

CITY OF SANGER
EMERGENCY SERVICES DIRECTOR EXECUTIVE ORDER 20-7a
RELATING TO CITY WIDE FACE COVERING LOCATED WITHIN THE CITY OF
SANGER CITY LIMITS

As the Director of Emergency Services pursuant to Sanger City Code Chapter 26, Article I, and by the powers vested in me by Sanger City Code Section 26-6, I hereby issue the following orders, to be effective immediately and for so long as the City's declared emergency is in effect related to COVID-19:

- 1) Face Covering Definition: A cloth mask or equivalent that covers both the mouth and nose. Face covering with one-way exhalation valves are not sufficient to comply with this order.
- 2) On June 18, 2020, the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) issued Guidance for the Use of Face Coverings which "mandates that face coverings be worn state-wide" for certain circumstances and with exceptions. The purpose of the state mandate is to reduce the risk of COVID-19 risk and exposure. The purpose of this local order is to ensure that the CDPH mandate is followed in the City of Sanger. Under the state mandate, people in California must wear face coverings when they are in the high-risk situations listed below:
 - Inside of, or in line to enter, any indoor public space;
 - Obtaining services from the healthcare sector in settings including, but not limited to, a hospital, pharmacy, medical clinic, laboratory, physician or dental office, veterinary clinic, or blood bank;
 - Waiting for or riding on public transportation or paratransit or while in a taxi, private car service, or ride-sharing vehicle;
 - Engaged in work, whether at the workplace or performing work off-site, when:
 - Interacting in-person with any member of the public;
 - Working in any space visited by members of the public, regardless of whether anyone from the public is present at the time;
 - Working in any space where food is prepared or packaged for sale or distribution to others;
 - Working in or walking through common areas, such as hallways, stairways, elevators, and parking facilities;
 - In any room or enclosed area where other people (except for members of the person's own household or residence) are present when unable to physically distance.
 - Driving or operating any public transportation or paratransit vehicle, taxi, or private car service or ride-sharing vehicle when passengers are present. When no passengers are present, face coverings are strongly recommended.
 - While outdoors in public spaces when maintaining a physical distance of six feet from persons who are not members of the same household or residence is not feasible.

The following individuals are exempt from wearing a face covering:

- Children aged two and under;
- Persons with a medical, mental health, or developmental disability that prevents wearing a face covering;
- Persons who are hearing impaired, or communicating with a person who is hearing impaired, where the ability to see the mouth is essential for communication;
- Persons for whom wearing a face covering would create a risk to the person related to their work, as determined by local, state, or federal regulators or workplace safety guidelines.

- Persons who are obtaining a service involving the nose or face for which temporary removal of the face covering is necessary to perform the service;
 - Persons who are seated at a restaurant or other establishment that offers food or beverage service, while they are eating or drinking, provided that they are able to maintain a distance of at least six feet away from persons who are not members of the same household or residence;
 - Persons who are engaged in outdoor work or recreation such as swimming, walking, hiking, bicycling, or running, when alone or with household members, and when they are able to maintain a distance of at least six feet from others;
 - Persons who are incarcerated. Prisons and jails, as part of their mitigation plans, will have specific guidance on the wearing of face coverings of masks for both inmates and staff.
- 3) The Order shall be subject to amendment or repeal at any time, and shall not be deemed to confer any contractual obligations, property rights, or assume any City liability.
 - 4) If any provision of this Order or its application to any person or circumstance is held to be invalid, then the remainder of the Order, including the application of such part or provision to other persons or circumstances, shall not be affected and shall continue in full force and effect. To this end, the provisions of this Order are severable.
 - 5) This Order shall be immediately translated into Spanish, and accommodations made for all disabled persons to read its contents; it shall also be distributed to all local media and made prominently available on the City's website.
 - 6) Sanger Police Department, Sanger Code Enforcement Department, and other law enforcement authorities cooperating with the City of Sanger, are hereby authorized and charged, to the extent provided by law, with the responsibility of enforcing this regulation. Any violations of this regulations shall be punished as provided in Sanger City Code Section 1-7.

THEREFORE, I, Tim Chapa, as Director of Emergency Services, to help mitigate the spread of COVID-19 and the financial effects related to COVID-19, order that face coverings must be worn in public subject to the above conditions and effective immediately within the City of Sanger.

DATE: 6/26/20



Tim Chapa, City Manager/Director of Emergency Services

ATTEST: 

Rebeca Padron, City Clerk/Deputy Personnel Officer

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