



Town Update – COVID-19

Date: Thursday, April 16, 2020 – 9am

The Town of Surf City will continue to work with County, State, and Federal agencies in response to the COVID-19 emergency. The Town's Emergency Operations Center is operating on [Day 28](#) in efforts to coordinate and implement our response. We will provide periodic updates to keep you informed. At this point the following actions have been taken:

1. [Executive Order No. 117](#) – Governor Roy Cooper on K-12 Schools
2. [Executive Order No. 118](#) – Governor Roy Cooper on Bars and Restaurants
3. [Executive Order No. 119](#) – Governor Roy Cooper on Child Care
4. [Executive Order No. 120](#) – Governor Roy Cooper on K-12 Schools Closure Extension and Additional Restrictions on Mass Gathering Businesses
5. [Executive Order No. 121](#) – Stay-At-Home Order issued on March 27, 2020, effective March 30, 2020
 - a. [FAQ's About Stay-At-Home Order](#)
6. [Executive Order No. 131](#) – Governor Roy Cooper adds additional restrictions for “essential” businesses.
7. [State of Emergency Declared](#) – Governor Roy Cooper
8. [National Emergency Declared](#) - President Donald Trump
9. [CDC Updates](#) - Social distancing continues to be the preferred practice among everyone
 - a. Washing your hands and keeping things sanitized is extremely important
10. [Town Updates](#) – In efforts to reduce crowding and for public safety the Town of Surf City has closed Town facilities to the public including:
 - a. Town buildings
 - b. Public restrooms
 - c. Public beach accesses
 - d. Public parks
 - e. Public parking
11. [Town of Surf City Reminder](#) – Link to reminder on Public Beach Accesses, Public Parking Lots and Parks
12. [Town of Surf City State of Emergency](#) – Updated version discontinues Short-Term Rentals
13. [Pender County Emergency Management](#) – Link for Pender County updates on COVID-19 pandemic
14. [Senator Thom Tillis](#) – Tillis Releases Information to Assist North Carolinians with Questions on Direct Checks, Small Business Assistance

Additional Information:

1. [Volunteer as Healthcare Worker](#)
2. [Elective Surgeries](#)
3. [COVID-19 Page](#)
4. The Town is taking additional measures to prevent potential spread by screening our staff.
5. [Golden LEAF Foundation](#) – Launches \$15M Rapid Recovery Loan Program
6. [FEMA New Release](#) – President Donald Trump Approves Major Disaster Declaration for NC
7. [State of North Carolina Utilities Commission Raleigh](#)
8. Need to report a short-term rental violation?
You can do so online at <http://surfcitync.gov/reportViolation>
9. NCDHHS is providing financial assistance to help essential workers afford childcare and bonuses to childcare teachers and staff who provide care during the COVID-19 crisis. <https://www.ncdhhs.gov/news/press-releases/ncdhhs-provide-financial-support-essential-workers-and-child-care-providers>

