

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-\_\_\_\_

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CULVER CITY, CALIFORNIA, CONFIRMING THE MARCH 16, 2022 FORTIETH SUPPLEMENT TO PUBLIC ORDER [(1) RESCISSION OF REQUIREMENTS UNDER THIRTY-EIGHTH SUPPLEMENT FOR PROOF OF COVID-19 VACCINATION TO ENTER CERTAIN INDOOR BUSINESSES AND INDOOR CITY FACILITIES; AND (2) REQUIREMENT OF A WELL-FITTED MASK FOR MEMBERS AND FOR THE PUBLIC TO ATTEND IN-PERSON CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS AND ALL IN-PERSON CITY COMMISSION, BOARD AND COMMITTEE MEETINGS] ISSUED BY THE CITY MANAGER, AS DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES, UNDER CITY OF CULVER CITY EMERGENCY AUTHORITY, DUE TO THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC.

**WHEREAS**, pursuant to the authority granted by Culver City Municipal Code (CCMC) Section 3.09.020, on March 14, 2020, the City Manager, as the Director of Emergency Services, issued a Proclamation of Local Emergency due to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic, which was ratified by the City Council on March 18, 2020, by Resolution No. 2020-R015. Such action followed the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health's (LACDPH) and the Chair of the Board of Supervisor's declarations of a local health emergency and the State of California's declaration of a State of Emergency on March 4, 2020, and the declaration of a National Emergency on March 13, 2020; and

**WHEREAS**, under the authority of CCMC Section 3.09.020, beginning on March 16, 2020, the City Manager issued numerous public orders in regard to restrictions and limitations on business operations, recreational activities, social gatherings and other public health safety measures, that at times included social distancing, masking and vaccination verification requirements; and

**WHEREAS**, the first Public Order and each of the Supplements to the City Manager's Public Order all have been confirmed by the City Council; and

1           **WHEREAS**, the Thirty-Eighth Supplement to Public Order, issued October 26,  
2 2021 and amended November 8, 2021, required proof of full COVID-19 vaccination to enter  
3 certain indoor public locations, events, and City facilities, due to the continued high  
4 transmission of COVID-19 in the community, and the City's interest in increasing vaccination  
5 rates which, in turn, helped stem the spread of COVID-19 and protects the City's residents,  
6 employees, and visitors; and

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8           **WHEREAS**, in February 2022, after the winter surge of COVID-19 cases,  
9 LACDPH discontinued the pre-entry vaccination requirements for patrons and employees of  
10 certain businesses as previously required and removed the County's universal mask  
11 requirement except for enumerated high-risk settings; and

12           **WHEREAS**, on March 14, 2022, at a regular public meeting, the City Council  
13 directed the City Manager to discontinue the City's vaccination verification requirements that  
14 were previously instituted under the Thirty-Eighth Supplement to Public Order; and

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16           **WHEREAS**, the City Council additionally determined that it would resume in-  
17 person City Council meetings beginning at its April 11, 2022 regular meeting, and in an  
18 abundance of caution, due to the indoor setting, indoor ventilation issues, and to protect  
19 persons who are most vulnerable to serious illness from COVID-19, including those who are  
20 immunocompromised or unable to be vaccinated, the City Council voted to require all persons  
21 who attend the in-person City Council, Commission, Board and Committee meetings to wear a  
22 well-fitted mask while indoors; and

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24           **WHEREAS**, the mask requirement for indoor City Council and City Commission,  
25 Board and Committee meetings offers a reasonable alternative approach to more stringent  
26 measures, to promote the health, safety, and welfare of the City's residents, visitors and City  
27 staff members; and

1           **WHEREAS**, the City Manager issued the Fortieth Supplement to Public Order on  
2 March 16, 2022, rescinding the Thirty-Eighth Supplement, thereby discontinuing the City's  
3 vaccination verification requirements, and additionally requiring masks at for persons indoors at  
4 City Council meetings, and City Commission, Board and Committee meetings.

5           **NOW, THEREFORE**, the City Council of the City of Culver City, California, **DOES**  
6 **HEREBY RESOLVE** as follows:

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8           1. Pursuant to CCMC Section 3.09.020.B.1.h(2), the City Council confirms  
9 the Fortieth Supplement to Public Order issued by the City Manager, in his capacity as  
10 Director of Emergency Services, on March 16, 2022, attached hereto as Exhibit A and  
11 incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth.

12           2. This Resolution shall take effective immediately upon its adoption.

