



JUNE 5, 2020

JUSTIN ELICKER, MAYOR

**CITY OF NEW HAVEN
CONNECTICUT 06510**

**RESCISSION OF EMERGENCY ORDER NO. 4 REGARDING
GATHERINGS OF MORE THAN TEN INDIVIDUALS
IN THE CITY OF NEW HAVEN**

WHEREAS, on March 10, 2020, the Governor of the State of Connecticut declared a public health emergency and a civil preparedness emergency for the State of Connecticut, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Sections 19a-131 and 28-9, in response to the global pandemic of COVID-19 disease associated with a novel coronavirus that is currently affecting multiple countries and states; and,

WHEREAS, on March 12, 2020 the Governor of the State of Connecticut issued Executive Order Number 7, limiting the number of individuals that may convene, meet or otherwise gather throughout the State, to no more than 250 people or more for social and recreational activities including, but not limited to, community, civic, leisure, or sporting events; parades; concerts; festivals; movie screenings; plays or performances; conventions; and similar activities; and,

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, the President of the United States declared a national emergency to combat the coronavirus that is currently infecting the population of the United States; and

WHEREAS, on March 15, 2020, the Mayor of the City of New Haven, pursuant to Connecticut General Statutes Sections 28-8a(a), 28-1(8), and 28-22, and Chapter 11, Section 11-23 et. seq. of the Code of General Ordinances of the City of New Haven, declared a state of emergency, due to the significant danger to public health posed by the spread of COVID-19 and shortages of supplies and equipment necessary to protect the public health and safety, and the spread of COVID-19 to residents of the City of New Haven as a result of the global pandemic; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020 the Governor of the State of Connecticut amended and modified his Executive Order Number 7 with Executive Order Number 7D, to require that all such gatherings as contemplated and addressed by Executive Order Number 7 be limited to no more than 50 or more people; and, included "religious, spiritual or worship gatherings," and;

WHEREAS, on March 26, 2020, the Governor of the State of Connecticut, by his Executive Order No. 7N, further amended and extended terms conditions and limits within his Executive Order Number 7D; and

WHEREAS, on May 18, 2020, the Governor of the State of Connecticut, by his Executive Order No. 7PP, further amended and extended terms conditions and limits within his Executive Orders Number 7D and Number 7N; and

WHEREAS, on May 29, 2020, the Governor of the State of Connecticut, by his Executive Order No. 7TT, further amended and extended terms conditions and limits within his Executive Order No. 7D, No. 7N and No. 7PP; and

WHEREAS, due to the significant adverse impact on public health of COVID-19, and the acceleration of the spread of the disease, the Mayor took action under and pursuant to powers granted by Connecticut General Statutes Sections 28-8a(a), 28-1(8), and 28-22, and Chapter 11, Sections 6, 7 and 11-23 et. seq. of the Code of General Ordinances of the City of New Haven; and

WHEREAS, the duties assigned by the Code of General Ordinances of the City of New Haven to the Mayor of the City of New Haven require said Mayor to cause the Charter, the Ordinances and laws to be executed and enforced, and to conserve the peace within the City; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Chapter 11, Section 11-23 of the Code of General Ordinances of the City of New Haven, the Mayor has personally taken direct operational control of any and all parts of emergency management functions of the City of New Haven; and,

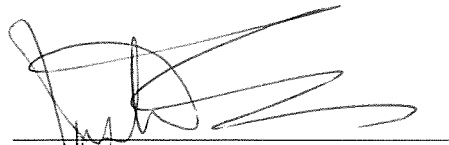
WHEREAS, on March 19, 2020, in accordance with the above rights, powers, duties and responsibilities, the Mayor of the City of New Haven did issue an emergency executive order, entitled Emergency Order No. 4 Regarding Gatherings of More Than Ten Individuals in the City of New Haven; and

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that, pursuant to the powers and duties granted in the Connecticut General Statutes and the Code of Ordinances of the City of New Haven, and in accordance with the terms of that emergency executive order entitled Emergency Order No. 4 Regarding Gatherings of More Than Ten Individuals in the City of New Haven , dated March 19, 2020, that Executive Order No. 4 is hereby rescinded, effective June 14, 2020, at 12:01 a.m.; and

IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that, notwithstanding any and all other Mayoral or Gubernatorial Executive Orders, nothing in this order should be deemed or construed to counteract, reverse, withdraw, revoke or otherwise amend any other previously or subsequently issued order, unless expressly stated; and,

IT IS FURTHER PROCLAIMED AND ORDERED that this rescission will be made publicly available for inspection and review in the Office of the Town Clerk of the City of New Haven and shall be posted on the City of New Haven website.

Dated: 6/8/2020



Justin Elicker
Mayor