

AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 131 OF THE 1988 CITY OF SPRINGFIELD CODE OF ORDINANCES, AS AMENDED, BY ADDING SECTION 131.15 PERTAINING TO PUBLIC HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR EMERGENCY PASSAGE

WHEREAS, the City of Springfield is a home rule unit as defined in Article VII, Section 6(a) of the 1970 Illinois Constitution and has jurisdiction over matters pertaining to its government and affairs; and

WHEREAS it is in the best interest of the City to amend Chapter 131 of the 1988 City of Springfield Code of Ordinances, as amended, by amending section 131.15 pertaining to public health requirements.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS:

Section 1: That the City Council hereby amends Chapter 131 of the 1988 City of Springfield Code of Ordinances, as amended, by amending section 131.15 pertaining to public health requirements, as follows:

SEE ATTACHED EXHIBIT A

Section 2: That the City Clerk is hereby directed to publish this ordinance in pamphlet form.

Section 3: That this ordinance is adopted pursuant the home rule authority granted by Article VII, Section 6(a) of the 1970 Illinois Constitution.

Section 4: That this ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its passage and publication in pamphlet form.

PASSED: _____, 2020

SIGNED: _____, 2020

RECORDED: _____, 2020

Mayor James O. Langfelder

ATTEST: _____
City Clerk Frank Lesko

Approved as to legal sufficiency:

Requested by:
Mayor James O. Langfelder

Office of Corporation Counsel

EXHIBIT A

TITLE XIII: - GENERAL OFFENSES

CHAPTER 131. - OFFENSES AGAINST PUBLIC ORDER

§ 131.15 – Public health requirements -- Masks in public spaces~~retail establishments~~

(a) Facial Masks shall be worn by all persons over the age of two (2) in public spaces~~retail establishments~~ at all times when a public health order or emergency declaration order requiring masks is in effect.

1. Masks must cover the nose and mouth.
2. Masks may be medical masks or homemade masks.
3. Masks should fit snugly around the mouth and nose.
4. Non-medical masks should be made of materials designed to protect each other from respiratory droplets produced when people cough, sneeze, or talk.

(b) When a public health order or emergency declaration order are in effect requiring the use of facial masks, public space owners, lessees, or operators~~retail establishments~~ shall at all entrances post written notice of the facial mask requirement, monitor those persons entering the public space~~retail establishment~~ to ensure a mask is worn, provide a mask to those persons who do not have a mask (meeting the guidelines listed above), and require anyone who removes their mask while in the public space~~retail establishment~~ to leave the public space~~retail establishment~~ or to wear a mask meeting public health guidelines.

~~(b)~~(c) Public space for the purposes of Section 131.15 is defined as all areas in a building, structure, vehicle, or enclosure that are not restricted to employees only. Public space includes but is not limited to: service providers such as insurance offices, tax offices, or title companies, financial institutions, buses, taxis, shared ride vehicles, civic centers, theaters, sports and fitness centers, art studios, medical offices or facilities, religious houses of worship, schools, retail establishments, private clubs, reception and banquet halls, meeting rooms, and government offices. Public space does not include, outdoor spaces, private residences, private residential rooms, or private vehicles.

(d) Persons that have documented medical conditions that make wearing a facial mask not medically tolerable shall be exempt from the requirements of the section.

(e) The minimum fine for any individual person violating the requirements of this section shall be \$50 for each violation. The minimum fine for any public space owner, lessee, or operator~~retail business establishment~~ violating the requirements of this section shall be \$250 for the first violation and \$500 for each subsequent violation.

ORDINANCE FACT SHEET

REQUEST FORM NO: _____
 DATE OF 1ST READING: 11/17/2020

OFFICE REQUESTING: Mayor Langfelder CONTACT PERSON: _____
 PHONE NUMBER: 788-2200

EMERGENCY PASSAGE: No Yes If yes, explain justification.

TYPE OF ORDINANCE: _____ Code _____ FISCAL IMPACT: \$0.00

(If amending a previous ordinance, please attach a copy of the previous ordinance)

SUGGESTED TITLE:

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Please list supporting documentation (i.e., contract, agreement, change order, bid book, etc.)

CONTRACTOR / VENDOR NAME: _____ VENDOR NO: _____

CONTRACT TERM: _____ CONTRACT # _____ Change in Scope Yes No

CONTRACT AMOUNT:

(Original amount if change order)

Change Order #

Additional Amount

Method of Purchase (check one)

- Low Bid Other: _____ Is Purchasing Agent approval required? No Yes
 Low Bid Meeting Specs Exception: _____ Is Purchasing Agent approval attached? No Yes
 Low Evaluated Bid Code Provision: _____

Previous Ord #'s _____

Accounting information (if more than four accounts, please attach list)

REVENUE					
Fund	Agency	Org	Activity	Source	Amount
1					
2					
3					
4					

EXPENDITURE					
Fund	Agency	Org	Activity	Object	Amount
1					
2					
3					
4					

FUNDS CHECK BY: _____	Date: _____
DIRECTOR / SUPERVISOR SIGNATURE _____	Date: _____
CITY PURCHASING AGENT: _____	Date: _____

COMMENTS

This ordinance amends Chapter 131 by adding Section 131.15 pertaining to public health Requirements.

SIGN OFF:  Mayor _____ Director of OBM _____