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## **City Manager Update**

The City of Gardena would like to remind everyone to Stay Home and Stay Healthy. The Police Department has received several calls of people not heeding to the County "Safer at Home" Order and have issued warnings to businesses that are not complying. The City of Gardena intends to comply with this order. As a reminder, violations of this order are a misdemeanor.

The Police Department can assist any business owner who is unable to open their business under the County Order and is concerned about security. For a "Business Check," please call (310) 323-7911 and we will dispatch a unit to check your business.

Since March 16, 2020, the Gardena Police Department has not cited for street sweeping violations. However, we will continue citing for other parking violations that cause a traffic hazard, such as parking along a red curb. Please park legally.

As always, please continue to take the proper safety actions against COVID-19:

- Stay home when you are sick.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for a minimum of 20 seconds.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Limit close contact with others, practice social distancing and stay home as much as possible.
- Get the flu shot if you have not done so already.

Sincerely,

Clint Osorio City Manager

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