

ORDER OF THE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO

AND

THE COMMISSIONER OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO

No. 2020-8 – CURFEW

Issued and Effective: May 30, 2020

WHEREAS, Section 2-4-110 of the Municipal Code of Chicago ("Code") vests the Mayor of the City of Chicago with authority to execute plans for the prevention of emergencies resulting from riot or other causes requiring concerted measures for the maintenance of public peace and order, the preservation of life and property and the relief of suffering; and

WHEREAS, The Code authorizes the Commissioner of Health of the City of Chicago to implement emergency measures to stop the spread of communicable diseases, and to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the City's residents, including but not limited to authority granted in Code Sections 2-112-070 and 2-112-080; and

WHEREAS, Recent protests have brought large numbers of people together engaging in illegal acts of violence and destruction, and further acting in violation of necessary guidelines for social distancing; now, therefore,

The Mayor of the City of Chicago and the Commissioner of Health of the City of Chicago hereby jointly order as follows:

SECTION 1. Definitions.

"Curfew hours" means the period between 9 p.m. and 6 a.m.

"Establishment" means any privately owned place of business operated for a profit to which the public is invited, including but not limited to any place of amusement or entertainment.

"Public place" means any place to which the public or a substantial group of the public has access and includes, but is not limited to, streets, highways, and the common areas of schools, hospitals, apartment houses, office buildings, transport facilities and shops.

"Remain" means to:

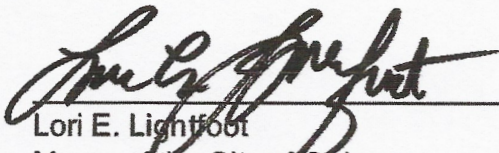
- (A) Linger or stay; or
- (B) Fail to leave premises when requested to do so by a police officer or the owner, operator or other person in control of the premises.

SECTION 2. Except for persons engaged in Essential Activities, as that term is defined in Order 2020-3 (Second Amended and Reissued), it shall be a violation of this Order for any person to remain in any public place or on the premises of any establishment within the City of Chicago during curfew hours.

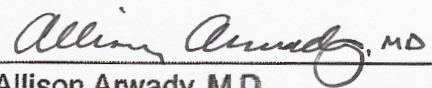
SECTION 3. The Chicago Police Department shall ensure compliance with this Order using any means necessary (warning, fine and/or arrest).

SECTION 4. In addition to any other penalty provided by law, any person who violates this Order shall be subject to arrest, and to the fines set forth in Section 2-112-340 of the Code.

SECTION 5. This Order shall remain in effect until the Commissioner of Health and the Superintendent of Police issue a joint written determination that it can safely be repealed.



Lori E. Lightfoot
Mayor of the City of Chicago



Allison Arwady, M.D.,
Commissioner of Health of the City of Chicago

Dated: May 30, 2020