



**Press Release  
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**Immediate Release**

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**Re: City of Clayton COVID-19 Information for the Public**

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At the regularly scheduled March 19, 2020 City Council meeting, Clayton City Council declared a state of emergency for the City of Clayton as a result of COVID-19. This declaration is a proactive step by Clayton City Council to ensure all necessary staffing and resources are available in the city as we continue to navigate this ongoing public health emergency throughout the entire country. Clayton is unaware of any positive tests of residents within Clayton's boundaries and are only making this declaration to be able to best respond to the ever changing circumstances to ensure both the short and long term health and safety of our residents with appropriate staffing levels and resources to carry out essential duties throughout the ever changing COVID-19 emergency.

To help reduce the spread of COVID-19, the Clayton Government Offices will be closed to the general public starting on Monday, March 23rd until April 12th, or further notice. Emergency personnel will continue to work regularly scheduled shifts. To speak with a police officer for non-emergency purposes, please call the non-emergency dispatch number 937-225-4357. All correspondence options including telephone, email, etc., with the city will continue to be open



and available for our residents and business partners until further notice. City staff can be contacted electronically during this time through the general email, [askclayton@clayton.oh.us](mailto:askclayton@clayton.oh.us), or they may email departments directly using the city directory at <http://clayton.oh.us/directory.aspx>. City administrative staff will continue to be working from home during this time and will respond to all inquiries during normal business hours. Meadowbrook at Clayton golf operations are also suspended until April 12<sup>th</sup> or until further notice.

Finally, the annual Easter Egg Hunt at Meadowbrook at Clayton, previously scheduled for April 11, 2020 has been cancelled as a result of the COVID-19 emergency.