an amended virtual meetings policy via Resolution No. 15, Series 2020; and

WHEREAS, although the State and Lake County are taking small steps in a phased approach to allow businesses and activities to slowly return to normal, the emergency conditions caused by the COVID-19 pandemic persist and require additional and sustained action by the City; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Leadville is empowered by C.R.S. § 31-15-401(1)(b) to do all acts and make all regulations necessary or expedient for the promotion of health and the suppression of disease; and

WHEREAS, the City requires the proper procedures and resources to allow it to continue to provide government services in a safe and expedient manner; and

WHEREAS, the City Council desires to extend its local emergency declaration due to the ongoing nature of the public health emergency such that it has the most resources available to it to continue to serve the public and allow City government to operate as efficiently as possible during the pandemic.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Leadville, Colorado as follows:


Section 1. Recitals Incorporated. The recitals contained above are incorporated herein by reference and are adopted as findings and determinations of the City Council.

Section 2. Extension of Emergency Declaration. The local disaster emergency declared by the City of Leadville is hereby extended until further action by City Council. The amended virtual meetings policy adopted by the City through Resolution No. 15, Series 2020 shall remain in effect throughout the duration of the local disaster emergency.


Section 3. Conflict. If any provisions of this Resolution conflict with any provision of Resolution No. 14, Series 2020, or Resolution No. 15, Series 2020, the provisions of this Resolution shall control and supersede such conflicting provisions. The remaining provisions of Resolution No. 14, Series 2020 and Resolution No. 15, Series 2020 shall continue in full force and effect for the duration of the public health emergency.

Section 4. Effective Date. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

CITY OF LEADVILLE, COLORADO:

By: 
Greg Labbe, Mayor

ATTEST:


Deputy City Clerk

ADOPTED by a vote of 7 in favor and 0 against, and 0 abstaining, this 5th day of May, 2020.