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This is a summary of the City of Santa Clara's latest response efforts along with impacts to local events and City programs/services due to the coronavirus (COVID-19) public health emergency.

Current Developments

- The City continues to evaluate the County of Santa Clara's updated Shelter-in-Place order, which went into effect Friday, June 5, along with the State's latest changes to its order.
 - When there are differences between the two orders, you must comply with the stricter of the two orders.
 - Outdoor swimming pools including HOA or multi-unit housing complex pools are now allowed under both orders.
 - All shared outdoor swimming pools, including hot tubs and wading pools, can operate in accordance with the requirements in the County's order.
 - Per the County guidelines, swimming areas must be limited to no more than one swimmer per 300 square feet of shared pool space, unless all swimmers are from the same household.
 - For more information, view the [County's guidelines for outdoor swimming pools](#).
- As your neighbors venture out for fresh air, exercise and essential activities, be on the lookout for more pedestrians and bicyclists.
 - During the coronavirus pandemic, support Santa Clara residents and workers who are out for a healthy walk, jog, or bicycle ride by reducing driving speeds and keeping safety in mind.

- Public health officials point out wearing a face covering that covers your nose and mouth will help limit the spread of COVID-19.
 - Face coverings are required when visiting a business or using public transit.
 - County Public Health provided a few tips on wearing a face covering properly:
 - Should fit snugly and comfortably against the side of the face
 - Be secured with ties or ear loops
 - Include multiple layers of fabric
 - Allow for breathing without restriction
 - Be able to be laundered and machine dried
 - Share your selfie with us while wearing a face covering by using the hashtag, #SantaClaraHasItCovered, on social media.
 - For more information about face coverings, visit SantaClaraCA.gov/FaceCoverings.

Meetings

The City Council will hold its next meeting at 2 p.m. Tuesday, June 9, 2020. The Council will first go into closed session with the regular session following immediately after. View the [agenda](#).

- Pursuant to the provisions of California Governor's Executive Order N-29-20, issued on March 17, 2020, to prevent the spread of COVID-19, the City of Santa Clara has implemented methods for the public to participate remotely:
 - Via Zoom:
 - Meeting ID: 997-0675-9306
 - Joining via computer, visit <https://santaclaraca.zoom.us/join>
 - To address the Council on an agenda item, click "raise hand."
 - Joining via phone: 1-669-900-6833
 - To address the Council on an agenda item, hit *9 on the phone.
 - Via the City's eComment (available during the meeting)
 - Via email to PublicComment@santaclaraca.gov
- For individuals who do not have the above access, the City Cafeteria has been set up to accommodate up to 10 people at a time and public comment will be given from that location.
- With the heightened "Stay at Home" order by the State and the continued order by the County, the Mayor will be present for the meeting with Councilmembers and department heads participating remotely. A limited number of staff will also be present. The meeting set-up is in line with the recommendations of the COVID-19 White House Task Force, which notes no more than 10 people gatherings.

- As usual, the public can view the meetings on [SantaClaraCA.gov](https://www.santacruzca.gov), Santa Clara City Television (Comcast cable channel 15 or AT&T U-verse channel 99), or the livestream on the City's [YouTube channel](#) or [Facebook page](#).

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