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14 APPROVED and ADOPTED this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2022.

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18 DR. DANIEL LEE, MAYOR  
19 City of Culver City, California

20 ATTEST:

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22 JEREMY BOCCHINO  
23 City Clerk

24 APPROVED AS TO FORM:

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27 HEATHER BAKER  
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**Fortieth Supplement to Public Order Under  
City of Culver City Emergency Authority**

**Issue Date: March 16, 2022**

**Subject: (1) Rescission of Requirements under Thirty Eighth Supplement for Proof of COVID-19 Vaccination to Enter Certain Indoor Businesses and Indoor City Facilities; (2) Requirement of a Well-Fitted Mask for Members and for the Public to Attend In-Person City Council Meetings and all In Person City Commission, Board and Committee Meetings.**

***Background of Local Emergency and Purpose of This Order.***

On March 14, 2020, the City Manager, as Director of Emergency Services, issued a Proclamation of Local Emergency, due to the outbreak and spread of the Coronavirus Respiratory Disease (COVID-19), which was ratified by the City Council on March 18, 2020 by Resolution No. 2020-R015. Beginning on March 16, 2020, the City Manager issued a number of public orders in regard to restrictions and limitations on business operations, recreational activities, social gatherings and other public health safety measures.

The Thirty-Eighth Supplement to Public Order, issued October 26, 2021 and amended November 8, 2021, required proof of full COVID-19 vaccination to enter certain indoor public locations, events, and City facilities. This measure was required due to the continued high transmission of COVID-19 in the community, and the City's interest in increasing vaccination rates which, in turn, helped stem the spread of COVID-19 and protects the City's residents, employees, and visitors.

In February 2022, after the winter surge of COVID-19 cases, the Los Angeles County Department of Public Health (LACDPH) discontinued the pre-entry vaccination requirements for patrons and employees of certain businesses as previously required and removed the County's universal mask requirement except for enumerated high risk settings.

On March 14, 2022, at a regular public meeting, the City Council directed the City Manager to discontinue the City's vaccination requirements that were previously instituted under the Thirty-Eighth Supplement to Public Order. In addition, the City Council determined that it would resume in-person City Council meetings beginning at its April 11, 2022 regular meeting, and that all City Commissions, Boards and Committees would resume in person meetings in April. In an abundance of caution, due to the indoor setting, indoor ventilation issues, and to protect persons who are most vulnerable to serious illness from COVID-19, including those who are immunocompromised or unable to be vaccinated, the City Council voted to require all persons who attend the in-person City Council, Commission, Board and Committee

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meetings to wear a well-fitted mask while indoors. This requirement offers an alternative approach to more stringent measures. The City seeks to promote the health, safety, and welfare of its residents and visitors, and to protect its employees.

**PUBLIC ORDER**

By virtue of authority vested in me as the Director of Emergency Services, pursuant to the provisions of CCMC Section 3.09.020.B.1.h(2), to make and issue rules and regulations on matters reasonably related to the protection of persons, property, and the environment as affected by such emergency, I hereby order:

1. The provisions of the Thirty-Eighth Supplement to Public Order are hereby terminated. Proof of vaccination verification is no longer required in Culver City businesses or City facilities; however, business establishments and venues open to the public may at their discretion choose to require vaccination verification prior to entry.
2. A will fitted mask is required for all persons present at indoor in-person City Council meetings, and all indoor in-person City Commission, Board and Committee meetings.
3. Except as provided herein, the City of Culver City will continue to align with the County of Los Angeles Health Officer Orders, including the most recent March 3, 2022 Public Order, and will automatically align with any new or subsequent County of Los Angeles Public Health Order or Directive, unless a new City Order is issued with Culver City specific restrictions or requirements.
4. Additional social distancing, infection control, and health and safety measures and guidelines may be imposed at any time, in my sole discretion, in order to ensure the protection of the public's health and safety, and the intent of each and every Public Order is carried out.

Any violation of this Fortieth Supplement to Public Order may be enforced under the Culver City Municipal Code, which provides for fines not to exceed \$1,000 or imprisonment not to exceed six months. Each individual officer and City official should use their discretion in enforcing this order and always keep the intent of the order in mind.

This Fortieth Supplement to Public Order shall be effective immediately and shall remain in effect until superseded, amended, modified, rescinded, or expired by its terms.

Date: March 15, 2022



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John M. Nachbar, City Manager  
Director of Emergency Services  
City of Culver City