

**EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 20-1**

**EXECUTIVE ORDER REGARDING SUSPENSION OF RESTRICTIONS  
ON HOURS OF DELIVERY FOR GROCERY STORES, SUPERMARKETS,  
PHARMACIES AND OTHER SIMILAR PLACES OF BUSINESS  
UNDER A DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY IN  
THE VILLAGE OF RIVER FOREST, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS  
(COVID-19 – MARCH 17, 2020)**

**WHEREAS**, the Village of River Forest (“Village”) is a non-home rule unit of local government as provided by Article VII, Section 7 of the Illinois Constitution of 1970; and

**WHEREAS**, COVID-19, also known as the “coronavirus,” is a dangerous disease which has spread around the world, including in the United States, the State of Illinois and Cook County; and

**WHEREAS**, COVID-19 is a direct and serious threat to the public’s health, safety and welfare; and

**WHEREAS**, on March 16, 2020, the Village President declared a state of emergency in the Village in Declaration 20-1, entitled “Declaration of a State of Emergency in the Village of River Forest, Cook County, Illinois (COVID-19 – March 16, 2020)” (“Declaration”); and

**WHEREAS**, the Declaration was made pursuant to authority granted to the Village President in Section 1-5-7 of the Village of River Forest Village Code, entitled “State of Emergency,” and pursuant to Section 11-1-6 of the Illinois Municipal Code, 65 ILCS 5/11-1-6; and

**WHEREAS**, the Village President has determined that it is necessary to make this Executive Order to best protect the public’s health, safety and welfare regarding the COVID-19 pandemic;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED**, by the Village President of the Village of River Forest, Cook County, Illinois:

**SECTION 1: Incorporation.** That the recitals above shall be and are incorporated in this Section 1 as if restated herein.

**SECTION 2: Executive Order.** That all Village-imposed restrictions on hours of delivery of goods to grocery stores, supermarkets, pharmacies and other similar places of business in the Village are hereby suspended. Village-imposed restrictions on hours of such deliveries that are suspended include, but are not limited to, those in Section 3-1-4 of the Village of River Forest Village Code and those in Village-issued planned development permits.

**SECTION 3: Duration.** That this Executive Order shall expire upon the earlier of (a) the Declaration ending, or (b) withdrawal of this Executive Order by the Village President.



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Catherine Adduci, Village President

DATE: March 17, 2020