City of Dallas
Sailing Clubs – Reopening Requirements

To ensure compliance with the Social Distancing Requirements of the Stay Home Stay Safe Order as it relates to the Outdoor Fee Based Partners for City of Dallas park activity, the City of Dallas Park and Recreation Department has developed the following plan to reopen sailing clubs with City guidelines developed in accordance to State, County, and City public health safety orders.

During the effective period of the Dallas County Stay Home Stay Safe Order issued on March 24, 2020 (as may be modified), City of Dallas sailing clubs may reopen with adherence to the protocols, directives and requirements listed below.

Any non-compliance with these requirements or those in place by the State, County, and/or City of Dallas will result in the Outdoor Fee Based programs operating at City parks being suspended. Participant who fail to adhere to these requirements will be required to leave the property.

1. Follow and require compliance with all Social Distancing Requirements of the Stay Home Stay Safe Order, which include maintaining at least six-foot social distancing from other individuals, washing hands with soap and water for at least twenty seconds as frequently as possible or using hand sanitizer, covering coughs or sneezes (into the sleeve or elbow, not hands), regularly cleaning high-touch surfaces and equipment, and not shaking hands.

2. Requirements in place under the Stay Home Stay Safe Order and require that participants and staff replace handshakes, high-fives, etc. with other touch-less forms of greeting and celebrations.

3. Members shall wear masks while on the docks and will remove them only when on their boats and when their boats are on the water. Acceptable masks include homemade masks, scarves, bandanas or handkerchiefs.

4. Clubs will place containers of hand sanitizers at the entrances to their clubs and will keep bathrooms stocked with soap.

5. Members will be permitted to sail single-handed boats, i.e., boats with one person on board.

6. Members will be permitted to sail boats with more than one person on board only if those people currently live with one another, e.g., family members.

7. Until permitted by the City of Dallas, sailing will be for recreational purposes only.

8. Clubs will continue to not hold organized activities until permitted by the City of Dallas. Examples of such organized activities that will not take place include organized racing, meetings, social events, sailing education courses, and workdays.

9. These rules will be emailed out to members and posted at the entrances to the clubs.

10. Ensure approved antimicrobial products are used for all sanitation procedures.

11. Train all staff on hygiene, sanitation and about epidemic prevention and control.

12. Ensure any equipment that is used in the operations are wiped down and sanitized after each user and before checking out to the next individual to use the equipment.