

CITY OF TUPELO, MISSISSIPPI
EXECUTIVE ORDER 21-002

I, Jason L. Shelton, Mayor of the city of Tupelo, Mississippi, pursuant to my authority as the executive officer of the City, hereby issues this executive order pursuant to the terms herein stated:

WHEREAS on March 4, 2021 I issued Executive Order 21-001 requiring that all persons having business inside a City of Tupelo municipal building to wear a face covering; and

WHEREAS free vaccines are now available to all persons in the State of Mississippi aged 18 and older; and

WHEREAS the City of Tupelo has made vaccines available to all City employees and family members at no cost to the employee; and

WHEREAS Mississippi currently has no statewide mask mandate but remains under a State of Emergency due to the ongoing effects of the COVID-19 pandemic.

THEREFORE, pursuant to my executive authority as Mayor of the City of Tupelo, Mississippi, I hereby rescind all previous City of Tupelo Executive Orders pertaining to the COVID-19 pandemic. All persons in the City of Tupelo are encouraged to adhere to the following:

1. Make time to have yourself vaccinated if you are eligible in the State of Mississippi.
2. Continue to wear a face covering before you are fully vaccinated, and when asked to do so by businesses and other members of the public.
3. Continue to be mindful that large social gatherings may still contribute to the spread of COVID-19.
4. Seek the guidance of a licensed physician if you begin to experience symptoms of COVID-19
5. Any statewide mandates pertaining to the COVID-19 pandemic issued by Governor Tate Reeves remain enforceable in the City of Tupelo.
6. The CDC and local health professionals remain the best sources for guidance pertaining to the COVID-19 pandemic.

This the 15th day of April 2021.


Jason L. Shelton, Mayor

Attest:


Kim Hanna, City Clerk and CFO

