



March 26, 2020

WHEREAS, on February 29, 2020, the Governor of Washington State proclaimed that a state of emergency exists in the state of Washington for the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic; and

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2020, the World Health Organization declared that the spread of the COVID-19 virus had created a global pandemic; and

WHEREAS, on March 12, 2020, the Grays Harbor County Board of Commissioners declared an emergency regarding the COVID-19 pandemic; and

WHEREAS, on March 13, 2020, President Donald Trump declared a national emergency related to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, Mayor Kyle Pauley declared an emergency within the City of Cosmopolis; and

WHEREAS, on March 23, 2020 Governor Jay Inslee announced a "Stay Home, Stay Healthy" order within Washington state; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDERED BY the Mayor of the City of Cosmopolis, Grays Harbor County, Washington, as follows:

1. Effective March 27, 2020 and until further notice, to further protect the citizens of Cosmopolis, the use of playground equipment, park tables, and shared spaces that go against social distancing recommendations are closed to the public.

Nothing in this order prohibits those living under the same household from "Going outside for walks and exercise, as long as social distancing of 6 feet is maintained" as encouraged by Governor Jay Inslee.

SIGNED this 26th Day of March, 2020,

KYLE E. PAULEY, Mayor