

1 **Consolidated Temporary Order**

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3 **Notes:** This document shows Temporary Order 3 (issued on Thursday,
4 March 26, 2020) as amended by Order 3A (issued on Friday March 27,
5 2020), and Order 3B (issued on Wednesday, April 1, 2020), and Order 3C
6 (issued April 3, 2020).

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8 1. Purpose: The purpose of the Emergency Order, first established March 26, 2020,
9 (and subsequent amendments thereto) is to comply with guidelines from the
10 President of the United States and the Centers for Disease Control and
11 Prevention as well as Executive Orders from Governor Henry McMaster to
12 promote social distancing practices and to discourage gatherings of three or
13 more persons all for the purpose of slowing the spread of COVID-19.
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- 15 2. All accommodations businesses in the City of Myrtle Beach, including hotels,
16 motels, condo hotels, rental properties, inclusive of private management
17 companies and Airbnb, VRBO style lodging, plus public and private campgrounds:
- 18 • Shall not accept new reservations or extend current reservations for any
19 period prior to **May 1 May 15** effective immediately (such time limit is
20 subject to further modification), except as indicated below.
 - 21 • Existing reservations made for a period beginning Saturday, March 28,
22 2020 through **April 30 May 15**, 2020 will be rescheduled or canceled.
 - 23 • The following shall be exempted from the restrictions shown above:
 - 24 ▪ Those units which have been consistently occupied since March 1,
25 2020, as long as the occupants of these units are not joined by
26 other occupants including friends and family members.
 - 27 ▪ Travelling medical staff.
 - 28 ▪ First responders and other governmental employees only to the
29 extent that such governmental employees are engaged in official
30 business.
 - 31 ▪ Persons making delivery of food, medical supplies, medicines,
32 gasoline, and other critical supplies as necessary.
 - 33 ▪ Myrtle Beach residents displaced by a fire as placed by the
34 American Red Cross or Myrtle Beach Fire Department.
 - 35 ▪ Myrtle Beach Residents displaced by act or threat of domestic
36 violence as referred or placed by the Myrtle Beach Police
37 Department.
 - 38 ▪ Persons having a valid reservation prior to the effective date of
39 this Order who otherwise would be rendered homeless.
 - 40 • With respect to units owned by private individuals:
 - 41 ▪ If a property is occupied as a year-round primary residence, the
42 unit may be used exclusively by that owner while the order is in
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- If a property is used exclusively as a second home, and is not used as a rental property in any way, then the unit may be used by that owner while the order is in effect.
 - If, on the other hand, that unit is used for rentals, regardless of frequency, then the unit may not be used by the property owner while the Executive Order is in effect.
 - Note: For the purpose of this section, if a unit is owned by an entity such as an LLC, rather than an individual, then the owner of that LLC or other entity is considered to be the owner of the unit.
 - All visitors who do not meet the above exemption must vacate the property by noon, Sunday, March 29, 2020. All persons, other than owners and those meeting one of the above exceptions, who occupy a property qualifying as an accommodation business above between noon on March 29, 2020 and 12:01 a.m. May 1, 2020 will be deemed to be in violation of this Order and subject to the full enforcement authority as allowed in Section 8-23 of the Myrtle Beach Code of Ordinances.
3. All amusements and related services designed primarily to attract and accommodate visitors, are hereby ordered to close effective Friday, March 27, 2020, including but not limited to:
- Movie and live performance theaters.
 - Mini-golf courses.
 - Golf courses are prohibited from allowing non-local play. .
 - Moped and golf cart rental operations.
 - Amusement parks and arcades.
 - Jet ski rentals, beach umbrella and chair rentals; parasailing and banana boats rentals, and all other forms of commercial activity on the beach.
 - Other businesses as defined by any current or future order of the Governor of South Carolina.
4. As ensuring public health is a shared responsibility:
- Our residents are requested to continue to wash or sanitize hands frequently, to frequently disinfect home and work surfaces that may lead to the spread of the coronavirus, and to practice even more stringent social distancing procedures.
 - Businesses that remain open to the public are requested to:
 - Redouble all CDC and DHEC recommended sanitation and disinfection procedures, and to emphasize such procedures to their employees.
 - Establish safe distancing guidelines for all cashier and payment areas to encourage a separation of customers of at least six feet between customers.

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- Enforce six feet separation requirements whenever possible in waiting rooms, lobby areas, and workstations.
- Encourage that business be conducted over the telephone or electronically whenever possible.
- Establish special hours for senior citizens whenever possible.

5. Enforcement of Executive Order - Section 8-23 of the Code of Ordinances provides that the Police Department is authorized to enforce these Executive Orders during a declared emergency. In most such cases the Police are directed to seek voluntary compliance. As provided for in Section 8-23, however, failure to comply with such Order shall be construed as a violation of this Chapter 8 of the City Code. Any person who violates any provision in Chapter 8 shall, upon conviction, be punishable by a fine not exceeding \$500, imprisonment for a term not exceeding 30 days, or both, for each violation. Each person assisting in the commission of a violation shall be guilty of separate offenses. Each day during which a violation or failure to comply continues shall constitute a separate violation.