

**5/21/20 AGENDA, ITEM 1 - CONSIDERATION OF MODIFICATION OF EMERGENCY ORDER
SUPPLEMENTAL EMAIL SUBMITTED BY RAYMOND DUSSAULT TO THE CITY MANAGER'S
OFFICE ON 5/21/20 AT 12:24 P.M.**

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Subject: Tonight's Emergency Meeting

Dear Council,

It is heartening to see you responding to the community. However, we are way behind everyone else.

The Manhattan Beach City Council just voted 5-0 to allow their retail establishments to open up. This shows great leadership, compassion and an eye on the future.

I appreciate that now that Supv. Hahn has opened all bike paths (and the science is overwhelming that there is minimal risk for biking) you are considering opening ours. Definitely, please do open bike paths unanimously.

However, our businesses are dying! None of you know what it's like to own a business but please add opening all Hermosa retail immediately to your agenda tonight. It was a courageous move and you are capable of the same courage. We constantly hear, "We have to be in line with our neighbors." Well, get in line with Manhattan Beach on this issue.

Unfortunately, the State holds the power through ABC over restaurants and bars but opening retail will save many businesses and send a clear signal to the county and the state.

Please add this email to tonight's council agenda.

Sincerely,

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