



**NOTICE OF CITY OF AURORA REGULATION PURSUANT TO AURORA  
MUNICIPAL CODE ORDINANCE 38-33(d)**

**Regulation 20-04**

On March 18, 2020, the City of Aurora declared a state of disaster due to the public health incident related to COVID-19 in order to preserve and protect the public health, safety, and welfare of the inhabitants of the City. Under Aurora Municipal Ordinance 38-33(d), during a declared state of disaster, the City Manager may promulgate regulations necessary to protect life and property and preserve critical resources. At this time, the City Manager has determined that an exercise of that authority is necessary to protect the citizens of the City of Aurora and to facilitate statewide efforts to stop the spread of COVID-19.

**RECITALS**

WHEREAS, protecting the public health is the City's top priority; and

WHEREAS, even with social distancing, it is inevitable that people will come closer than six feet of others when they are in indoor business spaces as they are walking in aisles, passing each other and rounding corners; and

WHEREAS, the use of face coverings offers additional protection for and from those who may have the virus but are asymptomatic; and

WHEREAS, the use of face coverings also helps protect those most vulnerable to the virus who still must go out to obtain necessary items such as groceries, prescriptions and other health care necessities; and

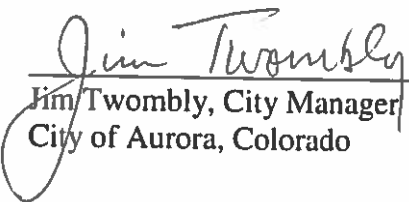
WHEREAS, the use of face coverings also protects workers who are required to wear face coverings by Executive Order and Public Health Order and interact with people who are, currently, not wearing face coverings; and

THEREFORE, the following regulations are hereby adopted:

1. The City of Aurora hereby adopts the restrictions promulgated by the State of Colorado in Executive Order D 2020 039 (Ordering Workers in Critical Businesses and Critical

- Government Functions to Wear Non-Medical Face Coverings) and Public Health Order 20-26 (Face Coverings for Critical Businesses), as they may be amended from time to time.
2. The City of Aurora Department of Finance shall have authority to enforce this regulation under Aurora Municipal Code, Section 38-28. The Director may delegate enforcement duties to appropriate personnel within the Department.
  3. The City of Aurora strongly encourages all businesses operating within the City establish a policy requiring customers and visitors to wear medical or non-medical cloth face coverings at all times when the customer or visitor is in the indoor public areas associated with the business.
  4. Additionally, the City of Aurora strongly encourages all customers and visitors in indoor public areas associated with a business wear medical or non-medical cloth face coverings at all times, including, but not limited to, when inside critical businesses operating within the City as permitted by the current applicable Public Health Orders and Regulations.
  5. This regulation shall remain in place so long as Executive Order D 2020 039 and Public Health Order 20-26 remain in place, or until the City Manager determines that such regulation is no longer necessary to protect life and property in the City of Aurora.

Dated this 28<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2020.

  
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Jim Twombly, City Manager  
City of Aurora, Colorado