

# EXTENSION OF LOCAL EMERGENCY



City of San Pablo  
City Council Meeting of September 20, 2021

**CITY** OF **SAN PABLO**

*City of New Directions*

# BACKGROUND

- MARCH 4, 2020: STATE OF EMERGENCY DECLARED BY GOVERNOR FOR THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
- MARCH 13, 2020: NATIONAL EMERGENCY DECLARED BY PRESIDENT
- MARCH 16, 2020: 6-COUNTY BAY AREA SHELTER IN PLACE ORDER EFFECTIVE MARCH 17, 2020
- MARCH 16, 2020: SAN PABLO CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2020-034 PROCLAIMED THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PANDEMIC
- MARCH 19, 2020: GOVERNOR ISSUED EXECUTIVE ORDER N-33-20 DIRECTING ALL CALIFORNIA RESIDENTS TO SHELTER IN PLACE

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- MARCH 31, 2020: 6-COUNTY BAY AREA SHELTER IN PLACE ORDER EXTENDED TO MAY 3, 2020 WITH FURTHER LIMITATIONS
- APRIL 6, 2020: SAN PABLO CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2020-042 EXTENDING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PANDEMIC AND CONFIRMING THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES
- APRIL 20, 2020: SAN PABLO CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2020-051 EXTENDING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PANDEMIC AND CONFIRMING THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES
- APRIL 20, 2020: CITY COUNCIL URGENCY ORDINANCE 2020—006 SUSPENDING AUTOMATIC APPROVALS DEADLINES FOR LAND USE APPLICATIONS

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- APRIL 27, 2020: CITY COUNCIL ADOPTED URGENCY ORDINANCE 2020-008 TEMPORARILY PROHIBITING EVICTIONS OF TENANTS IMPACTED BY THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC AND ESTABLISHING A MORATORIUM ON RENT INCREASES
- APRIL 27, 2020: BAY AREA SHELTER IN PLACE ORDER EXTENDED TO MAY 31, 2020 BUT SOME ACTIVITIES ALLOWED
- MAY 4, 2020: PER RESOLUTION NO. 2020-054, CITY COUNCIL APPROVED GUIDELINES FOR A GRANT PROGRAM FOR RESIDENTS FINANCIALLY IMPACTED BY COVID-19.
- MAY 4, 2020: SAN PABLO CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2020-055 EXTENDING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PANDEMIC AND CONFIRMING THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- MAY 7, 2020: STATE PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER ORDER TO STAY AT HOME WITH ROADMAP FOR RECOVERY
- MAY 18, 2020: SAN PABLO CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2020-060 EXTENDING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PANDEMIC AND CONFIRMING THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES
- JUNE 1, 2020: SAN PABLO CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2020-068 EXTENDING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PANDEMIC AND CONFIRMING THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES
- JUNE 2, 2020: CONTRA COSTA COUNTY DECLARED A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO CIVIL UNREST AND ISSUED COUNTYWIDE CURFEW (SINCE TERMINATED)

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- JUNE 5, 2020: CURRENT CONTRA COSTA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT ORDER EXTENDS SHELTER-IN-PLACE ORDERS, BUT WITH LIMITED ALLOWANCE FOR CERTAIN BUSINESSES AND OTHER ACTIVITIES; MOVING SLOWLY TOWARDS STATE'S "ROADMAP FOR RECOVERY"
- JUNE 15, 2020: SAN PABLO CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 2020-068 EXTENDING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PANDEMIC AND CONFIRMING THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES
- JUNE 16, 2020: CONTRA COSTA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT ORDER HO-COVID19-18 CONTINUING SOCIAL DISTANCING AND TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS BUT ALLOWING FURTHER BUSINESSES TO OPEN
- JUNE 18, 2020: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH REQUIREMENTS FOR FACE COVERINGS

