WHEREAS, on March 15, 2020, the Mayor of the City of Flagstaff, Coral J. Evans, proclaimed that a local emergency exists in the City of Flagstaff ("Declaration of Local Emergency"); and

WHEREAS, the Mayor of the City of Flagstaff pursuant to City Code Section 1-22-001-0002, A.R.S. §26-311.B, and the Declaration of Local Emergency has the authority to govern by proclamation and impose all necessary regulations to preserve the peace, health, and order of the City; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2020, the Mayor of the City of Flagstaff issued a proclamation ("March 16 Proclamation") to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 that ordered the closure of certain business establishments and prohibited restaurants, food courts, cafes, coffeehouses, retail food facilities, and other similar businesses and establishments from serving food and beverages for consumption on premises; and

WHEREAS, on March 18, 2020, the Coconino County Health and Human Services Department confirmed the first presumptive positive case of COVID-19 in Coconino County; and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2020, the Coconino County Health and Human Services Department confirmed 28 presumptive positive cases of COVID-19 in Coconino County – an exponential increase; and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2020, the Coconino County Health and Human Services Department confirmed the second death from COVID-19 in Coconino County; and

WHEREAS, as of March 25, 2020, two out of the six deaths in the Arizona from COVID-19 occurred in Coconino County constituting one third (1/3) of the deaths in Arizona related to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, on March 23, 2020, the State of Arizona Executive Order 2020-12 issued by Governor Douglas A. Ducey ("Executive Order 2020-12") identified essential professional and personal services in the State of Arizona of which hair salons, nail salons, beauty parlors or similar businesses and establishments were not specifically identified; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 2020-12 identifies personal hygiene services as an essential professional or personal service, however after reviewing the definitions under state statutes pertaining to hair salons, nail salons, beauty parlors or similar business and establishments, it is my belief that those establishments are not considered personal hygiene services under the Governor’s Order. (ARS § 32-501).
IT IS HEREBY PROCLAIMED AND IMPOSED AS FOLLOWS:

1. The COVID-19 outbreak – consistent with above listed declarations, proclamations, and recommendations – presents conditions in the City of Flagstaff that endanger life and justify this Proclamation.

2. The Mayor’s March 16 Proclamation which ordered the closure of and placed limitations on certain business establishments is now extended beyond April 1, 2020 until further notice.

3. Section 3(b) of the Mayor’s March 16 Proclamation is hereby amended to add the following language:

   vi. The closure of all hair salons, nail salons, beauty parlors or similar businesses and establishments.

   This amendment will become effective March 26, 2020 at 8:00 p.m.

4. The City Manager, or his designee, is authorized to take all lawful actions necessary to respond to the emergency and to take all appropriate action to mitigate the effects and spread of COVID-19 and assist the City and its residents with the effects of the COVID-19 outbreak.

5. The current public health crisis related to COVID-19 is being monitored as it is evolving, and additional regulations may be forthcoming as needed.

Dated this 26th day of March 2020

Coral J. Evans, Mayor

Attest:

Stacy Saltzburg, City Clerk

Approved as to form and found to be within the powers granted to the Mayor of the City of Flagstaff.

Sterling Solomon, City Attorney