



# SAN BENITO COUNTY

HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY

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### AMENDED ORDER OF THE HEALTH OFFICER

### AMENDMENT NO. 1 TO SHELTER IN PLACE ORDER ISSUED MARCH 31, 2020

DATE OF ORDER: APRIL 24, 2020

Please read this Order carefully. (California Health and Safety Code § 120295, *et seq.*; Cal. Penal Code §§ 69, 148(a)(1))

#### Attachments

**Appendix B:** Golf Course Social Distancing Protocol Form

UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF CALIFORNIA HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE SECTIONS 101040, 101085, AND 120175, THE HEALTH OFFICER OF THE COUNTY OF SAN BENITO ("HEALTH OFFICER") ORDERS:

1. This Order amends paragraph thirteen (13) subsection (a)(iii) of the March 31, 2020 Order of the Health Officer directing all individuals to shelter in place ("Prior Shelter Order"). All other provisions of the Prior Shelter Order remain in full force and effect.
2. The Prior Shelter Order is amended to add subsection (a)(iii)(5) to paragraph thirteen (13) as follows:

#### **Definitions and Exemptions.**

- a. For the purposes of this Order, individuals may leave their residence only to perform the following "Essential Activities." But people at high risk of severe illness from COVID-19 and people who are sick are strongly urged to stay in their residence to the extent possible, except as necessary to seek or provide medical care or Essential Governmental Functions. Essential Activities are:
  - iii. To engage in outdoor recreation activity, including, by way of example and without limitation, walking, hiking, bicycling, and running, in compliance with Social Distancing Requirements and with the following limitations:
    5. The public may utilize any open areas of County and City Parks, which are not specifically closed pursuant to paragraphs (1)-(3) above, while following all social distancing requirements/orders of the Public Health Officer. Further, Golf courses may operate pursuant to the Social Distancing Requirements stated in subparagraph (k) below and in the Golf Course Social Distancing Protocol Form located in Appendix B.

3. This Order shall become effective at 8:00 a.m. on April 27, 2020 and will continue to be in effect until 11:59 p.m. on May 3, 2020, or until it is extended, rescinded, superseded, or amended in writing by the Health Officer.
4. Copies of this Order shall promptly be: (1) made available at the County Administrative Building 481 Fourth St., Hollister, CA 95023; by contacting [jslibsager@cosb.us](mailto:jslibsager@cosb.us); (2) posted on the County Public Health Department website, <https://hhsa.cosb.us/publichealth/communicable-disease/coronavirus/>; and (3) provided to any member of the public requesting a copy of this Order.
5. If any provision of this Order to its application to any person or circumstance is held to be invalid, the remainder of the Order, including the application of such part or provision to other persons or circumstances, shall not be affected and shall continue in full force and effect. To this end, the provisions of this Order are severable.

**IT IS SO ORDERED:**



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MARTIN FENSTERSHEIB, MD, MPH  
Health Officer of the County of San Benito

Dated: April 24, 2020

Approved as to legal form:



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Barbara J. Thompson  
County Counsel

Dated: April 24, 2020

Attachments:

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