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- JUNE 28, 2020: GOVERNOR RECOMMENDED THAT CONTRA COSTA DELAY REOPENING EFFORTS GIVEN COVID-19 NUMBERS
- JUNE 29, 2020: PER RESOLUTIONS 2020-081 AND -082, CITY COUNCIL INCREASED GRANT FOR COVID HOUSING ASSISTANCE FOR FY 2019/20 AND APPROVED COVID HOUSING ASSISTANCE GRANT FOR FY 2020/21
- JULY 1, 2020: GOVERNOR'S LETTER TO CALIFORNIA ELECTED OFFICIALS URGING COMPLIANCE AND COOPERATION WITH COVID-19 MEASURES
- JULY 5, 2020: CONTRA COSTA HEALTH SERVICES ISSUED ORDER HO-COVID19-22 GENERALLY REQUIRING MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AND WORKERS TO WEAR FACE COVERINGS AND ISSUED ORDER HO-COVID19-23 UPDATING ITS MASS QUARANTINE ORDER

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- JULY 6, 2020: PER RESOLUTION 2020-086 EXTENDING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PANDEMIC AND CONFIRMING THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES
- JULY 11, 2020: CONTRA COSTA HEALTH SERVICES OFFICER ISSUED ORDER HO-COVID19-24 FURTHER RESTRICTING HIGH-RISK ACTIVITIES AND BUSINESSES DUE TO INCREASING COVID-19 TRANSMISSIONS
- JULY 13, 2020: THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH PROVIDED GUIDANCE ON CLOSURE OF VARIOUS SECTORS BECAUSE COVID-19 TRANSMISSION RATES CONTINUE TO RISE
- JULY 20, 2020: PER RESOLUTION 2020-094 EXTENDING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PANDEMIC AND CONFIRMING THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES; CITY COVID-19 HOTLINE ESTABLISHED

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- JULY 28, 2020: CONTRA COSTA COUNTY ADOPTED ORDINANCE ESTABLISHING ADMINISTRATIVE FINES FOR VIOLATIONS OF PUBLIC HEALTH ORDERS
  - VIOLATIONS INVOLVING NON-COMMERCIAL ACTIVITY, FINE IS:  
\$100 FOR FIRST VIOLATION; \$200 FOR SECOND VIOLATION; \$500 ADDITIONAL VIOLATION
  - VIOLATIONS INVOLVING COMMERCIAL ACTIVITY, FINE IS:  
\$250 FOR FIRST VIOLATION; \$500 FOR SECOND VIOLATION; \$1,000 FOR ADDITIONAL VIOLATION
  - APPLICABLE IN BOTH UNINCORPORATED AND INCORPORATED AREAS
  - ENFORCED BY:
    - COUNTY DIRECTOR OF HEALTH SERVICES
    - COUNTY DIRECTOR OF CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT
    - COUNTY SHERIFF
    - OFFICIALS DESIGNATED TO ENFORCE ORDINANCE WITHIN THAT CITY OR SPECIAL DISTRICT

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- AUGUST 3, 2020: PER RESOLUTION 2020-105 EXTENDING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PANDEMIC AND CONFIRMING THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES
- AUGUST 3, 2020: ORDER NO. 2 REGARDING CITY COUNCIL MEETING PROTOCOLS
  - *Phase 1: Virtual Meetings Only*
  - *Phase 2: Electeds can participate in City Council meetings from City Hall but not required to do so (unless mandated by Brown Act)*
  - *Phase 3: Public can attend City Council meetings at City Hall*
  - *Phase 4: Post-COVID “Normal Operations” [still to be discussed as we get closer to this phase]*

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- AUGUST 5, 2020: CONTRA COSTA HEALTH SERVICES ISSUED AN UPDATED MASS ISOLATION ORDER
- AUGUST 16, 2020: GOVERNOR DECLARES A STATE OF EMERGENCY DUE TO EXTREME HEAT
- AUGUST 18, 2020: GOVERNOR DECLARES A STATE OF EMERGENCY DUE TO WILDFIRES
- AUGUST 26, 2020: CONTRA COSTA HEALTH SERVICES ISSUED A REVISED SOCIAL DISTANCING ORDER TO ALLOW CERTAIN BUSINESS SECTORS TO BEGIN OUTDOOR OPERATIONS

