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EMERGENCY RULES AND REGULATIONS

No. 2020-12

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 18, 2020, and continuing through such time as I, the City Manager, find that a return to former route standards is in the City’s best interests (Suspension Period), I am authorizing the reduction to respond to the 80% ridership decline. I further authorize ongoing modification of the City’s Transfort Transit System service routes, service frequency, and fare pricing to respond to continued fluctuation in ridership and needs of the City as a result of the pandemic. Modifications to Transfort routes, service, and fare pricing during this time period will be approved by myself, as City Manager, or my designee.
2. I find that this Emergency Regulation is reasonable and necessary to promote the physical and economic health, safety and welfare of the public and City Employees as it will:
 - a. Mitigate the financial impact to the City of the unprecedented reduction in ridership and fare revenue income.
 - b. Address City operating staff reduction related to illness.
 - c. Aid in addressing social distancing health concerns between communities in Northern Colorado.
3. 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This Emergency Regulation shall remain in effect as expressly set forth above or until superseded, rescinded or extended by a subsequent emergency regulation, whichever first occurs.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 17th day of April, A.D. 2020.

DocuSigned by:

Darin A. Atteberry

Darin A. Atteberry, City Manager