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### **CITY OF GREENBELT ENDS COVID-19 EMERGENCY DECLARATION**

**GREENBELT, MD —March 11, 2022 —** GREENBELT, MD - On March 9, at 5 pm, the COVID-19 emergency declaration in Prince George's County expired. Following this announcement from Prince George's County Executive Angela Alsobrooks, the City of Greenbelt has decided that the emergency declaration within Greenbelt city limits will expire on March 11, 2022, at 5 pm.

"We are all pleased to see that all of our methods of fighting COVID-19 are working. We have come a very long way and commend everyone for playing a very important role in making our area a little bit safer," said City of Greenbelt Mayor Emmitt V. Jordan.

While the positivity rates continue to decrease in our area, we encourage residents to remain vigilant with continuing to get vaccinated, practice good hand hygiene and practice social distancing. Remember, if you have been exposed or have COVID-19 symptoms, regardless of vaccination status, get tested.

To view the Prince George's County Executive's announcement visit:

<https://www.greenbeltmd.gov/home/showpublisheddocument/19441/637825968821786734>

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#### **About Greenbelt**

The City of Greenbelt is a diverse, welcoming community of 25,000 residents and 600 businesses located just outside of Washington, D.C. It is widely known as an affordable public cooperative community, founded in the New Deal era. Greenbelt prioritizes being environmentally friendly, and enjoys an abundance of parks, trails, and lakes. The 1,100-acre Greenbelt Park includes the Henry A. Wallace Beltsville Agricultural Research Center (BARC) and is managed by the National Park Service. The City has a national historic landmark district and is home to the nation's first space flight complex, the NASA Goddard Flight Center. For more information on the city, go to [www.GreenbeltMD.gov](http://www.GreenbeltMD.gov).