

**Town of Belmont**

**TEMPORARY EMERGENCY REGULATION #3 OF THE BELMONT BOARD OF HEALTH AND THE BELMONT SELECT BOARD**

**WHEREAS**, on May 12, 2020, the Belmont Board of Health and the Belmont Select Board issued Temporary Emergency Regulation #2 requiring use of face masks in a place open to the public in Belmont;

**WHEREAS**, on May 29, 2020, the Belmont Board of Health and the Belmont Select Board issued Amendment 1 to Temporary Emergency Regulation #2;

**WHEREAS**, the Belmont Board of Health and the Belmont Select Board take guidance from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in formulating policies in regard to COVID-19;

**WHEREAS**, on November 2, 2020, Governor Baker issued COVID-19 ORDER No. 55, which effective November 6, 2020 rescinded COVID-19 ORDER No. 31 issued May 1, 2020;


**WHEREAS**, COVID-19 ORDER No. 55 is a revised order requiring face coverings in public places without an exception for social distancing;

**NOW, THEREFORE**, pursuant to the General Bylaws of the Town of Belmont, and Chapter 111, Section 104 of the Massachusetts General Laws, and all other necessary and appropriate powers and authorities, we, the Select Board and the Board of Health of the Town of Belmont, Massachusetts, hereby issue the following amendment regarding the use of face masks in Belmont:

**Order:**

1. Temporary Emergency Regulation #2 and Amendment 1 are no longer in effect.
2. All members of the public entering any indoor or outdoor public spaces as defined by Governor Baker's COVID-19 Executive Orders shall wear a clean face covering, such as a fabric mask, and exercise social distancing in accordance with CDC guidelines. Cloth face coverings should not be placed on children younger than 2 years of age, anyone who has trouble breathing, or is unable to remove the cover without assistance.
3. All entry doors of businesses open to the public must be posted – advising customers that face covering and social distancing (at least 6-feet of separation) must be maintained inside and outside the establishment. Establishment staff must supervise and enforce this requirement.

Date: November 23, 2020



Name: Roy Epstein  
Title: Chair, Belmont Select Board

Date: November 24, 2020



Name: Stephen Fiore  
Title: Chair, Belmont Board of Health