



Coronavirus (COVID-19) Updates

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Please continue to monitor this site for updated information and closures or changes in schedules.

Anyone having business with the City is encouraged to communicate via telephone or email, to the maximum extent possible. A list of telephone numbers and email addresses are available on the City's website under the "Contact Us" tab on the homepage.

The City of Overland continues to monitor the Coronavirus (COVID-19) outbreak through the appropriate Federal, State and Local agencies and will continue to publish information as it becomes available.

MAY 8, 2020

- **OVERLAND MUNICIPAL COURT – ORDER OF THE PRESIDING JUDGE - COURT SESSION CANCELLATION**

Amended Order issued by Presiding Judge Christopher B. Graville (Overland Municipal Court); **"All municipal dockets for the City of Overland Municipal Division are CANCELLED and the Division's dockets shall resume, consistent with the previously approved schedule, with the June 10, 2020 docket at 3:00 P.M., subject to the additional supplementary court dates..."**

MAY 7, 2020

- **BULK ITEM COLLECTION – RESUMPTION OF SERVICE**

Republic Services has announced that they will be resume Bulk Item Collection service beginning Monday, May 11th.

As a reminder...

- Two bulk items can be picked up every Friday. Residents must contact Republic Services Customer Service by Wednesday of each week to notify them of the bulk trash.

- One "white goods" item (e.g. appliances and hot water heaters) may be picked up at least once per month. Residents must contact Republic Services Customer Service to request the pick-up.

• **SPECIAL EVENTS CANCELLATIONS**

The following upcoming special event(s) have been cancelled;

- Overland Kids Fishing Derby – June 13, 2020

MAY 6, 2020

St. Louis County Department of Public Health COVID-19 Update May 6, 2020...

• **BUSINESSES PREPARING TO REOPEN**

Small business owners should be preparing to reopen by developing a proactive plan for controlling their environment. Writing policies and procedures to account for these activities will help to speed the reopening process. The spread of COVID-19 is manageable and preventable, but it takes thoughtful consideration. Much of which can be developed now before the opening of business.

Fortunately, a template already exists in reviewing the operational procedures of essential businesses which have remained open during the pandemic. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has authored Reopening Guidance for Cleaning and Disinfecting Public Spaces, Workplaces, Businesses, Schools, and Homes, which can be found [here](#). In addition, the Missouri Chamber of Commerce and Industry has also disseminated recommendations, which are available [here](#).

Specific guidance from St. Louis County Department of Public Health and the County Executive's Office is being created and should be available this week. Dr. Sam Page indicated this morning that the re-opening will be "slow, deliberate, and measured."

• **FACE MASK REQUIREMENT ON METRO TRANSIT**

Starting on Monday, May 11, Metro Transit will take another important step to help protect transit riders and employees from the spread of COVID-19 by requiring all passengers to wear face masks at all times when riding on MetroBus, MetroLink or Metro Call-A-Ride vehicles. You will not be permitted to board a MetroBus vehicle, MetroLink train or Metro Call-A-Ride van if you are not wearing a face covering.

Face coverings need to fit over both the nose and mouth, and non-medical masks, scarves, handkerchiefs, bandanas and other types of cloth coverings are permitted. This measure does not apply to children ages 2 and under, or customers who have trouble breathing, are incapacitated or are unable to remove the cover without assistance. The requirement to

wear face coverings on public transit follows recommendations from the Centers for Disease Control and a requirement issued by the State of Illinois asking people to wear a face covering over their noses and mouths when in a public environment where social distancing is not always possible.

- **ST. LOUIS COUNTY WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT JOB FAIR**

ST. Louis County Workforce Development will be hosting a virtual job fair on Facebook this Thursday, May 7, from 10AM - 1PM. This event will provide jobseekers with a list of open positions, direct application links, and contact information for immediate follow up with a hiring manager. Please follow this [link](#) to join.

