

# **CITY OF MENIFEE**

SUBJECT: Termination of Local Emergency Pertaining to COVID-19

MEETING DATE: April 19, 2023

TO: Mayor and City Council

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#### **RECOMMENDED ACTION**

1. Adopt a resolution terminating the local emergency and all related executive orders and resolutions still in effect related to the COVID-19 pandemic.

## **DISCUSSION**

In December 2019, an outbreak of respiratory illness known as COVID-19 was discovered in China and eventually spread, impacting various countries, including the United States. In response, the National Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), State of California, and local health departments, worked with cities to monitor, plan, and reduce the spread.

On March 18, 2020, the City Council, proclaimed a local emergency via Resolution No. 20-869 to mobilize local resources, coordinate emergency response, and seek reimbursement.

On February 28, 2023, Governor Gavin Newsom officially ended the COVID-19 State of Emergency. County of Riverside's emergency order expired the same day. Therefore, staff recommends termination of local emergency pertaining to COVID-19 via the adoption of the resolution attached.

# STRATEGIC PLAN OBJECTIVE

Safe and Vibrant Community

## FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact associated with the recommended action.

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# **ATTACHMENTS**

- 1. Resolution Terminating Local Emergency and Executive Orders Pertaining to COVID-19
- 2. Resolution No. 20-869