

**CITY OF FLORENCE  
RESOLUTION NO. 18, SERIES 2020**

**A Resolution amending Resolutions No. 5 and 7, Series 2020 to amend the temporary COVID-19 public meeting procedures to allow for additional public participation at City public meetings and other similar changes.**

RECITALS:

1. On March 8, 2020, the Governor of the State of Oregon issued Executive Order 20-03 declaring a statewide State of Emergency under ORS 40.025(1) due to the serious public health and safety threat posed by the spread of the COVID-19 virus within our state.
2. On March 23, 2020 the City Council passed Resolution No. 5, Series 2020 to establish temporary COVID-19 public meeting procedures, and on April 20, 2020 the City Council passed Resolution No. 7, Series 2020 to amend those procedures.
3. Given the timelines needed for COVID-19 response and recovery, the City Council wishes to amend the procedures to allow for additional public participation in City Council meetings, and to lessen the restrictions placed on public meetings during the emergency, while ensuring continued operations in a safe manner during the COVID-19 outbreak.

Based on these findings,

THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF FLORENCE RESOLVES AS FOLLOWS:

1. The City of Florence amends Resolution No. 5 and No. 7, Series 2020 – Exhibit A – Temporary COVID-19 Public Meeting Procedures, as shown in Exhibit A.
2. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon adoption.

ADOPTION:

This Resolution is passed and adopted on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of April, 2020.

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Joe Henry, Mayor

Attest:

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Kelli Weese, City Recorder