

March 19, 2020

PER MAYOR WAYNE SMITH:

TODAY, EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY, IT HAS BECOME INCREASINGLY IMPERATIVE TO CLOSE THE FOLLOWING CITY FACILITIES TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC IN AN EFFORT TO PROTECT CITY STAFF AND CITY PROPERTY FROM THE EVER CHANGING SPREAD OF THE CORONAVIRUS (COVID-19):

CITY HALL LOBBY	CLOSED
CITY HALL DRIVE-THRU	OPEN
POLICE DEPT OFFICES	CLOSED
POLICE DEPT LOBBY	OPEN
FIRE DEPARTMENT	CLOSED TO CIVILIANS
REC CENTER	CLOSED
MCKELVEY PARK	CLOSED
SENIOR NUTRITION	PICK-UP & DELIVERY OF MEALS STILL AVAILABLE
PUBLIC LIBRARY	CLOSED

THESE CLOSINGS WILL REMAIN IN FORCE UNTIL AT LEAST APRIL 6TH, 2020.

EVEN THOUGH OUR DOORS ARE NOT OPEN TO THE PUBLIC, STAFF ARE STILL REQUIRED TO REPORT TO WORK DURING REGULAR WORK HOURS.

CITY COUNCIL MEETING TUESDAY, 3/24/20, WILL BE HELD, BUT WE ARE ASKING THE PUBLIC TO LIMIT ATTENDANCE; THAT OTHER MEANS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC FOR THE CITY TO COMPLY WITH THE OPEN MEETINGS ACT AS DIRECTED BY GOVERNOR IVEY. COUNCIL AND ANYONE ELSE PRESENT WILL COMPLY WITH SOCIAL DISTANCING DURING THE MEETING.

IT IS ASKED THAT EVERY DEPARTMENT EMPLOYEE REMAINS PROACTIVE AND VIGILANT TO USE EVERY PROTECTIVE MEANS AVAILABLE TO LIMIT EXPOSURE TO THIS VIRUS AT WORK AND AT HOME. THERE ARE NO CONFIRMED CASES IN DADEVILLE OR TALLAPOOSA COUNTY AT THIS TIME, BUT THAT COULD SWIFTLY CHANGE AT A MOMENT'S NOTICE. STAY SAFE, STAY HEALTHY. WE CANNOT LIVE IN FEAR, BUT WE DO NEED TO RESPECT THIS NEW VIRUS, AND TAKE EVERY PRECAUTION THAT WE CAN.

THANK YOU IN ADVANCE TO ALL THE CITIZENS OF DADEVILLE FOR YOUR AWARENESS, DILIGENCE AND PATIENCE DURING THIS UNPRECEDENTED TIME THAT WE ARE FACING. WE APOLOGIZE FOR ANY INCONVENIENCE THESE CLOSINGS MAY PRESENT FOR OUR CITIZENS.