



Town Update – COVID-19

Date: Thursday, April 16, 2020 1pm

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. [Town of Surf City State of Emergency](#) – The new State of Emergency with provisions will be posted later, once it has been finalized and signed. The Town Council discuss these provisions in the work session April 16, 2020 at 9am.
2. [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
3. [Town of Surf City Reminder](#) – Link to reminder on Public Beach Accesses, Public Parking Lots and Parks
4. [Executive Order No. 117](#) – Governor Roy Cooper on K-12 Schools
5. [Executive Order No. 118](#) – Governor Roy Cooper on Bars and Restaurants
6. [Executive Order No. 119](#) – Governor Roy Cooper on Child Care
7. [Executive Order No. 120](#) – Governor Roy Cooper on K-12 Schools Closure Extension and Additional Restrictions on Mass Gathering Businesses
8. [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](#)
9. [Executive Order No. 131](#) – Governor Roy Cooper adds additional restrictions for “essential” businesses.
10. [State of Emergency Declared](#) – Governor Roy Cooper
11. [National Emergency Declared](#) - President Donald Trump
12. [CDC Updates](#) - Social distancing continues to be the preferred practice among everyone
 - a. Washing your hands and keeping things sanitized is extremely important
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>