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- AUGUST 28, 2020: STATE ISSUED A NEW PUBLIC HEALTH ORDER CREATING A NEW TIER SYSTEM OF COUNTIES WITH GUIDANCE FOR BUSINESS RE-OPENINGS KNOWN AS “CALIFORNIA’S PLAN FOR REDUCING COVID-19 AND ADJUSTING PERMITTED SECTOR ACTIVITIES TO KEEP CALIFORNIANS HEALTHY AND SAFE.”
- AUGUST 31, 2020: THE GOVERNOR SIGNED ASSEMBLY BILL 3088, “TENANT, HOMEOWNER, AND SMALL LANDLORD RELIEF AND STABILIZATION ACT OF 2020,” TO PROVIDE FURTHER STATEWIDE PROTECTIONS TO TENANTS UNABLE TO PAY RENT DUE TO COVID-19 IMPACTS, AS WELL AS SOME FORECLOSURE PROTECTIONS FOR PROPERTY OWNERS.
- SEPTEMBER 4, 2020: CONTRA COSTA HEALTH SERVICES OFFICER ISSUES ORDER HO-COVID19-27 TO REITERATE SOCIAL DISTANCING, LIMITED GATHERINGS AND MASK REQUIREMENTS BUT ALLOWS MORE ACTIVITIES

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- SEPTEMBER 8, 2020: PER RESOLUTION 2020-115 EXTENDING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO THE NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) PANDEMIC AND CONFIRMING THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES
- SEPTEMBER 8, 2020: PER RESOLUTION 2020-112 CONFIRMING AN AGREEMENT WITH CONTRA COSTA COUNTY TO PROVIDE FINANCIAL SUPPORT FOR THE COVID-19 YOUTH/YOUNG ADULT AMBASSADORS
- SEPTEMBER 8, 2020: PER RESOLUTION 2020-116 AMENDING THE CITY COUNCIL PRIORITY WORKPLAN TO EXPLORE FEASIBILITY OF FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE GRANT OR LOAN PROGRAM FOR LOCAL SAN PABLO BUSINESSES AFFECTED BY COVID-19 PANDEMIC IN COLLABORATION WITH THE SAN PABLO EDC

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- SEPTEMBER 14, 2020: CONTRA COSTA HEALTH SERVICES OFFICER ISSUES ORDER HO-COVID19-28 TO ALIGN WITH STATE GUIDELINES FOR PERSONAL CARE SERVICES AND OTHER ACTIVITIES
- SEPTEMBER 16, 2020: COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT ISSUED HEALTH ORDER HO-COVID19-29 TO ALIGN WITH CDC GUIDELINES ON QUARANTINING IF EXPOSED TO SOMEONE WITH COVID-19
- SEPTEMBER 21, 2020: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2020-123, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING
- SEPTEMBER 21, 2020: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION 2020-124, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE HOUSING ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM.

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- SEPTEMBER 21, 2020: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION 2020-125, CITY COUNCIL CREATED AN AD HOC CITY COUNCIL COMMITTEE TO ADDRESS COVID-19 ISSUES
- SEPTEMBER 21, 2020: CITY COUNCIL ADOPTED ORDINANCE 2020-010 REPEALING ORDINANCE 2020-006, WHICH SUSPENDED AUTOMATIC APPROVAL DEADLINES DURING THE COVID-19 EMERGENCY.
- SEPTEMBER 22, 2020: CONTRA COSTA COUNTY EXTENDED RESIDENTIAL MORATORIUM ON RENT INCREASES AND EVICTIONS UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS
- SEPTEMBER 29, 2020: CONTRA COSTA COUNTY MOVED INTO THE LESS RESTRICTIVE RED TIER ("SUBSTANTIAL" SPREAD OF COVID-19) ALLOWING MORE SECTORS TO REOPEN WITH MODIFICATIONS

