



## Mayor Vieau - COVID-19 Situational Update

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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 Wednesday, July 15, 2020, the following City of Chicopee Departments has reported:

### Mayor's Office

- MA reported progress in reducing infections;
  - 203 new cases were reported
  - There were 10 deaths reported yesterday
  - Massachusetts has over 105,900 cases
- Massachusetts is showing stable numbers and continues asking for public cooperation with COVID-19 protocols
- The state has established a complaint site for citizens to report businesses not complying with the COVID directives. Reports will be sent from the state to our Board of Health for follow-up
- Our approach continues to be one of education and informing business owners and if they fail to comply then move towards enforcement actions

### Health

- Chicopee has 39 open cases
  - Three new cases were reported today, there were three on Saturday, three on Sunday, and none on Monday
  - We have 393 recovered cases and 45 N/A
  - Still at 10 deaths
- There was an outbreak at a large wholesale warehouse resulting in six cases in Chicopee. Those residents had significant contact with individuals in Longmeadow and Connecticut
- We have monitored two Chicopee warehouses to make sure their systems are adequate and they do not spread the virus in Massachusetts or Connecticut with deliveries



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### Police Department

- Status quo on services and staffing.
- Conducting inspections of establishments

### Fire Department

- Status quo with staffing and supplies

### Emergency Management

- Services continue and status is good
- Expecting a trailer of PPE from MEMA with 50,000 N95 masks, 50,000 surgical masks, 1,000 face shields, 1,000 gowns, and other materials
- Will be stored at School Office on James Street
- Hampden County and Connecticut numbers look good. Connecticut only had 20 new total and Massachusetts is low

### Safety

- Status Quo on services and staffing
- Have identified a vendor who can supply quality PPE at good price to maintain supply if MEMA does not come through with shipment

### DPW

- Status quo on staffing and services

### Treasurer

- Working on reimbursement request