

City Council of Clinton, Oklahoma
Resolution 900 Declaring State of Emergency

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization (WHO) has declared COVID-19 (Coronavirus) to be a global pandemic; and

WHEREAS, the President of the United States has declared an infectious disease national emergency declaration to combat COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, There have been Forty Four (44) confirmed cases of COVID-19 within the State of Oklahoma, including Custer County; and

WHEREAS, health professionals and researchers have determined that COVID-19 is spread by human contact and interaction; and

WHEREAS, avoidance of human contact through methods such as social distancing is believed to stop the spread of COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the spread of COVID-19 is a disaster affecting life, health, and safety of Clinton residents and non-residents alike; and

WHEREAS, the provisions of Oklahoma statutes Title 63 O.S. 24-683.1 and Title 63 O.S. 24-683.2 permit the City Council, as the governing body of the municipality of Clinton, Oklahoma to proclaim through this resolution that a state of emergency exists within any area of the City of Clinton; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BY VIRTUE OF THE AUTHORITY VESTED IN THE CITY COUNCIL, OF CLINTON, OKLAHOMA BY THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA, BE IT RESOLVED, PROCLAIMED AND DECLARED:

SECTION 1: A state of emergency exists within the corporate limits of the City of Clinton, Custer County, Oklahoma.

SECTION 2: Meetings of all Clinton City Council meetings and Authority meetings will continue. These meetings will remain open to the public with efforts made to protect the health of attendees with attention given to social distancing at meetings.

SECTION 3: The City of Clinton will not issue new permit for any public or private event on any City street, sidewalk, facility, park, or property.

SECTION 4: All in-person gatherings of fifty or more people for social, spiritual and recreational purposes including, but not limited to community, civic, public leisure, faith-based, or sporting events, parades, concerts, festivals, conventions, fundraisers and similar activities are strongly discouraged until further notice,

SECTION 5: Restaurants, bars and other privately owned gathering places are highly encouraged to limit the number of patrons such that at least six (6) feet of space is available to each patron. Such facilities are further encouraged to transition to “take-out” or “delivery” options.

SECTION 6: Local gyms and exercise facilities are encouraged to discontinue all group activities and to significantly increase and enhance facility cleaning regimens.

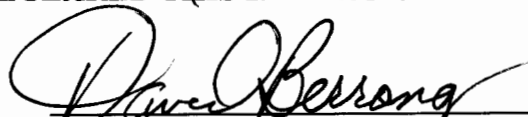
SECTION 7: Acme Brick Park Indoor Exercise Facility will be closed until further notice.

SECTION 8: No new reservations for usage of City facilities will be permitted until further notice.

SECTION 9: This Resolution of Emergency will continue until further notice.


SECTION 10: This Resolution shall become effective at 8:00 a.m., Friday, March 20, 2020

RESOLVED, PROCLAIMED AND DECLARED THIS 19TH DAY OF MARCH, 2020.



David Berrong, Mayor

ATTEST:



Lisa Anders, City Clerk