



**Gary Christenson, Mayor**

**CITY OF MALDEN  
EXECUTIVE ORDER  
EFFECTIVE Monday, August 30, 2021**

**WHEREAS**, the incidence of the COVID-19 virus, hospitalization and serious illness related to the virus continues in the Commonwealth; and

**WHEREAS**, in response to the recent spread of the Delta variant, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has issued updated guidelines advising that individuals, regardless of vaccination status, wear masks in public indoor settings when in areas with substantial or high transmission; and

**WHEREAS**, in my discretion as the Mayor of the City of Malden, and in consultation with the Director of the Board of Health, I have determined that given the increase in the number of COVID-19 cases in the City of Malden, implementing the actions herein will assist and promote the general welfare of city employees and residents.

**NOW THEREFORE**, I, Mayor Gary Christenson, in coordination with the Director of the Health Department, pursuant to 310 CMR 11.05, 105 CMR 300.200 and all other authorizing statutes and regulations, acting by and through its agent authorized under MGL c. 111, §30, hereby order:

1. Any person over the age of (2) two must cover their nose and mouth with a mask/face covering when inside a municipal building, except where a person is unable to wear a mask or face covering due to a medical condition.
2. This mask requirement includes all employees and visitors in Malden City Hall, Police and Fire Stations, the Department of Public Works, the Malden Public Library, Senior Center, Teen Center and Parking Department.

ISSUED IN MALDEN ON THIS 26<sup>th</sup> day of August 2021:

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**GARY CHRISTENSON**  
Mayor, City of Malden

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Christopher Webb  
Director, Malden Board of Health