



Pursuant to emergency powers as set forth in Connecticut General Statute Section 28-8a and Section C3-10-10 of the Charter of the City of Stamford, I hereby issue the following Executive Order.

**MAYOR'S EXECUTIVE ORDER  
RE: RESTRICTING STAMFORD BEACHES TO RESIDENTS  
AND BEACH PERMIT HOLDERS ONLY**

Whereas, Section C3-10-10 of the Charter of the City of Stamford and Chapter 517 of the Connecticut General Statutes confer upon the Mayor emergency powers to deal with public health emergencies, such as the global pandemic of the novel coronavirus (COVID-19), to ensure that preparations of the City will be adequate to deal with the emergency, and to preserve the lives and property of the residents of Stamford; and.

Whereas, on March 11, 2020, Mayor David Martin declared a Public Health and Local Civil Preparedness Emergency in the City of Stamford; and

Whereas, Section 28-8a of the Connecticut General Statutes empowers the mayor to take such action as he deems necessary to mitigate the emergency; and

Whereas, following concerns of a possible second wave of COVID-19 and potential overcrowding at Stamford beaches.

1. Effective Saturday, July 25, 2020, all City beaches are restricted on weekends and holidays to Stamford residents and individuals with an annual beach parking permit; and
2. The number of vehicles allowed at Cove beach, Cummings Beach and West Beach will be limited to 75 percent of capacity; and
3. Stamford residents, whether arriving by car or walking to the beach, will be required to provide proof of Stamford residency to gain access to the beach; and
4. Stamford residents will be permitted to bring one out-of-town guest to the beach; however, any guests from states outlined in Connecticut's Travel Advisory must have completed fourteen (14) days of quarantine; and

5. This order will expire upon the cessation of the Declaration of Public Health and Local Civil Preparedness Emergency.



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Mayor David R. Martin  
July 23, 2020