



## Mayor Vieau - COVID-19 Situational Update

*We are in this together!*

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 Monday, July 13, 2020, the following City of Chicopee Departments has reported:

### Mayor's Office

- MA reported progress in reducing infections;
  - Testing completed were over 7,000
  - 172 new cases were reported
  - There were 15 deaths reported yesterday
  - Massachusetts has over 105,000 cases
- Massachusetts is showing stable numbers and continues asking for public cooperation with COVID-19 protocols
- We will continue with these meetings and sharing information

### Health

- Chicopee has 49 open cases
  - Three new cases were reported today, three on Saturday but two were in the same family
  - We have 380 recovered cases and 45 N/A
  - Still at 10 deaths
- There are a number of complaints being lodged against other businesses and establishments. We have gotten complaints about gyms not being socially distant and members not wearing masks. A liquor store was mentioned not to have clerks and customers wearing face coverings. Also, a Chinese restaurant was mentioned not to have wait staff wearing face coverings. Working with Police to review the complaints and check the stores.

### 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
- Working on a stockpile of PPE for future use and outbreaks. Have month storage in DPW on Baskin Drive and additional storage at School Street warehouse on James Street

## **COA**

- Status Quo on services and staffing
- Increasing meals to 300 per week due to demand
- Had 275 meals last Friday and 120 weekend meals

## **DPW**

- Working on new uniforms for workers
- Status quo on staffing and services
- Working overtime for items that were not taken care of during COVID limitations

## **Treasurer**

- Working on reimbursement through state and FEMA