Mandatory social distancing ends indoors, outdoors; gathering limits to end June 4

By JACK FICHTER

CAPE MAY — Residents of The Meadows of Cape Island condominiums in La-ayette Street and St. James Street met recently to discuss the complex’s sizeable parking spaces.

During a council meeting May 18, City Manager Mike Voll said the city received a letter from a resident on the opposite side of the street from the condominiums asking why parking spots could not be created in front of the condominium complex. Voll said he checked with county engineer Bob Corrado and found no reason why more parking spaces could not be created.

“However, we found that in 2010, originally, Ordinance 210-2010, it is a no parking zone,” he said.

By doing so, Voll said. He said and no parking zone exists from Washington Street, at the curb by the gas station, all the way to Madison Avenue. Voll said this ordinance was passed to protect condominium residents.

“From the record, the sign are back up. It’s no parking zone,” he said.

During public comment, Meryl Nelson, president of the Meadows of Cape Island Association, thanked the city for removing the parking spots.

“Thank you for the opportunity to come in and make our case,” he said.

There are a lot of people that haven’t put a marijuana license in, so we’ve got an opportunity to come in and make the case,” he said.

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