MAY 5, 2020

- **SMALL BUSINESS RELIEF PROGRAM**

The St. Louis County Small Business Relief ("SBR") Program will provide financial relief to small businesses that were closed during the Stay at Home Order. The grant can be used to pay for the costs of business interruption as a result of the business closing during the Stay at Home Order and to cover costs associated with reopening safely.

Business interruption costs could include fixed operating costs during closure. Reopening costs could include acquiring personal protective equipment for employees or customers or installing plastic shields to reduce the risks of transmission between customers and employees.

For additional information: <https://stlcorona.com/resources/small-business-relief-program/>

APRIL 21, 2020

- **YARD WASTE COLLECTION – RESUMPTION OF SERVICE**

Republic Services has announced that they will be resuming weekly Yard Waste service beginning Monday, May 4th. Republic will have additional trucks and drivers on the route to assist with heavy volumes. Yard Waste will be collected on the regularly schedule day.

The City will NOT be conducting another collection prior to the week of May 4, 2020.

- **SPECIAL EVENTS CANCELLATIONS**

The following upcoming special event(s) have been cancelled;

- Senior Mother's and Father's Day Luncheon – May 20, 2020

- **CITY HALL – SUSPENSION OF PUBLIC ACCESS**

City Hall will remain closed to the public until further notice, with the following exception;

- Anyone picking up and paying for permit or license.

The City has installed a drop box at the front of City Hall to allow permits and plans to be dropped off during business hours. City Staff will retrieve items dropped off during the day. Once the permit or license application has been processed, City Staff will contact the applicant advising them that their permit or license is ready to be picked up.

For those coming to pick-up and pay for a permit or license, the City has installed a remote access system on the front door. Instructions for the system are posted on the front door of City Hall.

Only **ONE (1) PERSON** will be allowed in the building at a time.

City Staff will still be available during regular business hours to answer questions. City Hall can be reached at (314) 428-4321.

Permit Application are available through the City’s website: www.overlandmo.org

- **MUNICIPAL COURT – SUSPENSION OF PUBLIC ACCESS**

The Municipal Court will remain closed to the public until further notice

Payments can be placed in the drop-box located in the lobby of the Police Department or can be made on-line by following this link: <https://www.overlandmo.org/305/On-Line-Payments>

Municipal Court Staff will still be available during regular business hours to answer questions. The Municipal Court can be reached at (314) 428-1223.

- **OVERLAND COMMUNITY CENTER – SUSPENSION OF PUBLIC ACCESS**

The Overland Community Center will remain closed to the public until further notice. All events and rentals are cancelled. Anyone with an upcoming rental will be notified by City Staff.

- **OVERLAND MUNICIPAL COURT – ORDER OF THE PRESIDING JUDGE - COURT SESSION CANCELLATION**

Amended Order issued by Presiding Judge Christopher B. Graville (Overland Municipal Court); “**All municipal dockets for the City of Overland Municipal Division are CANCELLED and the Division's dockets shall resume, consistent with the previously**

approved schedule, with the May `27, 2020 3 :00 p.m. traffic docket, subject to the additional supplementary court dates...”

• **PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION MEETING - CANCELLED**

The Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting scheduled for April 28, 2020 has been cancelled.

- The next meeting is *tentatively* scheduled for May 26, 2020.

• **BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT MEETING - CANCELLED**

The Board of Adjustment Meeting scheduled for May 13, 2020 has been cancelled.

- The next meeting is *tentatively* scheduled for June 10, 2020.

APRIL 17, 2020

• **ST. LOUIS COUNTY - EXECUTIVE ORDER 15 - STAY AT HOME ORDER**

St. Louis County - Executive Order 15 - Stay at Home Order: Executive Order issued by St. Louis County Executive Dr. Page in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic; **ordering “non-essential” individuals to Stay Home has been extended until Mid-May at which time the order will be reevaluated.**

APRIL 6, 2020

• **DOG PARK AT WOODSON ROAD PARK - CLOSURE**

Effective Monday, April 06, 2020, the Dog Park at Woodson Road Park will be closed until further notice. Current memberships will be extended for a period equal to the number of days that the Dog Park is closed. The issuance of New Dog Park memberships is suspended until the Dog Park reopens.

