

Date: March 24, 2020

Contact: Colleen Lockwood, President CFLCA

VIA Email To: Fort Lauderdale Mayor & City Commissioners, Fort Lauderdale City

Manager Lagerbloom

Re: CFLCA Board Motion for immediate implementation of more stringent

measures in response to COVID-19

On March 23, 2020 the CFLCA held a Board of Directors meeting via conference call. Quorum requirements were met. District 4 City Commissioner Ben Sorensen participated during the first portion of the meeting. He provided updates on the COVID-19 pandemic; a lengthy question and answer session followed.

After Commissioner Sorensen disconnected from the conference call, Board Members discussed the merits of taking immediate and more stringent measures to diminish the spread off the virus.

- Board Members shared their observations of the many large outdoor gatherings across the City that continue; the message of 'stay at home' is not being heard widely enough.
- All of the research models agree that stringent measures need to be taken as early as possible in regions where there are a high number of reported cases.

Board Member Christina Currie made the following motion, *which passed* after a discussion with all members participating:

The CFLCA Board of Director's supports the City of Fort Lauderdale in implementing the following on a week-by-week basis.

- 1. Implement a "Safer at Home" directive in the City of Fort Lauderdale.
- 2. Implement a prohibition on non-family public gatherings on land and water in the City of Fort Lauderdale.
- 3. Implement a curfew from 11pm to 5am to facilitate a respite period for first responders.
- 4. The aforementioned should all have an essential business exception.

The following Board Members *supported the motion*: Michael Albetta, Melinda Bowker, Jim Concannon (2nd motion), Christina Currie, Luis Castillo, Colleen Lockwood, Kelly Manning, Mary Peloquin. The following Board Members *opposed the motion*: Dennis Ulmer and Marilyn Mammano. Board member Stubbs was not in attendance.



The Board of Directors of the CFLCA thanks all City of Fort Lauderdale officials and employees for continuing the important work of the City and their ongoing updates and communication during this time. If there is any void we may fill please do not hesitate to ask.

Thank you for your immediate consideration of this time sensitive matter.

Regards,

Colleen Lockwood, CFLCA President