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AMENDED PUBLIC NOTICE

FLINT CITY COUNCIL ELECTRONIC PUBLIC MEETING

On Tuesday, March 10, 2020, Governor Gretchen Whitmer declared a State of Emergency after two individuals were confirmed testing presumptively positive for COVID-19. On Thursday, March 12, 2020, Mayor Sheldon A. Neeley declared a local State of Emergency to exist in the City of Flint as a result of the threat of COVID-19. On Sunday, March 15, 2020, effective March 17, 2020, Mayor Neeley, based on the COVID-19 public health threat, closed City Hall to the public. Residents were asked to take precautionary measures. On March 22, 2020, Mayor Neeley asked residents to participate in a voluntary shelter in place. On March 23, 2020, the City Council approved the continuation of the declaration of a State of Emergency.

Based on the White House guidelines issued on March 16, 2020, and continued on March 30, 2020, for an additional 30 days, it is recommended that people not gather in groups larger than 10 people in order to "flatten" the curve and slow the spread of the virus. On March 24, 2020, Governor Whitmer instituted Executive Order 2020-21, a temporary requirement to suspend activities that are not necessary to sustain or protect life, prohibiting "in-person" work with exceptions for essential and critical infrastructure workers.

Therefore, in accordance with Governor Whitmer's Executive Order 2020-15 promoting the public health, welfare and safety, and allowing for electronic public meetings during this pandemic, the following meeting is scheduled electronically:

Flint City Council Meeting Monday, April 13, 2020, at 5:30 p.m.

- 1. The public and media may listen to the meeting online by live stream at www.youtube.com/user/spectacletv or through **Start Meeting Solution** by dialing (774) 267-2928.
- 2. In order to speak during the public speaking period by telephone, you will also call (774) 267-2928:
 - a. The public speaker will be unmuted when it is your time to speak;
 - b. The public speaker should state and spell name their name for the record and will be allowed 3 minutes for public speaking;
 - c. The speaker will be returned to mute after the 3 minutes have expired;

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- d. After the telephonic public speakers are completed, emailed public comments will be read by the City Clerk.
- 3. The public may send public comments by email to CouncilPublicComment@cityofflint.com no later than 10 minutes prior to the meeting start time of 5:30 p.m.
- 4. Persons with disabilities may participate in the meeting by the abovementioned means and by emailing a request for an accommodation to CouncilPublicComment@cityofflint.com, with subject line *Request for Accommodation*, or by contacting the City Clerk at (810) 766-7418 to request accommodation, including but not limited to interpreters.

If there are any questions concerning this notice, please direct them to City Council office at (810) 766-7418.

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