



# CITY OF MOUNT DORA

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## NEWS RELEASE

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### **Update on Cancellations and Postponements**

**Mount Dora, Fla. (March 13, 2020)** – This is a comprehensive overview of events and meetings postponed or cancelled in the City of Mount Dora.

The City wants to assure visitors and residents the specialty shops, restaurants and other professional services are open for business. Check the business websites or call to find out their hours of operation.

City events have either been postponed or cancelled until April 3<sup>rd</sup>. These include smaller events in the parks and/or alleyways and city streets, up to the larger festivals that shut down roads. Other organized events that occur at places like the Simpson Farmhouse and Martin Luther King building are postponed until April. Events at the W.T. Bland Public Library are cancelled, but it will remain open for book circulation. Again, businesses and restaurants throughout the city remain open.

At this time the City will not be renting any facilities for new events or parties through the month of March.

The following recreation programs have been *postponed* through March:

- Basketball
- Soccer
- Babe Ruth has been advised to postpone through the month

Spring Break Camp is still scheduled as normal.

All City Advisory Boards and Committee meetings are cancelled for the next two weeks. Those board members have been advised of the cancellations.



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## **N E W S   R E L E A S E**

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City officials strongly discourage the public from attending the City Council Regular Agenda meeting to be held on March 17, 2020 at 5:30 p.m. Because of COVID-19, social distancing is encouraged. The meeting will be livestreamed on Facebook beginning at 5:30 p.m. Should anyone from the public wish to submit questions or statements to the city, they can email Public Information Officer Lisa McDonald at [mcdonaldl@cityofmoundora.com](mailto:mcdonaldl@cityofmoundora.com) and those comments and questions will be read and entered into the record.

We wish to thank our citizens for their patience during this time and encourage everyone to continue to visit the CDC website ([cdc.gov](http://www.cdc.gov)) or contact the Florida Department of Health <http://www.floridahealth.gov/> or 866-779-6121.

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