

City of Holland Local State of Emergency

Resolution 2020.11

Declared by the Mayor and Extended by the Holland City Council on April 1, 2020

AUTHORITY FOR ACTION:

On March 10, 2020, Governor Gretchen Whitmer declared a state of emergency related to the COVID-19 pandemic. On April 1, 2020, in response to the COVID-19 state of emergency, Mayor Nathan Bocks declared a Local State of Emergency, conferring certain powers to “make, amend, or rescind ordinances or rules necessary for emergency management purposes” jointly to the Mayor and City Manager as allowed under the State of Michigan Emergency Management Act, 1976 PA 390, as amended, and also the City of Holland Emergency Management Plan. The Holland City Council then adopted Resolution 2020.11 on April 1, 2020, which in part extended the local state of emergency until May 13, 2020.

BACKGROUND:

Chapter 18, Section 18-27 of the City Charter reads “Notwithstanding Subsection (a)(3), currently licensed and operable one- to twelve passenger motor vehicles, motorcycles and trucks not exceeding two tons in carrying capacity may park between the sidewalk lines of any street between 2:00 a.m. and 5:00 a.m. on any day from May 15 through October 15.”

EMERGENCY ACTION 2020-3: Overnight Parking Effective May 1 until October 15

In light of the circumstances involving the COVID-19 virus which requires many to telecommute or stay home with children, and to accommodate residents’ changing routines, the overnight parking of passenger vehicles, motorcycles and trucks under two (2) tons will be allowed on most City streets beginning May 1 until October 15 provided that there should not be parking at:

- 6th Street from River Avenue to Columbia Ave.;
- 7th Street and 8th Street from Lincoln Ave. to Maple Ave.;
- 10th Street from Pine Ave. to Lincoln Ave.;
- Pine Ave. and Lincoln Ave. from 7th St. to 10th Street;
- River Ave., Central Ave., College Ave. and Columbia Ave. from 6th St. to 10th Street; and
- Maple Ave. from 7th Street to 8th Street.

Overnight parking restrictions will continue in the downtown area and along streets where parking is signed as prohibited. All other restrictions regulations related to traffic and public safety-related violations remain in effect such as:

- No parking here to corner;
- No parking in front of a fire hydrant;
- Handicap parking violations;
- Crosswalk parking violations;
- Bus stop violations;

- Parking within an intersection; and
- 15-minute takeout/delivery parking zones.

For more information on the City of Holland’s response to the COVID-19 coronavirus, visit <https://www.cityofholland.com/963/COVID-19>

Executed by us on May 1, 2020.

Keith Van Beek
City Manager

Nathan Bocks
Mayor

Date: _____

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