

March 13, 2020

To Whom It May Concern:

On March 12, 2020, the Mayor of the City and County of Denver declared a state of local disaster emergency pursuant to C.R.S. § 24-33.5-701, *et seq.*, due to the risk of spread of the novel coronavirus, now designated COVID-19.

The Executive Director of the Denver Department of Public Health & Environment, pursuant to section 24-16 of the Denver Revised Municipal Code, hereby finds that the Red Rocks Amphitheatre, the Denver Coliseum, the Denver Performing Arts Complex, the Colorado Convention Center, and the McNichols Civic Center Building (together “FACILITIES”) shall be ACCESS RESTRICTED for 30 days to minimize the spread of COVID-19.

ACCESS RESTRICTED means the FACILITIES shall remain closed to the public for any purpose.

ADDITIONALLY, all Denver public libraries, and all Denver recreation centers shall also be ACCESS RESTRICTED until further notice, except for certain Denver recreation centers that may open temporarily to the public for the sole purpose of providing free meals to students.

FURTHERMORE, all City permitted public outdoor gatherings scheduled in the next 30 days for 250 or more persons are hereby CANCELLED to minimize the spread of COVID-19.

This public health order is effective immediately. Questions can be directed to the agency contact information above.

Issued by:



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