

RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, Plymouth Township (“Township”) provides, through its Parks & Recreation Department (“Department”), certain after-school programs, as well as swimming and basketball programs (collectively, “Programs”) for students in kindergarten and grades 1 through 8 who are residents of the Township; and,

WHEREAS, the Programs are conducted at the Greater Plymouth Community Center (“Center”) and are offered to students (“Students”) attending public or private schools in neighboring school districts (collectively, “Schools”); and

WHEREAS, Plymouth Township Council recognizes that there is a current threat of the spread of the virus known as the Coronavirus, or covid-19, and desires to establish a policy to become effective in the event that any of the above-identified Schools is closed due to the effects of the Coronavirus.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, as follows:

1. That the Policy Regarding Township Student Programs/Effect of Coronavirus, attached hereto as Exhibit “A,” is hereby adopted as a policy of Plymouth Township until further notice; and
2. That the Township Manager is authorized and directed to revise the attached policy if and when such revision is mandated by other governmental agencies having jurisdiction, including but not limited to the Montgomery County Office of Public Health, or any State or Federal agency having jurisdiction.

DULY PRESENTED AND ADOPTED, by Plymouth Township Council at a public meeting held on the 9th day of March, 2020.

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By: Christopher G. Manero

EXHIBIT A

Plymouth Township

Policy Regarding Township Student Programs
Effect of Coronavirus

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In recognition of the current threat of the spread of the virus known as the Coronavirus, or covid-19, the Township desires to establish this policy to become effective in the event that any of the Schools is closed due to the effects of the Coronavirus.

1. Objectives of this Policy

The Township’s objectives in establishing this policy are to provide policies and procedures for:

- Ensuring the safety of Students and all others using the Center, including Township employees and other Township residents attending activities or programs at the Center; and
- Establishing protocols for the use of the Center in the event of closings of any of the Schools.

2. Use of the Center

In the event any of the Schools is closed due to concerns regarding the Coronavirus (an “Applicable Event”), the following shall apply to the use of the Center:

- Subject to any protocol and/or guidance established by the Montgomery County Office of Public Health (“OPH”), the Program at the Center will be open to any Student who has registered for, and who holds an annual or monthly pass for, the Center, subject to the following:
 - Each Student using the Center during an Applicable Event shall be accompanied by an adult.
- The Township reserves the right without prior notice to close the Center in the event such action is mandated by OPH.

Policy approved by Plymouth Township Council on March 9, 2020.