

**TOWN OF CLIFTON
PROCLAMATION OF THE MAYOR
UNDER DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY DATED
MARCH 30, 2020**

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, the Mayor of the Town of Clifton, Luis M. Montoya, proclaimed that a local emergency exists in the Town of Clifton (the "Declaration of Local Emergency") due to the continuing spread of the Coronavirus ("COVID-19"); and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the Town of Clifton is authorized under the circumstances by Town Code § 30.023 and A.R.S. §§ 26-307 and 26-311 to proclaim that a local emergency exists and, thereafter, to impose all necessary regulations to preserve the peace and order of the Town; and

WHEREAS on March 19, 2020 Arizona Governor Doug Ducey issued an executive order requiring all bars, theaters and gyms closed in counties with confirmed cases of COVID-19 and all restaurants in the affected counties must close any dine-in options but can still provide for carry-out delivery and drive-thru alternatives, and

WHEREAS, the Greenlee County Health Department reported the first confirmed case of COVID-19 on Sunday, March 29, 2020 and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of Town of Clifton pursuant to Town Code § 30.023, A.R.S. §§ 26-307 and 26-311(B), and the Declaration of Local Emergency has the authority to govern by proclamation and impose all necessary regulations to preserve the peace, health, and order of the Town.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED AND IMPOSED AS FOLLOWS:

1. Effective close of business today, Monday, March 30, 2020 all restaurants in the Town of Clifton are required to close all dine-in services and can provide dine-out options only, and
2. Effective close of business today, Monday, March 30, 2020 all bars movie theaters and gyms in the Town of Clifton are required to close, and
3. Pursuant to A.R.S. § 26-317, a person who violates any of the above prohibitions shall be guilty of a class 1 misdemeanor. Any violation which is continuing in nature shall constitute a separate offense on each successive date the violation continues, unless otherwise provided.
4. The current public health crisis related to COVID-19 is being monitored as it is evolving, and additional regulations may be forthcoming as needed.

Dated this 30th day of March, 2020

Luis M. Montoya
Luis M. Montoya (Mar 30, 2020)

Luis M. Montoya, Mayor