

WHEREAS, the City believes that local small retail businesses can implement public health precautions in compliance with CDC guidelines similar to what big-box retail stores are currently enforcing; and

WHEREAS, the City of Peoria values and appreciates its local small retail businesses; and

WHEREAS, the City is dedicating to protecting the health and welfare of its citizens; and

WHEREAS, in continuing supports of this effort, the City desires that the Governor review and revise his Executive Order and Plan to ensure that Peoria's local small retail businesses can operate in a manner consistent with what is being allowed by big-box retail stores.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PEORIA, ILLINOIS, THAT:

Section 1. The foregoing recitals shall be and are hereby incorporated into this Section 1 as if said recitals were fully set forth.

Section 2. The Corporation Counsel is hereby instructed to forward this Resolution to the Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity as well as the Governor's office and provide any information requested by them to review the Council's request.

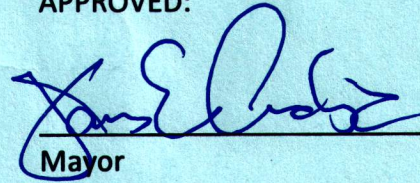
Section 3: If any section, paragraph, clause or provision of this Resolution shall be held invalid, said invalidity shall not affect any other provision of this Resolution.

Section 4: This Resolution shall be in full force and effect after its passage and approval in the manner provided by law.

Section 5. That this Resolution is being passed pursuant to the Home Rule Authority of the City of Peoria, as given by Section 6 of Article VII of the Illinois Constitution of 1970, as amended.

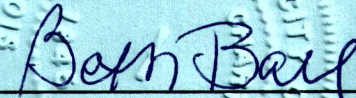
PASSED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PEORIA, ILLINOIS THIS 12TH DAY OF MAY, 2020.

APPROVED:



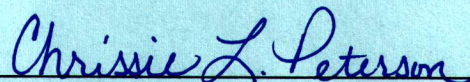
Mayor

ATTEST:



City Clerk

EXAMINED AND APPROVED:



Corporation Counsel

