

City of Punta Gorda

Resolution No. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY OF PUNTA GORDA, FLORIDA,
EXTENDING THE SUNSET DATE OF EMERGENCY ORDINANCE
1944-2020 WHICH REQUIRES FACIAL COVERINGS IN RESPONSE
TO THE COVID-19 PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCY.

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Punta Gorda adopted Emergency Ordinance 1944-2020 on July 8, 2020, requiring face coverings as specified therein in response to the public health emergency within the City of Punta Gorda resulting from spread of the Coronavirus Disease 2019 (“COVID-19”); and

WHEREAS, unless extended by Resolution of the City Council, Emergency Ordinance 1944-2020 shall automatically sunset or expire ninety (90) days after adoption on October 6, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the State of the Florida as well as the City of Punta Gorda continue to be under a state of emergency relating to COVID-19; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Punta Gorda finds that the impact of COVID-19 poses a continuing threat to the health, safety and welfare of the public.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF PUNTA GORDA, FLORIDA, THAT:

I. Emergency Ordinance 1944-2020 shall be extended for an additional thirty (30) days until November 6, 2020.

ADOPTED in regular session of the City Council of the City of Punta Gorda, Florida, this 23rd day of September 2020.

NANCY PRAFKE, Mayor

ATTEST:

KAREN SMITH, City Clerk

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

DAVID M. LEVIN, City Attorney