CITY OF STOUGHTON, 207 S. Forrest Street, Stoughton, WI 53589

RESOLUTION OF THE COMMON COUNCIL	
EXTENDING THE DECLARATION OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY IN THE CITY OF STOUGHTON AND DELAYING THE EXPIRATION OF AUTHORIZED OUTDOOR DINING AND ALCOHOL SERVICE AND CONSUMPTION Committee Action: Fiscal Impact: None	
File Number: R-182-2020	**Date Introduced:** December 8, 2020

RECITALS

WHEREAS, on June 9, 2020, in response to the COVID-19 coronavirus, the Common Council of the City of Stoughton adopted Resolution 99-2020, declaring a local state of emergency to preserve lives, and to protect the public peace, health, safety, and economic stability; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution 99-2020, the declaration of a local state of emergency was set to expire on September 30, 2020; and

WHEREAS, on September 22, 2020, the Common Council of the City of Stoughton adopted Resolution 138-2020, extending the declaration of a local state of emergency under Resolution 99-2020 through December 31, 2020; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Resolution 138-2020, the Common Council of the City of Stoughton also extended authorization for outdoor dining and the outdoor service and consumption of alcohol during the declared state of emergency for the duration of the declaration made under Resolution 99-2020, and any extensions thereof; and

WHEREAS, since September 22, 2020, Governor Tony Evers issued Executive Orders #90, 94, and 95 relating to the statewide public health emergency in response to the COVID-19 coronavirus; and

WHEREAS, Janel Heinrich, Public Health Madison and Dane County has issued several orders in response to the COVID-19 coronavirus, the most recent of which being an amendment to Emergency Order #10 on November 20, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the public health emergency caused by the COVID-19 coronavirus continues and has led to devastating economic consequences that require continuing swift and effective responses at all levels of government; and

DECLARATIONS

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DECLARED that, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 323.11, in order to preserve lives, to protect the public peace, health, safety, and economic stability, and to ensure cooperation and coordination, the Declaration of a Local State of Emergency adopted under Resolution 99-2020, and extended under Resolution 138-2020, is further extended through May 31, 2021; and

IT IS FURTHER DECLARED that pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 323.14(4), during a declared state of emergency under Wis. Stat. § 323.11, the Common Council of the City of Stoughton is authorized to order whatever is necessary and expedient for the health, safety, protection, and welfare of persons and property within the City of Stoughton; and

IT IS FURTHER DECLARED and reaffirmed that, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 323.14(4) and Resolution 138-2020, Resolution 100-2020, allowing outdoor dining during a state of emergency, and any authorizations of outdoor dining granted pursuant thereto, are valid and remain in effect for the duration of the local state of emergency declared under Resolution 99-2020 and under any extensions thereof adopted by the Common Council; and

IT IS FURTHER DECLARED and reaffirmed that, pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 323.14(4) and Resolution 138-2020, Resolution 110-2020, allowing outdoor service and consumption of alcohol during a state of emergency, and any authorizations of outdoor service and consumption of alcohol granted pursuant thereto, are valid and remain in effect for the duration of the local state of emergency declared under Resolution 99-2020 and under any extensions thereof adopted by the Common Council.

Approved by the Common Council of the City of Stoughton this 8th day of December, 2020.

Council Action: ____ Adopted ____ Failed Vote _____

Mayoral Action: ☐ **Accept** ☐ **Veto**

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Tim Swadley, Mayor Date

Council Action: _____ ☐ **Override** **Vote** _____