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**BOULDER CITY  
CITY COUNCIL**

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**MAYOR  
KIERNAN McMANUS**

**COVID-19: Council to Hold Regular Council Meeting April 14**

**COUNCIL MEMBERS:**  
JAMES HOWARD ADAMS  
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**BOULDER CITY** – The City of Boulder City Clerk’s Office and City IT staffs have been working to develop a sensible, simple way to continue to hold Council meetings. Council was unable to hold one regular City Council meeting (March 24, 2020) and several committee and commission meetings have been cancelled due to the COVID-19 pandemic and Governor Steve Sisolak directive regarding public gatherings.



**MEETING LOCATION:**  
**CITY COUNCIL CHAMBER**  
401 CALIFORNIA AVENUE  
BOULDER CITY, NV 89005

“Our goal is to avoid some of the issues other communities have experienced, such as applications crashing during meetings, asking users to download programs and dealing with hackers,” said Lorene Krumm, City Clerk. “We looked at several options and determined a solution that utilizes existing equipment and should be easy for everyone to use.”

**MAILING ADDRESS:**  
401 CALIFORNIA AVENUE  
BOULDER CITY, NV 89005

The April 14, 2020 meeting will be carried live via the internet using the City’s website: [www.bcnv.org/191/City-Council-Meeting-Live-Stream-Video](http://www.bcnv.org/191/City-Council-Meeting-Live-Stream-Video). Council will be in attendance in the Council Chamber but not all on the dais: they would sit at least six feet apart. Those who want to comment will be able to do so several ways:

**WEBPAGE:**  
[WWW.BCNV.ORG](http://WWW.BCNV.ORG)



1. **PREFERRED METHOD:** Submit the via the online public comment form at [www.bcnv.org/council](http://www.bcnv.org/council) - comments will be read into the public record.
2. Call and leave a message at 702.293.9210 – comments will be played into the public record.
3. Call City Hall’s Council Chambers Conference line at 702.589.9629 during the comment portion of the meeting to speak live.

**CITY MANAGER:**  
ALFONSO NOYOLA, ICMA-CM

City Hall remains closed to the public through April 30, so residents are not allowed to be in Council Chambers. For residents who do not have access to a computer, the Smith Building (700 Wyoming Street) will be open to the first nine individuals who arrive. They will be required to sit six feet apart and can only comment by using their personal cell phone to call into the meeting. Meetings are recorded viewing later via On-Demand, YouTube and BCTV.

**CITY ATTORNEY:**  
STEVEN L. MORRIS, ESQ

“The work of the City is critical to moving us forward beyond this pandemic,” said Mayor Kiernan McManus. “Prioritizing safety has been the primary objective of staff since the pandemic started. This streaming solution - paired with opportunities to comment online or over the phone - should work well for our residents.”

**CITY CLERK:**  
LORENE KRUMM, MMC, CPO

The City has links to information posted on a webpage dedicated to coronavirus news and updates: [www.bcnv.org/COVID-19](http://www.bcnv.org/COVID-19).

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**Please see the information released to date by Boulder City:**

1. Mayor Kiernan McManus officially signed a Declaration of a State of Emergency, effective through April 30, 2020. The Declaration, posted at [www.bcnv.org/CivicAlerts.aspx?AID=162](http://www.bcnv.org/CivicAlerts.aspx?AID=162), requires ratification by City Council during the next public meeting.
2. All City Committee and commission meetings and workshops are canceled through April 30, 2020. City Council will hold regular meetings via live stream.
3. During these difficult times, we will be suspending utility disconnections on a case-by-case basis. You must contact our utilities billing at 702.293.9244 to discuss.
4. City Hall and all City buildings are closed to public access through April 30 (date subject to change based on Governor's guidance). Items may be dropped off at the front security station. While staff is working on site, we ask that non-emergency business be handled by email or phone only. You can call City Hall at 702.293.9329 during regular business hours, with limited hours on Friday and Saturday, or use the staff directory at [www.bcnv.org/Directory.aspx](http://www.bcnv.org/Directory.aspx).
5. Utility, business license and permit payments can be made at the back window of City Hall (located in the alley between the Rec Building and City Hall). As a reminder, payments can be made online at [www.bcnv.org](http://www.bcnv.org), where you can also set up autopay.
6. Boulder City is complying with the Governor's order from March 20, 2020 to close non-essential businesses as defined by the State.
7. Police fingerprint services (for background checks) are temporarily suspended, and Nevada DMV services provided at the Police Department are suspended in alignment with the State.
8. Nevadans seeking Unemployment Insurance Benefits can file online at <http://ui.nv.gov/css.html>.
9. The Clark County School District (CCSD) will continue providing breakfast and lunch to any child during the closure of Nevada schools. The student food distribution pod is open from 9 a.m. to 12 noon Monday through Friday at Mitchell Elementary School. You must bring a student ID, know the student's ID number, or child must accompany you for pick-up (may remain in car.) Food distribution locations/times are here: <https://ccsd.nutrislice.com/menu>.
10. Albertson's Grocery Store is closing nightly to restock shelves. The store offers special hours for people with immune system issues, with physical impairments, and/or who are elderly: 7 a.m. through 9 a.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays.
11. The City is collecting household staples for those in need at City Hall on Mondays and Wednesdays from 10 a.m. until noon only. Items will be distributed to local organizations, senior centers and individuals in need. Learn more about items needed [www.bcnv.org/CivicAlerts.aspx?AID=163](http://www.bcnv.org/CivicAlerts.aspx?AID=163).
12. Three Square Food Bank is helping people sign up for food stamps. Call their office at 702.765.4030 Monday through Friday between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. or visit [www.threesquare.org](http://www.threesquare.org).
13. Boulder City Hospital, the Southern Nevada State Veterans Home, and all nursing homes in Boulder City are restricting visitors. Please check with each location by phone for more information. "Virtual Visits" are available at Nevada State Veterans Homes at [http://gov.nv.gov/News/Press/2020/ICYMI\\_%E2%80%9CVirtual\\_Visits%E2%80%9D\\_Now\\_Available\\_at\\_Nevada\\_State\\_Veterans\\_Homes/](http://gov.nv.gov/News/Press/2020/ICYMI_%E2%80%9CVirtual_Visits%E2%80%9D_Now_Available_at_Nevada_State_Veterans_Homes/).

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14. The City has started a database for those who want to volunteer to assist: email the City at [mmays@bcnv.org](mailto:mmays@bcnv.org) to add your name, contact information (email and phone) and how you can help.
15. The State has been added to the Small Business Administration disaster area list. Learn more at: <https://disasterloan.sba.gov/ela/>.
16. At this time, all employees of Boulder City are considered vital to the operations of the City and must continue to report to work. Essential City services, including trash pick-up, will continue as scheduled.
17. Follow information Statewide on social media platforms at #StayHomeForNevada
18. All special events are closed in City parks and facilities through April 30. The City's parks and park bathrooms will remain open daily from 5 a.m. until 10 p.m. Maintain social distancing and wash your hands (or children's hands) while using the parks. Closures include:

Boulder City Municipal Golf Course	Boulder City Arts Center	Boulder Creek Golf Club
Boulder City Tiny Tots	Boulder City Fitness Center	Youth and Adult Sports Programs
Boulder City Safe Key	Special events in City Parks	Boulder City Youth Center
Boulder City Aquatic Center	All Playground Equipment	Special classes
Tennis Courts at Hemenway & Broadbent Parks	Beach volleyball courts at Veterans Memorial Park	Basketball courts at Lakeview, Hemenway, Oasis & Veterans Memorial Parks
Skate Park at Veterans Memorial		