City of Miami Beach Expands Emergency Measures
–In an effort to slow the spread of the coronavirus–

Miami Beach, FL – As the COVID-19 pandemic continues to evolve, the City of Miami Beach has added the following summary of changes to their State of Emergency Declaration, effective Friday, March 20, 2020 at 12:01 a.m.:

- Closure of all publicly owned and privately-owned parks, beaches and recreational facilities
- Restricted use of beachwalks and baywalks to pedestrians only (no bicycles, scooters, skateboards, roller skates, or similar devices except for wheelchairs used by disabled persons)
- Closure of Monument Island until further notice
- Closure of all museums, memorials and cultural institutions
- Closure of all private schools and educational institutions in the City, except as necessary to facilitate online or distance learning
- Require religious institutions to reduce their occupancy to no more than 10 persons
- Require restaurants providing take-out services to maintain a distance of 6 feet among individual patrons to enforce social distancing

Click here to read the revised Declaration of Emergency Measures effective March 20, 2020. Any violation of the aforementioned emergency measures would subject the individual or business entity to criminal penalties.

Non-essential businesses are closed effective 9 p.m. today pursuant to Miami-Dade County Emergency Order 07-20. Please click here for the County’s order on all non-essential retail and commercial establishments and click here for their order closing all parks, beaches and recreational facilities in the incorporated and unincorporated areas of Miami-Dade County.

For additional information on the city’s efforts, including all emergency measures being enforced, please visit www.MiamiBeachFl.gov/coronavirus.

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