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- OCTOBER 5, 2020: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2020-127, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING
- OCTOBER 6, 2020: THE STATE'S BLUEPRINT FOR A SAFER ECONOMY INCLUDES A "HEALTH EQUITY METRIC" TO ENSURE CALIFORNIA REOPENS ITS ECONOMY SAFELY BY REDUCING DISEASE TRANSMISSION IN ALL COMMUNITIES, PARTICULARLY GIVEN HIGHER COVID RATES AMONG COMMUNITIES OF COLOR
- OCTOBER 8, 2020: COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT ISSUED HEALTH ORDER HO-COVID19-32 TO UPDATE ITS MASS QUARANTINE ORDER TO COMPLY WITH THE STATE PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER'S GUIDANCE ON WHO IS CONSIDERED A CLOSE CONTACT

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- OCTOBER 21, 2020: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2020-131, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING
- OCTOBER 21, 2020: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2020-133, THE CITY COUNCIL APPROVED PROGRAM GUIDELINES FOR THE SAN PABLO “BACK TO BUSINESS” COVID-19 RELIEF FUND TO OFFER FORGIVABLE LOANS TO SMALL BUSINESSES
- OCTOBER 27, 2020: CONTRA COSTA COUNTY MOVED INTO THE ORANGE TIER WITH MODERATE INFECTIONS AT 4.1 CASES PER DAY PER 100,000 AND 1.9% POSITIVE TESTS; HOWEVER, THE POSITIVITY RATE IN THOSE IN THE LOWEST HEALTH EQUITY QUARTILE IS 3.9%

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- NOVEMBER 2, 2020: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2020-136, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING
- NOVEMBER 2, 2020: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2020-135, THE CITY COUNCIL AUTHORIZED \$3,000 FOR THE FREE COVID-19 TESTING EVENT FOR NOVEMBER 7, 2020 AT THE WEST COUNTY HEALTH CENTER
- NOVEMBER 4, 2020: INCREASING COVID-19 CASES AND HOSPITALIZATIONS FORCE COUNTY HEALTH OFFICER TO CURTAIL SOME ACTIVITIES AND BUSINESSES AND TO ISSUE GUIDANCE FOR HOLIDAYS AND TRAVEL

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- NOVEMBER 16, 2020: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2020-139, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING
- NOVEMBER 16, 2020: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2020-143, THE CITY COUNCIL APPROVED A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH CONTRA COSTA HEALTH SERVICES TO CREATE OF COVID-19 TESTING SITE AT THE DAVIS PARK MULTI-PURPOSE ROOM
- NOVEMBER 16, 2020: INCREASING COVID-19 CASES AND HOSPITALIZATIONS FORCE STATE TO MOVE 28 COUNTIES BACK INTO THE PURPLE/WIDESPREAD INFECTION TIER 1, INCLUDING CONTRA COSTA

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- DECEMBER 3, 2020: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH ISSUED A REGIONAL STAY AT HOME ORDER BASED ON THE INCREASING RATE OF COVID-19 CASES, HOSPITALIZATIONS AND POSITIVITY RATES
- DECEMBER 4, 2020: BAY AREA REGION IMPLEMENTED THE STATE'S STAY AT HOME ORDER FROM DECEMBER 6, 2020 AND CONTINUING
- DECEMBER 7, 2020: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2020-154, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING
- DECEMBER 21, 2020: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2020-159, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- JANUARY 21, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-02, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING
- JANUARY 21, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-06, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE COVID HOUSING ASSISTANCE PROGRAM UNTIL MARCH 31, 2021 OR UNTIL GRANT FUNDS RUN OUT
- JANUARY 25, 2021: CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH'S REGIONAL STAY AT HOME ORDER EXPIRES
- FEBRUARY 2, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-10, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- FEBRUARY 16, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-14, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING INCLUDING STRICTER MASK RULES AT CITY FACILITIES
- MARCH 1, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION 2021-19, THE CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES SINCE THE LAST MEETING
- MARCH 1, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION 2021-20, THE CITY COUNCIL ALSO AUTHORIZED A LETTER AGREEMENT WITH CONTRA COSTA COUNTY TO CONTINUE PROVIDING FINANCIAL SUPPORT OF UP TO \$4,200 FOR SAN PABLO YOUTHS TO CONTINUE PARTICIPATING IN THE COVID-19 YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT AMBASSADORS PROGRAM

