



July 9, 2020

2020-EO-023

ORDER

Rescinding City of Hilliard Order 2020-EO-022

On July 2, 2020 Governor DeWine implemented a new alert system for County measurement of COVID-19 activity, based on seven key data indicators. The alert levels are as follows:

- **Alert Level 1 Public Emergency (Yellow):** Baseline level. County has met zero or one indicator. Active exposure and spread. Follow all health orders.
- **Alert Level 2 Public Emergency (Orange):** County has met two or three indicators. Increased exposure and spread. Exercise high degree of caution. Follow all current health orders.
- **Alert Level 3 Public Emergency (Red):** County has met four or five indicators. Very high exposure and spread. Limit Activities as much as possible. Follow all current health orders.
- **Alert Level 4 Public Emergency (Purple):** County has met six or seven indicators. Severe exposure and spread. Only leave home for supplies and services. Follow all current health orders.

On July 2, 2020 Franklin County was at an alert “Level 3” and dangerously close to an alert “Level 4”, which would reinstitute “stay at home” requirements for Franklin County.

Based on these alert levels, on July 6, 2020, the City instituted mandatory face coverings for all individuals when patronizing business establishments or employed by a business establishment within the City of Hilliard, when outside if unable to maintain social distancing, and when observing organized sporting events on City of Hilliard or Hilliard City School District properties.

On June 8, 2020, following an announcement by Governor Mike DeWine, the Ohio Department of Health issued an Order requiring for facial coverings for all counties that fall within Level 3 and Level 4 Public Emergency.

So as not to conflict with the Ohio Department of Health Order, the City hereby rescinds Order Number 2020-EO-022 and individuals within the City shall adhere to the Ohio Department of Health Order issued on June 8, 2020, requiring facial coverings in Franklin County. The Ohio Department of Health Order can be found at the following link:

<https://coronavirus.ohio.gov/static/publicorders/Directors-Order-Facial-Coverings.pdf>

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