

RESOLUTION NO. _____, SERIES 2020

AN EMERGENCY RESOLUTION URGING THE GOVERNOR TO ALLOW CHIROPRACTORS TO OPERATE.

SPONSORED BY: COUNCILMEMBER JAMES PEDEN

WHEREAS, for many people, chiropractors are the main pain management method for back and joint pain;

WHEREAS, many people choose chiropractors over narcotics for pain relief;

WHEREAS, the Department of Homeland Security (“DHS”) has listed chiropractors among essential critical infrastructure workers;

WHEREAS, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (“CDC”) have provided acceptable guidelines for chiropractic operations;

WHEREAS, the other forty-nine (49) states are allowing chiropractic help under CDC guidelines; and

WHEREAS, this Resolution requires emergency consideration as authorized by Council Rule 7.01 because chiropractors provide essential care and needed services during a healthcare crisis.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OF THE LOUISVILLE/JEFFERSON COUNTY METRO GOVERNMENT (“THE COUNCIL”) AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION I: The Council asks the Governor to allow chiropractic services to resume in the state of Kentucky, under acceptable CDC guidelines.

SECTION II: This Resolution shall take effect upon its passage and approval.

Sonya Harward
Metro Council Clerk

David James
President of the Council

Greg Fischer
Mayor

Approval Date

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGALITY:

Michael J. O'Connell
Jefferson County Attorney

BY: _____

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