

CITY OF DE PERE
THIRD MAYORAL PROCLAMATION
MARCH 23, 2020

WHEREAS, on March 17, 2020, the Common Council of the City of De Pere adopted Resolution #20-34 declaring a state of emergency in the City of De Pere; and

WHEREAS, the emergency power granted to the governing body by Wis. Stat. §323.14(4)(a) includes the general authority to order, by ordinance or resolution, whatever is necessary and expedient for the health, safety, protection, and welfare of persons and property within the local unit of government in the emergency; and


WHEREAS, if, because of the emergency conditions, the governing body of the local unit of government is unable to meet promptly, Resolution #20-34 and Wis. Stat. §323.14(4)(b) grants the Mayor, or in the absence of the Mayor, the Council President, the authority to act under Wis. Stats. §323.11 and §323.14(4)(a).

NOW, THEREFORE, THE MAYOR DOES HEREBY PROCLAIM THAT:

1. The City of De Pere Family Medical Leave Act Policy (Addendum U to the City Policy Manual) and all other relevant provisions of said Policy Manual are hereby amended to incorporate the provisions of the Families First Coronavirus Response Act (H.R. 6201).
2. For the purposes of the Families First Coronavirus Response Act, emergency responders within the City of De Pere shall hereby include all sworn police officers, all fire department personnel, all health department personnel, and all water department personnel.
3. The City of De Pere hereby elects to exclude emergency responders as defined above from the application of the provisions in the amendments made under Sections 3102 and 5102 of the Families First Coronavirus Response Act.
4. Any ordinance, resolution, or City policy in conflict with the above proclamation shall be superseded by this proclamation.

5. The above proclamations shall remain in effect until the Declaration of Emergency is no longer in effect, or until ratified, altered, modified, or repealed by the Common Council at the next meeting.

PROCLAIMED this 23rd day of March, 2020.



Michael J. Walsh, Mayor