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- MARCH 14, 2021: CONTRA COSTA COUNTY MOVED INTO THE RED TIER (SUBSTANTIAL BUT NOT WIDESPREAD RISK) ALLOWING ADDITIONAL BUSINESSES AND ACTIVITIES TO OPEN
- MARCH 15, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-24, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING INCLUDING TEMPORARY ADMINISTRATIVE POLICY TO EXTEND EMPLOYEE LEAVES DUE TO COVID
- MARCH 15, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION 2021-28, THE CITY COUNCIL THE CITY COUNCIL CANCELED CERTAIN CITY-SPONSORED LARGE-SCALE EVENTS FOR CALENDAR YEAR 2021 DUE TO THE COVID-19

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- APRIL 5, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-33, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING
- APRIL 5, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION 2021-038, CITY COUNCIL ENTERED INTO AN AMENDED MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH THE COUNTY TO USE ADDITIONAL CITY FACILITIES FOR COVID-19 TESTING OR VACCINATION SITES, INCLUDING SAN PABLO SENIOR CENTER
- APRIL 7, 2021; CONTRA COSTA COUNTY MOVED INTO THE ORANGE TIER (MODERATE RISK OF INFECTION) GIVEN DECREASING CASES AND HOSPITALIZATIONS AND INCREASING VACCINATION RATES

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- APRIL 19, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-47, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING
- MAY 3, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-53, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- MAY 5, 2021: CONTRA COSTA COUNTY ALIGNED WITH STATE ON RELAXING MASK REQUIREMENTS:
  - FULLY VACCINATED PEOPLE CAN GO WITHOUT MASKS OUTDOORS, EXCEPT IN CROWDS SUCH AS CONCERTS, SPORTING EVENTS, STREET FAIRS, ETC.
  - FOR UNVACCINATED PEOPLE, MASKS ARE REQUIRED OUTDOORS ANYTIME PHYSICAL DISTANCING CAN'T BE MAINTAINED
  - REGARDLESS OF VACCINATION STATUS, MASKS ARE STILL REQUIRED IN INDOOR SETTINGS IN THE COMMUNITY SUCH AS IN STORES, RESTAURANTS (EXCEPT WHEN EATING OR DRINKING), AND ON PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION.
  - FULLY VACCINATED PEOPLE CAN VISIT WITH OTHER FULLY VACCINATED PEOPLE INDOORS OR OUTDOORS WITHOUT MASKS OR PHYSICAL DISTANCING.
  - FULLY VACCINATED PEOPLE CAN VISIT INDOORS OR OUTDOORS WITHOUT MASKS WITH UNVACCINATED PEOPLE FROM A SINGLE HOUSEHOLD WHO ARE AT LOW RISK FOR COVID-19.
  - FULL VACCINATION IS DEFINED AS TWO WEEKS AFTER THE SECOND DOSE OF THE TWO DOSE VACCINES, PFIZER AND MODERNA, OR TWO WEEKS AFTER THE ONE DOSE J & J VACCINE.

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- MAY 17, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-57, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO:
  - *COVID-19 Prevention Program required by CalOSHA*
  - *Logistic Health Incorporated as agent of the County running the Davis Park COVID-19 testing facility*
- MAY 20, 2021: CONTRA COSTA COUNTY SUPPORTED CONTINUING THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH'S STRATEGY TO CONTINUE MASKING REQUIREMENTS UNTIL JUNE 15, 2021
- MAY 27, 2021: STATE ANNOUNCED VAX FOR THE WIN PROGRAM:
  - *10 vaccinated residents selected on June 15 to receive \$1.5 million.*
  - *Everyone with at least one COVID-19 dose in the state of California will be automatically entered to win big on \$50,000 Fridays.*
  - *Starting on May 27, the first 2 million Californians to start and complete COVID-19 vaccination will receive \$50 gift cards.*

