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PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY GOVERNMENT

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

EXECUTIVE ORDER No. 3 – 2023

RESCISSION OF COVID-19 VACCINATION AND TESTING REQUIREMENTS FOR COUNTY EMPLOYEES, VOLUNTEERS, AND CONTRACTORS

March 8, 2023

WHEREAS, Section 14-111 of the Public Safety Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland provides for the declaration of a Local State of Emergency; and

WHEREAS, Subtitle 6 of the Prince George's County Code provides for the declaration of a Local State of Emergency by the County Executive and provides authority to issues rules and regulations as deemed necessary to control the situation; and

WHEREAS, Executive Order 19-2021, superseded by Executive Order 22-2021, mandated that all County Employees, Volunteers, and Contractors either be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 or produce, on a weekly basis, a negative diagnostic test result within the preceding seven calendar days prior to reporting to working for the County; and

WHEREAS, the vaccination rate among all County Employees, Volunteers, and Contractors is such that the mandate is no longer necessary to ensure the continued safe and orderly operation of County agencies and delivery services to the community.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that Executive Order 22-2021 is rescinded pursuant to Section 14-111 of the Public Safety Article of the Annotated Code of Maryland and Subtitle 6 of the Prince George's County Code; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the required vaccination and testing requirements previously mandated for all County employees, volunteers, and contractors are no longer in effect; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that if any provisions of this Executive Order or its application to any person, entity, or circumstance is held invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction, all other provisions or applications of the Order shall remain in effect to the extent possible without the invalid provision or application. To achieve this purpose, the provisions of this Executive Order are severable.



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