APRIL 2, 2020

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Municipal Court Staff will still be available during regular business hours to answer questions. The Municipal Court can be reached at (314) 428-1223.

- **RESIDENTIAL OCCUPANCY INSPECTION – SUSPENSION OF SERVICE**

Effective immediately, the City has **SUSPENDED** the requirement that an in initial inspection of the property be conducted prior to occupancy. The suspension of this requirement is effective until further notice.

Once the State of Emergency Declaration is lifted; the applicant will be required to schedule an inspection of the property.

Anyone requiring an Occupancy Permit is still required to complete and submit the appropriate application to the City, prior to occupying the premises.

- **WOODSON ROAD TENNIS COURTS - CLOSURE**

Effective immediately, the Tennis Courts at Woodson Road Park are closed to the public and will remain so until further notice. The City has installed signage adjacent to each tennis court denoting the closure.

MARCH 26, 2020

- **CITY PLAYGROUND - CLOSURES**

Based on a recommendation from St. Louis County, all playgrounds within the City's park system will be closed until further notice. The City has installed signage adjacent to each playground denoting the closure.

This closure does **NOT** apply to the general park property including the walking paths and trails.

- **SPRING CLEAN-UP CANCELLED**

In light of the Stay-At-Home order issued by the St. Louis County Executive, the Spring Clean-Up scheduled for April 18, 2020 has been cancelled. The event has not been rescheduled at this time.

MARCH 24, 2020

- **BULK PICK-UPS AND YARD WASTE COLLECTION - SUSPENSION OF SERVICE**

At the request of Republic Services, the City is suspending Bulk Pick-Up and Yard Waste collection effective March 30, 2020. The suspension of these services will continue until further notice. This action will enable Republic Services to place all drivers on trash/recycle routes thereby focusing all efforts on services required by all of our residents.

In addition, in an effort to keep drivers safe, Republic Services will not pick up any debris or bags outside of the carts. Therefore, trash and recycle material will be limited to cart only.

***NOTE: This action DOES NOT affect solid waste (trash) collection, which will continue to occur on its regularly scheduled day.**

- **CITY HALL – SUSPENSION OF EXTENDED HOURS ON WEDNESDAYS**

Effective immediately, the City is suspending the Extended Hours on Wednesdays. City Hall will remain open Monday thru Friday 8:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M. The Suspension of Extended Hours on Wednesdays: will continue until further notice.

MARCH 23, 2020

- **PLANNING AND ZONING COMMISSION MEETING - CANCELLED**

The Planning and Zoning Commission Meeting scheduled for March 30, 2020 has been cancelled.

- The next meeting is *tentatively* scheduled for April 28, 2020.

- **BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT MEETING - CANCELLED**

The Board of Adjustment Meeting scheduled for April 8, 2020 has been cancelled.

- The next meeting is *tentatively* scheduled for May 13, 2020.

MARCH 21, 2020

- **ST. LOUIS COUNTY - EXECUTIVE ORDER 15 - STAY AT HOME ORDER**

Executive Order issued by St. Louis County Executive Dr. Page in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic; ordering “non-essential” individuals to Stay Home.

MARCH 18, 2020

- **STATE OF MISSOURI – EXECUTIVE ORDER 20-03**

Executive Order issued by Governor Parsons in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic; delaying Municipal Elections in the State of Missouri until June 2, 2020.

- **DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT – CLOSURE TO PUBLIC**

As of March 18, 2020, public access to the Department of Community Development will be prohibited. All department business will be conducted through the Administration Department, located on the main floor of City Hall.

The Department remains fully staffed and the City will continue to accept, and process applications and conduct the associated inspections. In addition, the City will continue to work with those who require review and approvals of the Planning and Zoning Commission and the Board of Adjustment.

