BY ORDER OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE 20-08

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, a State of Emergency was declared in St. Charles County relating to the immediate and significant risk posed to the health, safety, and welfare of the people of St. Charles County that is presented by COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the Missouri Director of The Department of Health and Senior Services issued an Order Dated April 27, 2020 (the “DHSS Order”), which was adopted by St. Charles County, Missouri by Order of the County Executive 20-07, with the exception of its expiration provisions; and the DHSS Order is now set to expire on June 15, 2020; and,

WHEREAS, on June 11, 2020, the Governor of the State of Missouri issued his Executive Order 20-12, extending the State of Emergency in Missouri and extending certain Executive Orders, so as to continue reopening economic and social activity in Missouri;

WHEREAS, reopening of economic and social activity is vital to rebuilding the economy of St. Charles County, balanced with good health and social distancing measures that address the ongoing nature of COVID-19 and the need to provide recommendations that assist the citizens of St. Charles County protecting themselves from its potential risks and impact; and,

WHEREAS, as St. Charles County continues to reopen the county health department has offered recommendations and best practices for citizens and businesses to protect themselves and others, including but not limited to, staying home if sick; frequently washing hands with soap and water and using hand sanitizer; avoiding touching one’s face; wearing a mask or fabric face covering on the mouth and nose when in public and unable to socially distance; sneezing or coughing into a tissue or the inside of one’s elbow; regularly disinfecting frequently used items and surfaces; avoiding socialization in groups that do not readily allow for appropriate social distancing;

WHEREAS, the County Executive and the St. Charles County Director of the Department of Public Health find it necessary and proper to issue this Order.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, STEVE EHMANN, COUNTY EXECUTIVE OF ST. CHARLES COUNTY, MISSOURI, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and the Laws of the State of Missouri, do hereby issue the following EMERGENCY ORDER, as follows:

1. The termination date set forth in the Declaration of Emergency of the County Executive dated March 13, 2020 is hereby extended for purposes of response to COVID-19 under the CARES Act, FFCRA and FEMA, and the State of Emergency in St. Charles County shall remain in effect, in accordance with the Order of Governor Parson, until December 31, 2020.
2. St. Charles County hereby terminates its adoption of the Order of the Missouri Director of The Department of Health and Senior Services dated April 27, 2020.

3. This Order shall supersede the following Orders of the County Executive:
   a. Executive Order 20-02, dated March 16, 2020;
   b. Executive Order 20-03, dated March 17, 2020;
   c. Executive Order 20-04, dated March 19, 2020;
   d. Executive Order 20-06, dated March 23, 2020; and

   Executive Order 20-01 dated March 11, 2020 concerning county employee telecommuting shall remain in effect until amended, modified, or rescinded by further order of the County Executive.

4. The Rapid Notification Order dated April 7, 2020, and Loss of Life Order dated April 16, 2020 of the St. Charles County Director of Public Health shall remain in effect until rescinded or modified. The Residential Care Facility and Nursing Home Order dated April 8, 2020 shall remain in effect as modified June 16, 2020 until rescinded or further modified by the Director of the Department of Public Health.

5. This Order shall be in effect beginning 12:01 am, Tuesday, June 16, 2020, and shall remain in effect until amended, modified, or rescinded by further order of the County Executive.

   Signed this 15th day of June, 2020.

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   Steve Ehlmann, County Executive
   St. Charles County, Missouri

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   Demetrius Cianci-Chapman, Director
   Department of Public Health
   St. Charles County, Missouri

   ATTEST:

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   Brenda Hinton, County Registrar