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## **EMERGENCY RULES AND REGULATIONS**

**No. 2020-11**

To all persons take notice:

That for the protection of life, health, safety and property as affected by reason of the Novel Coronavirus 2019 (COVID-19), which resulted in my declaration of a “local emergency” under the authority of Chapter 2, Article IX of the Code of the City of Fort Collins, (City) and which declaration of local emergency was filed with the City Clerk and with the Colorado Division of Emergency Management on March 13, 2020 and extended by City Council adoption of Resolution 2020-030 on March 20, 2020 (Local Emergency), I have hereby established, under the authority of City Code Sec. 2-671(a)(6)a, the following emergency rules and regulations (Emergency Regulation):

1. Commencing on April 1, 2020, and continuing through May 31, 2020 (Suspension Period), I am suspending the application of City Code Section 14-414(a) that requires curbside collection of residential yard trimmings at least once per week from April 1 through November of each year upon a customer’s request. During the Suspension Period, each solid waste collector licensed by the City shall collect residential yard trimmings on a service frequency determined by the collector (including not providing the service at all). Commencing on June 1, 2020 and thereafter, each solid waste collector licensed by the City shall collect residential yard trimmings on the schedule set forth in City Code Section 14-414(a), unless I extend this Emergency Regulation in writing.
2. I find that this Emergency Regulation is reasonable and necessary to promote the health, safety and welfare of the public as it will allow licensed solid waste collectors to continue essential functions in an economically viable manner and reduce adverse economic impact for all such collectors during the Local Emergency.
3. Nothing in this Emergency Regulation shall suspend or prevent the City from enforcing any other provision of the City Code, including but not limited to those related to licensing requirements applicable to solid waste collectors set forth in Chapter 15, Article 15 and those regarding collection and disposal of refuse and rubbish set forth in Chapter 12, Article 12 of the City Code.
4. Pursuant to Section 2-671(e) of the City Code, the rules and regulations set forth herein shall be disseminated to local radio and television stations and to a newspaper having a general



circulation within the City. A knowing violation of these rules and regulations shall be a misdemeanor punishable under Section 1-15 of the City Code.

This Emergency Regulation shall remain in effect as expressly set forth above or until superseded, rescinded or extended by a subsequent emergency regulation, whichever first occurs.

DATED this 13<sup>th</sup> day of April, A.D. 2020.

DocuSigned by:

*Darin A. Atteberry*

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Darin A. Atteberry, City Manager