*NOTE: Those who call for an inspection are being advised that only one (1) person may be present in the residence at the time of the inspection, in an effort to reduce potential exposures and adhere to recommended standards for social distancing.

Anyone having business with the Department of Community Development is encouraged to communicate with the Department via telephone at (314) 428-4677, to the maximum extent possible, until such time as the suspension of public access has been lifted.

- **SENIOR UTILITY REBATE PROGRAM SUSPENSION**

The City is suspending the acceptance of applications for the Senior Utility Rebate Program effective Wednesday, March 18, 2020. This is to encourage those eligible for the program to remain at home for their own health and well-being.

The acceptance of applications for the Senior Utility Rebate Program will be reinstated at a date to be determined.

- **SOLICITOR PERMITS SUSPENSION**

The City is suspending the issuance of solicitor permits effective Wednesday, March 18, 2020. This suspension of this service shall be effective until further notice.

- **ST. LOUIS COUNTY - EXECUTIVE ORDER 14 - INTENTIONAL GATHERINGS (NO MORE THAN 10)**

Executive Order issued by St. Louis County Executive Dr. Page in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic; limiting intentional gathers to no more than ten (10) people in a single space.

MARCH 17, 2020

- **OVERLAND MUNICIPAL COURT – ORDER OF THE PRESIDING JUDGE - COURT SESSION CANCELLATION**

Amended Order issued by Presiding Judge Christopher B. Graville (Overland Municipal Court);

“All municipal dockets for the City of Overland Municipal Division are CANCELLED and the Division's dockets shall resume, consistent with the previously approved schedule, with the May 6, 2020 3 :00 p.m. traffic docket, subject to the additional supplementary court dates...”

Anyone with a matter pending before the Overland Municipal Court during this period will receive a letter via US Postal Service denoting your new court date.

All parties and attorneys having business before the Municipal Division are encouraged to communicate with the Court via the Clerk's office via telephone, fax or email to the maximum extent possible until such time as the suspension of in-person proceedings has been lifted. The telephone number is (314) 428-1224. The fax number is (314) 428-2958. The e-mail address is janM@overlandmo.org.

- **YARD WASTE COLLECTION – SUSPENSION OF SERVICE**

At the request of Republic Services, the City is suspending yard waste collection effective Tuesday, March 17, 2020. The suspension of yard waste collection will continue through Friday, March 27, 2020. Yard waste collection will resume the week of Monday, March

30, 2020. This action will enable Republic Services to place all drivers on trash/recycle routes thereby focusing all efforts on services required by all of our residents.

***NOTE: This action DOES NOT affect solid waste (trash) collection, which will continue to occur on its regularly scheduled day.**

• **ST. LOUIS COUNTY - EXECUTIVE ORDER 13 - BARS AND RESTAURANTS**

Executive Order issued by St. Louis County Executive Dr. Page in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic; limiting public access to bars and restaurants and encouraging social distancing.

MARCH 16, 2020

• **OVERLAND COMMUNITY CENTER - CLOSURE**

The Overland Community has decided to close the Overland Community Center beginning at 5:00 P.M. on March 16, 2020. The Overland Community Center will remain closed until further notice.

During the closure, City Staff will be cleaning and sanitizing the facility in anticipation of its reopening.

The City will continue to monitor the situation through the appropriate Federal, State and Local agencies before making any decisions regarding the reopening of the Overland Community Center.

• **OVERLAND MUNICIPAL COURT – ORDER OF THE PRESIDING JUDGE - WARRANT CANCELLATION**

Order issued by Presiding Judge Christopher B. Graville (Overland Municipal Court);

“Effective Monday, March 16, 2020, all municipal warrants for the City of Overland's Municipal Division are hereby ordered cancelled and all defendants currently in warrant status shall be assigned new court dates by the Court Clerk at least 30 days from the date of this Order.”

Anyone currently in warrant status will receive a letter via US Postal Service denoting your new court date.

