



Chatham County Board of Commissioners

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Chatham County Chairman Chester A. Ellis Issues the 12th County-wide State of Emergency Requiring the Use of Masks or Face Coverings

Chatham County, GA (April 30, 2021) – Chatham County Board of Commission Chairman Chester A. Ellis issued the 12th continuation of the County-wide State of Emergency. This order will become effective immediately at 12:00 AM on May 1, 2021, and shall remain in effect until 11:59 PM on May 30, 2021, unless further modified or rescinded.

The County-wide State of Emergency orders all persons to wear a mask or face covering in public spaces to include commercial establishments, public places, government buildings, or any time people gather in groups of 10 or more. Masks or face coverings are required to properly cover the nose and mouth.

Physical/social distance of six feet between persons is required to the extent that it is possible. Additionally, everyone is to wash their hands with soap and water or use an alcohol based hand sanitizer regularly.

The State of Emergency allows for municipalities to impose a more restrictive order as it relates to COVID-19.

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Thank you,

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