



The City of Chicopee has transitioned to daily updates as the COVID-19 situation has warranted a centralized/increase in the distribution of information. These updates are intended to keep all informed of the actions being taken to reduce the impacts of Coronavirus on the community.

On Friday, June 12, 2020, the following City of Chicopee Departments has reported:

#### **Mayor's Office**

- The state reported a slight increase in numbers which may be related to increase of testing or from the Memorial Day weekend. They are still reviewing the numbers;
  - Testing increased to over 12,000 and June 9<sup>th</sup> was 5,300
  - 519 new cases
  - 38 deaths
- Food insecurity is an issue and new grants are being issued. There is a \$41 million pool of funds available and may help the Boys and Girls Club, Lorraine's, Senior Center or other food distribution sites
- We will be holding a media advisory on Tuesday before the Council and Mayor's briefing. Anyone who wants to present a message is welcomed
- Need to continue to make progress and abide by guidelines and rules

#### **Health Department**

- We had one new case reported today, none yesterday and only one the day before. Chicopee has 65 cases open, 316 recovered and 42 N/A. We unfortunately have 8 deaths. The trend here is still good
- The team is inspecting outdoor dining applicants
- The school nurses will work the summer to help with cases and contact tracing

#### **Police Department**

- Status quo on department and services
- Working with Health Department on inspections and enforcement
- Have not changed on being informational and educational in our approach to COVID matters and getting cooperation from businesses and individuals

## **Fire Department**

- The Department is status quo with staffing and supplies. All staff is healthy

## **Emergency Management**

- We are status quo continuing with services

## **OSHA Safety**

- Status Quo for PPE, gloves, masks and supplies
- Working with Police and Schools on gowns
- Have storage space at Baskin Drive office for PPE

## **COA**

- Status Quo on services and staffing
- Meal deliveries and pickup may be a challenge after June 30<sup>th</sup>. Most COAs are extending meal service and look like they will continue throughout summer. We do not have the resources for 250 meals a day and will need additional funds. Looking for grants

## **DPW**

- Status quo with full staffing
- Parks and Rec will not be able to open the pools but looks like spray parks and splash pads will be open
- Hazardous waste pick up will be Saturday and expect to be back operational on Tuesday