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- JUNE 7, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-066, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO:
  - *City Proposed Re-Opening Plan for Local Government Services v.11 issued May 13, 2021 by the City Manager/Director of Emergency Services; and*
  - *Revised COVID-19 Supplemental Sick Leave Policy dated May 17, 2021 as authorized by the federal American Rescue Plan Act and the State Senate Bill 95; and*
  
- JUNE 11, 2021: STATE PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER ISSUED A NEW ORDER INDICATING THAT ON JUNE 15, 2021, THE STATE WILL MOVE “BEYOND THE BLUEPRINT FOR A SAFER ECONOMY” AND ELIMINATE THE COLOR-CODED TIER SYSTEM FOR COUNTIES
  
- JUNE 15, 2021: STATE PUBLIC HEALTH DEPARTMENT ISSUED FURTHER MASK GUIDANCE WITH SUBSEQUENT CAL/OSHA GUIDANCE

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- JUNE 21, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-075, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING
- JULY 1, 2021: CITY AND COUNTY EXTENDED THE MOU FOR COVID-19 TESTING AT DAVIS PARK TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2021
- JULY 1, 2021: CITY IMPLEMENTS WORKSITE-SPECIFIC COVID-19 PLAN
- JULY 1, 2021: CITY PARKS AND FIELDS OPENED
- JULY 6, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-093, CITY COUNCIL APPROVED “WELCOME BACK REOPENING PLAN” FOR CITY FACILITIES

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- JULY 16, 2021: DUE TO INCREASING CASE AND HOSPITALIZATION RATES, THE CONTRA COSTA HEALTH OFFICER ALONG WITH OTHER BAY AREA HEALTH OFFICERS RECOMMENDS THAT EVERYONE CONSIDER WEARING FACE COVERINGS WHENEVER THEY ENTER INDOOR PUBLIC SPACES, REGARDLESS OF THEIR VACCINATION STATUS
  
- JULY 19, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-095, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING INCLUDING:
  - *Worksite-Specific COVID-19 Plan dated July 1, 2021*
  - *Second Amendment to the MOU with the County to extend COVID-19 testing at Davis Park to September 30, 2021;*

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- JULY 16, 2021: DUE TO INCREASING CASE AND HOSPITALIZATION RATES, THE CONTRA COSTA HEALTH OFFICER ALONG WITH OTHER BAY AREA HEALTH OFFICERS RECOMMENDED THAT EVERYONE CONSIDER WEARING FACE COVERINGS WHENEVER THEY ENTER INDOOR PUBLIC SPACES, REGARDLESS OF THEIR VACCINATION STATUS AND MANDATED MASK WEARING INDOORS ON JULY 27, 2021
- JULY 2021: CITY RECEIVED 2021 PAYMENT OF \$3.7 MILLION OF FUNDING FROM THE FEDERAL AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN OF 2021 (ARPA)
- AUGUST 2, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-101, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING

# BACKGROUND (con't)

- AUGUST 2, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-104, THE CITY COUNCIL DIRECTED STAFF TO PROCEED WITH A COMMUNITY NEEDS ASSESSMENT PROCESS TO DETERMINE ARPA FUNDING PRIORITIES AND ALLOCATIONS BASED ON FURTHER STAFF ANALYSIS OF ARPA ELIGIBLE FUND EXPENSES

# BACKGROUND (con't)

SEPTEMBER 7, 2021: PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2021-107, CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE DECLARATION OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY AND CONFIRMED THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICE SINCE THE LAST MEETING INCLUDING:

