

## **AMENDED BROWARD COUNTY EMERGENCY CURFEW ORDER**

**WHEREAS**, Section 252.38(3)(a), Florida Statutes, gives authority to political subdivisions to declare and enact a State of Local Emergency for a period of up to seven (7) days, thereby waiving the procedures and formalities otherwise required of political subdivisions by law;

**WHEREAS**, on May 31, 2020, a State of Local Emergency was declared for Broward County related to the ongoing civil unrest in Broward County that threatens the health, safety, and welfare of the people of Broward County;

**WHEREAS**, on May 31, 2020, I issued an Emergency Curfew Order for all of Broward County effective each night for a period of up to seven (7) days, commencing at 9:00 p.m. on May 31, 2020, to protect the health, safety, and welfare of the people of Broward County based on certain instances of violence and property damage that stemmed from demonstrations that, for much of the day, were conducted peacefully;

**WHEREAS**, Broward County will continuously monitor the conditions that justify the initiation or continuation of a curfew, and will seek to limit the scope of the curfew, including geographical scope, to the extent it can be done while still protecting the public;

**WHEREAS**, we have received credible information for the potential of continued civil unrest this evening, June 1, 2020, throughout various portions of Broward County, and Miami-Dade County will remain under curfew as will portions of Palm Beach County;

**WHEREAS**, the County therefore desires to maintain the Countywide curfew in place at this time but will continue to reevaluate, in collaboration with our municipal partners, in the ensuing days whether the curfew can be limited to certain areas of the County or otherwise modified to minimize its effect on areas not directly impacted by continuing civil unrest; and

**WHEREAS**, Section 8-56(a)(1) of the Broward County Code of Ordinances, gives the County Administrator of Broward County authority to impose a general curfew applicable to Broward County while there is a Declaration of a Local State of Emergency in effect,

### **NOW, THEREFORE,**

I, Bertha Henry, County Administrator of Broward County, Florida, hereby order:

1. The Countywide curfew imposed on May 31, 2020, shall remain in place, as amended by this Amended Curfew Order, until further notice, for all of Broward County, including incorporated and unincorporated areas, effective from 9:00 p.m. through 6:00 a.m. each day. During the period of such curfew, no person shall make use of any street or sidewalk in Broward County for any purpose, except for active-duty police, fire rescue, first responders, news media, government employees and government officials,

persons seeking emergency medical care, and medical, health care, and utility service personnel, as well as persons going from their homes directly to their place of employment or returning directly to their homes from their place of employment, and persons walking their dogs or other pets within two hundred and fifty feet (250) feet of their residences.

2. This Amended Curfew Order shall expire upon the expiration of the existing Broward County State of Local Emergency declared on May 31, 2020, except that if such State of Local Emergency is extended, this order shall also be deemed to extend for the duration of such extension. This order may be cancelled or modified by subsequent order of the Broward County Administrator.

3. This order shall be provided to local news media.

4. This Amended Curfew Order supersedes the May 31, 2020, Emergency Curfew Order, and shall be effective immediately upon execution.

BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

By: 

Bertha Henry  
County Administrator

Executed on June 1, 2020 at 4:55 p.m.

RECEIVED AND FILED in the Records, Taxes and Treasury Division on this 1 day of June, 2020, at 4:55 0 .m.