All parties and attorneys having business before the Municipal Division are encouraged to communicate with the Court via the Clerk's office via telephone, fax or email to the maximum extent possible until such time as the suspension of in-person proceedings has been lifted. The telephone number is (314) 428-1224. The fax number is (314) 428-2958. The e-mail address is janM@overlandmo.org.

- **ST. LOUIS COUNTY - EXECUTIVE ORDER 12 - OPERATIONAL ISSUES**

Executive Order issued by St. Louis County Executive Dr. Page in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic; *establishing guidelines for St. Louis County Government operations.*

- **ST. LOUIS COUNTY CIRCUIT - ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 14 - OPERATIONAL ISSUES**

Administrative Order issued by Presiding Judge Michael D. Burton (21st Judicial Circuit – St. Louis County, Missouri) in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic; *modifies operational guidelines for the St. Louis County Circuit Court.*

MARCH 15, 2020

- **ST. LOUIS COUNTY – EXECUTIVE ORDER 11 - LIMIT ON CROWD SIZE**

Executive Order issued by St. Louis County Executive Dr. Page in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic; *limiting intentional gathers to no more than 249 people.*

MARCH 13, 2020

- **ST. LOUIS COUNTY CIRCUIT - ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER 13 – SUSPENSION OF MUNICIPAL COURT OPERATIONS**

Administrative Order issued by Presiding Judge Michael D. Burton (21st Judicial Circuit – St. Louis County, Missouri) in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic: *suspending all Municipal Court Proceedings for the weeks of March 16, 2020 and March 23, 2020.*

Anyone with a matter pending before the Overland Municipal Court that was scheduled to be heard during the weeks of March 16, 2020 and March 23, 2020 will receive a letter via US Postal Service denoting your new court date.

All parties and attorneys having business before the Municipal Division are encouraged to communicate with the Court via the Clerk's office via telephone, fax or email to the maximum extent possible until such time as the suspension of in-person proceedings has been lifted. The telephone number is (314) 428-1224. The fax number is (314) 428-2958. The e-mail address is janM@overlandmo.org.

- **STATE OF MISSOURI – EXECUTIVE ORDER 20-02**

Executive Order issued by Governor Parsons declaring a *State of Emergency in the State of Missouri in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic.*

- **ST. LOUIS COUNTY – EXECUTIVE ORDER 10**

Executive Order issued by St. Louis County Executive Dr. Page State *declaring a State of Emergency in St. Louis County in response to the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic.*

MARCH 12, 2020

- **SPECIAL EVENTS CANCELLATIONS**

In light of ongoing developments resulting from the Coronavirus (COVID-19), the City of Overland has decided to cancel the following upcoming Special Events;

- Spring Craft and Vendor Fair – March 21, 2020
- River City Casino Day Trip – March 17, 2020
- Senior Easter Luncheon – March 31, 2020
- Kids Easter Egg Hunt – April 4, 2020

The City will continue to monitor the situation through the appropriate Federal, State and Local agencies before making any decisions regarding future events or the rescheduling of the events noted above.

While we are disappointed that we not able to proceed with these events at this time, we believe that this decision in the best interest of our residents, others who participate in these events as well as our City Staff.

We encourage everyone to be mindful of the on-going situation and to take appropriate steps to ensure their well-being and the well-being of those around them.

ADDITIONAL RESOURCES

- St. Louis County has a website dedicated to providing up-to-date information relating to COVID-19, including resources available and answers to frequently asked questions: www.stlcorona.com
- The St. Louis County Department of Public Health hotline (314) 615-2660 is available 24/7.
 - Those who are experiencing COVID-19 symptoms or who believe they have been in contact with a person infected with COVID-19 can call the hotline with their concerns.

- The Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services hotline can be reached at (877) 435-8411.
- The Center for Disease Control (CDC) is a national resource for disease prevention: www.cdc.gov/coronavirus

ADMINISTRATIVE AND EXECUTIVE ORDERS

- Copies of the Orders are available in the “Document Center” on the city’s website.