Situational Awareness

- In the last seven days, 52 Livonia residents have tested positive for COVID-19.
- The chief medical officers of 110 of Michigan’s 137 hospitals released a joint statement saying that “If Michigan doesn’t change its approach to this disease, we could have crowded hospital emergency departments and approach exceeding the capacity of our hospitals as we did in southeast Michigan this past spring.”
- The State of Michigan announced 1,873 new individuals have tested positive for COVID-19 in results received in the last 24 hours. The seven-day daily average for new positive individuals is 1,603 statewide.
- Today, the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services (MDHHS) announced an additional 43 Michigan residents have died from COVID-19. October is on pace to be the third deadliest month of the pandemic in Michigan, behind only April and May.
- Michigan residents can find a list of free COVID-19 testing sites near them online through the State of Michigan’s website.
- According to a report released by the University of Michigan School of Public Health and MDHHS, about 25% of individuals who have had COVID-19 report that they have not recovered back “to their usual state of health” up to even 18 weeks after the onset of their symptoms.
- A new order from MDHHS outlines indoor visitation practices for nursing homes and long-term care facilities in Michigan. As of right now, southeast Michigan facilities can allow indoor visitation as long as there has not been a new COVID-19 case in the facility in the last 14 days.

Actions Taken

- Navigating the upcoming Halloween holiday in the time of COVID-19 is different than ever before. The City is sharing recommendations from the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention that will help ensure a safe, healthy Halloween for all participating.
- All City facilities continue to enforce Centers for Disease and Control Prevention guidance for social distancing and mask-wearing in all facilities. Residents are encouraged to conduct their business with the City remotely.
- On Tuesdays and Thursdays throughout October, the City of Livonia Clerk’s Office is offering two additional hours for residents to conduct election business. On those days, the Clerk’s Office remains open until 7 p.m. to serve Livonia voters. Residents can come to City Hall or call (734) 466-2230 for assistance. Voters can return their absentee ballots using the newly installed drop box on the east side of City Hall.

More Information

- Wayne County COVID-19 information line: (734) 287-7870