

March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2020

## Good Afternoon-

Last night the Council discussed the City's ongoing strategic plan and response to the COVID-19 situation. This morning's AJC reported two presumptive cases in Dekalb County. As the CDC website states, this is an "emerging, rapidly evolving situation." We continue to both monitor and adjust our preparation daily.

Within the next two days the city website will include a dedicated page for information on COVID-19. Any necessary changes to city schedules or city functions will be posted on this page, as well as useful public health information. Chief Green will continue her regular postings on FaceBook as well.

Take a moment for a compassionate inventory of your household and your surrounding neighbors: if you want to be added to the Well Check list, let us know. Be aware of residents who might need an extra hand—-a trip to the grocery store—if their health is possibly at risk.

As always, we are a city uniquely suited to rise to any occasion, be it the support of each other during the crisis as it happens or the celebration of the crisis as it went away.

Ok. Time to wash my hands again.

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Preventing COVID-19 Spread in Communities:

https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-

ncov/community/index.html?CDC\_AA\_refVal=https%3A%2F%2Fwww.cdc.gov%2Fcoronavirus%2F2019-ncov%2Fpreparing-individuals-communities.html

## Choosing hand sanitizer:

https://www.propublica.org/article/coronavirus-hand-sanitizers-cdc-recommended-alcohol