## CITY OF NEWPORT

## **EMERGENCY ORDER NO. 2020-00D**

WHEREAS, the Governor of the State of Oregon declared a state of emergency for the state on March 8, 2020, finding that COVID-19 created a threat to the public health and safety and constituted a statewide emergency; and

WHEREAS, the City of Newport staff began meeting in early March regarding planning for a response to the COVID-19 emergency in Newport; and

WHEREAS, Newport staff took actions in an effort to "flatten the curve" of the COVID-19 virus, and by this Order, document those actions that include:

## I, Peggy Hawker, hereby ordered:

## March 17, 2020

Limited access to the Fire Department facilities. The Main Fire Station on NW 10<sup>th</sup> Street will be staffed to respond to emergencies. The public may continue to call the main business line (541.265.9461) with questions.

The Fire Department will not be issuing any new burn permits. Any current burn permit holders may call to activate a permit for that day.

In an emergency, dial or text 911. There is a call button near the front of each fire station that will contact on-duty personnel. Anyone needing to report an emergency, or having a medical emergency, may use these call buttons.

Peggy Hawker (Acting City Manager on March 17, 2020)

Dated: March 31, 2020