



**CITY OF NOVI CITY COUNCIL
DECEMBER 21, 2020**

SUBJECT: Consideration to approve amendment to the resolution temporarily authorizing an extension of the temporary signage from December 31, 2020, until March 31, 2021.

SUBMITTING DEPARTMENT: City Manager

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: City Council has previously approved resolutions authorizing additional temporary signs for businesses in the City. The most recent resolution expires at the end of the year. To mirror the timeline permitting expanded outdoor seating until March 31, 2021, City Administration recommends the additional extension for temporary signs. The goal of this resolution and others recently passed by City Council is to provide additional support to establishments that were closed or severely limited initially by the Governor's Executive Orders and now the successor MDHHS order to reduce the spread of COVID-19.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve the resolution temporarily authorizing an extension of the temporary signage from December 31, 2020, until March 31, 2021.

CITY OF NOVI

COUNTY OF OAKLAND, MICHIGAN

**RESOLUTION REGARDING ADDITIONAL TEMPORARY SIGNAGE IN LIGHT OF COVID-19
PANDEMIC**

Minutes of a Meeting of the City Council of the City of Novi, County of Oakland, Michigan, held in the City Hall of said City on _____, _____, at ____ o'clock P.M. Prevailing Eastern Time.

PRESENT: Councilmembers _____

ABSENT: Councilmembers _____

The following preamble and Resolution were offered by Councilmember _____ and supported by Councilmember _____.

WHEREAS; on June 1, 2020 the City Council adopted a "Resolution Regarding Outdoor Gathering Authorization and Requirements For Reopening Certain Retail And Restaurant/Bar Businesses In Light of Covid-19 Pandemic," which effectively relaxed certain regulations for the operation of retail and restaurant/bar businesses in the City in light of the ongoing Covid-19 restrictions on occupancy and social distancing limitations; and

WHEREAS; the City Council had previously, on March 23, 2020 adopted a resolution allowing businesses one additional temporary sign under the temporary promotional signage provision of the City's sign ordinance, Section 28-6(g), which resolution was amended on June 1, 2020 to allow a second additional temporary sign; and

WHEREAS; the current expiration date for the resolution is December 31, 2020

WHEREAS; the City Council has determined that it is appropriate for that date to be extended; and

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS THEREFORE RESOLVED: City Council hereby amends Temporary Temporary Outdoor Signage Resolution to include extending the termination date set forth in section 4. F. to March 31, 2021. This resolution shall remain in effect until March 31, 2021 or until revoked, terminated, or amended by action of the City Council.

AYES:

NAYS:

RESOLUTION DECLARED ADOPTED.

Cortney Hanson, City Clerk

CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of a resolution adopted by the City Council of the City of Novi, County of Oakland, and State of Michigan, at a regular meeting held this _____ day of _____, 2020, and that public notice of said meeting was given pursuant to and in full compliance with Act No. 267, Public Acts of Michigan, 1976, and that the minutes of said meeting have been kept and made available to the public as required by said Act.

Cortney Hanson, City Clerk
City of Novi