

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE
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DERRY TOWNSHIP DECLARATION OF EMERGENCY FOR COVID-19

Derry Township continues to closely monitor the growing outbreak of COVID-19 and are regularly discussing protocols and recommendations based on the information available from the Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), as well as the local and state health departments.

The Derry Township Board of Supervisors has declared a declaration of emergency response to the COVID-19 virus. The Board of Supervisors declared this emergency following similar declarations made by the President of the United States, the Governor of Pennsylvania, the Westmoreland County Commissioners, and other local communities. This declaration allows the use of federal, state, county, and local resources to assist with the mitigation of this pandemic if necessary.

In an abundance of caution and in the best interest of our community, we are proceeding with the following actions:

The Board of Supervisors' Public Meeting on Tuesday, April 7, 2020 will take place at 3:30 p.m. and will be closed to the public. The agenda for the meeting will be posted on the Township website by 12:00 p.m. on Friday, April 3, 2020. Those wishing to make public comment on the agenda can do so by sending to derrytownship@comcast.net or calling 724-694-8835 by 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 7, 2020.

We will continue to stay in close contact with the appropriate officials, health experts, and the CDC. We appreciate your patience and consideration during this unprecedented event.