



Sue
Lynch
MAYOR

For Immediate Release:

March 16, 2020

Mayor Sue Lynch's City Wide All Call Regarding City Building Closures to the Public

Portage Residents:

This is Mayor Sue Lynch. As a result of the current international pandemic of the COVID-19 virus and its potential serious health effects to our employees and residents, I'm issuing an executive order closing all city buildings to the public, effective immediately. During this time city employees will be working and available to answer your phone calls and emails. All police, fire and emergency services will remain operational for all essential business. Please check the police and fire department websites for further information. Trash pick up will continue as usual unless otherwise notified. Please do not leave any additional items outside of your Toters at this time. All regularly scheduled public meetings are canceled until further notice. Utility bills may be paid by mail online or placed in the payment box outside of City Hall. Again, please follow the CDC preventative measures to help control and contain the spread of the COVID-19 virus which includes limiting gatherings to no more than 50 people. Remember to keep a social distance from others and wash your hands frequently and please cover your sneezes and coughs. For further information go to www.cdc.gov. If you are experiencing an emergency please call 911. This order will remain in effect until further notice.

Thank you.