- *Modified City Operations Plan version 13 dated August 4, 2021, the City implemented a revised Modified Operations Plan that addressed:*
  - Compliance with more stringent Cal-OSHA Emergency Temporary Standards (ETS) due to employee outbreaks of COVID-19;
  - Mandatory submission of COVID-19 Employee Vaccination Forms; and
  - Postponement of Phase II to September 15, 2021 in City's adopted Welcome Back Re-opening Plan
- *Modified City Operations Plan version 14 dated August 24, 2021 that is effective September 1, 2021, City employees who are unvaccinated or refuse to provide vaccination status information will be required to be tested at least weekly.*
- *Extended the County's use of the Davis Park Community Center for testing until December 31, 2021*

# BACKGROUND (con't)

County website on 9/13/21:

Data last reloaded on 9/13/2021

## Vaccine Progress

Contra Costa County

**84.8%**

United States

**73.8%**

*Percentage of residents ages 12 and older who have received at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine.*

## Current Cases and Hospitalizations

	Active COVID-19 cases	People who are hospitalized
Total	<b>2,537</b>	<b>158</b>
% change over past 2 weeks	<b>-44.9%</b>	<b>-7.1%<sup>+</sup></b>
2 week trend	<b>↓ Decreasing</b>	<b>➡ Stable</b>

<sup>+</sup>Comparing the 7-day average number of patients hospitalized for COVID-19 in Contra Costa County between this week and the previous week.

# BACKGROUND (con't)

Vaccination eligibility from the County's website on 9/13/21: Anyone 12 years or older\*

- To make an appointment: <https://www.coronavirus.cchealth.org/get-vaccinated>
  - Walk in locations at: <https://www.coronavirus.cchealth.org/walk-in-vaccine>
  - Homebound people can request a home vaccination from County's mobile team :  
<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=3tkgKC3cY00GJvKwA00MRS41XWRGeRJBtHJgApNLJo1UNjQ4WTM0VVBXWEY3MDRHMjFGVjIIUEc2My4u&wdLOR=cFCC83D0F-655C-4300-9FDE-E2C3459CE5BA>
  - Free Mobile Vaccine Service for Contra Costa County workplaces, community organizations and other groups D-19 vaccine service 1-833-829-2626 or  
<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=3tkgKC3cY00GJvKwA00MRS41XWRGeRJBtHJgApNLJo1UMU0xQzA3M0E3RUVIRk8z0EdSR0o2UzNHUi4u&wdLOR=cA42700FF-4E3B-451C-B3A6-07689C99B604>
- \*People under age 18 must be accompanied by a parent or guardian to their appointment, have a signed permission, or have a parent/guardian we can contact by phone during the appointment.

# ECONOMIC IMPACTS

- CONTRA COSTA COUNTY INCREASE IN UNEMPLOYMENT RATE FROM A MARCH 2020 RATE OF 4.1% TO AN APRIL 2020 RATE OF 14.5%
- PER EDD, CALIFORNIA'S UNEMPLOYMENT RATE IN SEPTEMBER 2020 WAS 11.0% WITH 2,058,800 UNEMPLOYED; IN FEBRUARY 2021, RATE IN CALIFORNIA WAS 8.5%; JULY 2021, RATE IN CA WAS 7.6%
- 30.7% DECREASE IN OPEN SMALL BUSINESSES IN CALIFORNIA FROM JANUARY 2020 THROUGH NOVEMBER 2020
- ACCORDING TO CALCITIES, CALIFORNIA CITIES ANTICIPATE NEARLY \$7 BILLION GENERAL REVENUE SHORTFALL OVER NEXT TWO FISCAL YEARS
- SAN PABLO PROJECTED TO LOSE APPROXIMATELY \$2.34 MILLION IN REVENUE FOR EACH MONTH CASINO CLOSED (LESS WHEN OPEN BUT SOCIAL DISTANCING) IN ADDITION TO \$1.3 MILLION/MO. FOR OTHER CITY REVENUE SOURCES
- CITY RECEIVED \$387,860 IN CARES ACT FUNDING IN MAY AND \$3.7 MILLION IN ARPA FEDERAL FUNDING IN JULY 2021

# ECONOMIC IMPACTS (con't)

- PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION 2020-124 (SEPTEMBER 21, 2020) AND RESOLUTION 2021-006 (JANUARY 19, 2021) AND RESOLUTION 2021-031 (MARCH 15, 2021), CITY COUNCIL EXTENDED THE HOUSING ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM. ON JUNE 21, 2021, PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION 2021-082, CITY COUNCIL INCREASED THE GRANT FOR 2020/21 TO \$2,000 PER ELIGIBLE HOUSEHOLD AND PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION 2021-083, EXTENDED THE HOUSING ASSISTANCE GRANT PROGRAM AT \$2,000 TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2021.

