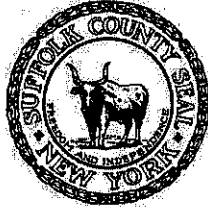


COUNTY OF SUFFOLK



OFFICE OF THE COUNTY EXECUTIVE

Steve Bellone  
COUNTY EXECUTIVE

**LOCAL EMERGENCY ORDER No. 2**  
**UNDER § 24 OF ARTICLE 2-B OF THE EXECUTIVE LAW**

Local Emergency Order for:

**The closing and regulation of all school facilities providing education for grades kindergarten through twelve, both public and private, located within the County of Suffolk, State of New York.**

I, Steven Bellone, the Chief Executive of Suffolk County, in accordance with a Proclamation of a State of Emergency issued on March 12, 2020 and pursuant to Section 24 of the New York State Executive Law and my power thereunder to regulate the closing of places of amusement and assembly, do hereby

**Order, that due to the continuing threat to the public health, safety and welfare of Suffolk County residents and visitors posed by public gatherings, all school facilities will be closed for student instruction and activities beginning 12:01 a.m., March 16, 2020, however, facilities may be used by administrators and teachers for local district needs including, but not limited to, planning purposes, distance based education, day care and temporary grab and go meal programs.**

**Order, that this Order shall not apply to any program or school approved or operated by the New York State Education Department and/or Office for People with Developmental Disabilities, to the extent it provides education in a residential setting to school aged children.**

**Order, that all Suffolk Departments, Agencies, and Divisions take whatever steps are necessary to assist in performing such emergency measures as deemed necessary; and I further order that,**

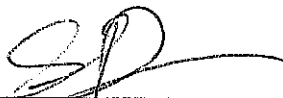
This order shall cease to be in effect five (5) days after promulgation or upon declaration by the County Executive that the state of emergency no longer exists, whichever occurs sooner. The County Executive nevertheless, may extend such orders for additional periods not to exceed five (5) days each during the pendency of the local state of emergency. Failure to obey this order is a criminal offense, punishable by law under New York State Executive Law § 24 (5).

Dated: March 15, 2020  
4:00 P.M.

Hauppauge, New York.



Steven Bellone  
County Executive



Name (Witness) Stephen Randazzo  
Title: County Executive Assistant V  
Date: 3/15/20