<https://www.sanpabloca.gov/2741/COVID-19-Housing-Assistance>

- PURSUANT TO RESOLUTION NO. 2020-133 (OCTOBER 21, 2020), THE CITY COUNCIL APPROVED PROGRAM GUIDELINES FOR THE SAN PABLO “BACK TO BUSINESS” COVID-19 RELIEF FUND TO OFFER FORGIVABLE LOANS TO SMALL BUSINESSES <http://www.sanpabloedc.org/san-pablo-b2b-small-business-grant-program>

- THE COUNTY HAS COMPILED RESOURCES FOR BUSINESSES AND EMPLOYEES AFFECTED BY THE ECONOMIC IMPACTS OF COVID-19.

<https://www.contracosta.ca.gov/7778/COVID-19-Economic-Resources>

# ECONOMIC IMPACTS (con't)

- STATE AND COUNTY RESIDENTIAL EVICTION MORATORIUMS HAVE BEEN EXTENDED TO SEPTEMBER 30, 2021

[HTTPS://HOUSING.CA.GOV/TENANT/PROTECTION\\_GUIDELINES.HTML](https://housing.ca.gov/tenant/protection_guidelines.html)

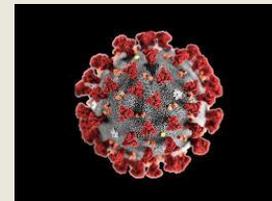
[HTTPS://WWW.CONTRACOSTA.CA.GOV/7836/EVICTION-AND-RENT-FREEZE-ORDINANCE-FAQS](https://www.contracosta.ca.gov/7836/eviction-and-rent-freeze-ordinance-faqs)

- RENT RELIEF RESOURCES: [HTTPS://HOUSING.CA.GOV/](https://housing.ca.gov/)
- COUNTY ESTABLISHED CAP ON THIRD-PARTY RESTAURANT DELIVERY AND PROCESSING CHARGES  
<https://www.contracosta.ca.gov/DocumentCenter/View/69614/Supervisors-Pass-Ordinance-to-Cap-Food-Delivery-Service-Fees>

# COVID-19 CURRENT STATISTICS

(as of September 13, 2021)

- 93,113 CONFIRMED CASES IN CONTRA COSTA COUNTY (88,050 ON 8/30/21)
- 4,360,955 CONFIRMED CASES IN THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA (4,213,057 ON 8/30/21)
- 40,870,648 CONFIRMED CASES IN U.S. (38,852,582 ON 8/30/21)
- SAN PABLO – 6,307 CASES AND 14,230 CASES PER 100,000 POPULATION (6,056 CASES OR 16,664 CASES PER 100,000 POPULATION ON 8/30/21)
- 906 CONTRA COSTA COUNTY DEATHS (869 ON 8/30/21)
- 66,716 CONFIRMED DEATHS STATEWIDE (65,271 ON 8/30/21)
- 656,318 CONFIRMED DEATHS IN U.S. (636,015 ON 8/30/21)



# RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN PABLO, CALIFORNIA EXTENDING THE EXISTENCE OF A LOCAL EMERGENCY DUE TO NOVEL CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19) AND CONFIRMING THE ACTIONS TAKEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES SINCE AUGUST 2, 2021:

- *Revised Modified City Operations Plan version 15 dated September 3, 2021 -- requires elected officials to provide proof of vaccination or a negative COVID-19 test within prior 72 hours of entering a City facility, worksite or event.*