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R.L. Oatman & Associates, Inc. has been carefully reviewing and analyzing all of the data provided by the state of Maryland in reference to the coronavirus pandemic. Mayor Young of Baltimore City has stated "even though the state of Maryland is relaxing the state mandated stay-at-home order, nothing will change as far as Baltimore City is concerned." All current restrictions on Baltimore City will remain in place indefinitely until certain criteria are met as follows: increase testing from approximately 500/day to 2700-2800/day, a decline in both the number of deaths and new cases of the coronavirus.

Approved Activities For Baltimore City Updated May 14, 2020

Continue to wear face coverings in public and practice social distancing of at least six feet from other people you do not live with.

- **Go to the grocery store**
- **Go to the pharmacy**
- **Travel to work (essential personnel)**
- **Travel to work (non-essential personnel)**
Individuals may travel to their non-essential business to maintain property and conduct minimal operations
- **Travel for health treatment for yourself, a family member, a friend, or a pet**
- **Travel for certain preventative and screening health related services for yourself, a family member, or a pet.**
Preventative health is important. We encourage residents to use their best judgement in scheduling preventative healthcare appointments.
- **Outdoor Exercise**
Individual outdoor exercise while practicing social distancing is permitted, however group fitness classes are unallowable.
- **Gatherings larger than 10 persons**
Gatherings of any kind are discouraged
- **In-Person Religious Services**
As with the previous stay at home order, in-person religious services may only be offered in parking areas with attendees remaining inside their appropriately spaced vehicles.
- **Programming at Senior Centers**
- **Restaurants and Bars**
Carry out and delivery service is allowed. In-facility service is not allowed.
- **Fitness Centers**
- **Theaters**
- **Enclosed Malls**
- **Recreational Establishments**

Symbols: ● Unaffected ● Modified ● Suspended

For more information on COVID-19, visit coronavirus.baltimorecity.gov



Bernard C. "Jack" Young
Mayor

In light of this information we cannot effectively conduct our program due to the above restrictions and provide the quality instruction we are known for.



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R.L. Oatman & Associates, Inc. feels the responsible action is to cancel our June 7 Day Dignitary and Executive Protection Program for that reason and to insure the health and safety of our students and their families, and our staff and their families.

This is the first time in the history of R.L. Oatman & Associates 7 Day Programs which began in 1994 that we have cancelled one of our programs and we feel the situation is beyond our control to keep everyone safe from the coronavirus. Our program is known for our unique teaching style, camaraderie, and the networking available to all of our students. We feel that should we continue with our June 2020 program; many aspects of our training will not be up to our expectations thus not as effective as a learning tool for our students due to restraints placed upon both the students and staff for health safety precautions.

As a result of the cancellation, we are moving all of the students from our June 2020 program to our October 4 – 10, 2020 program. Mr. Oatman has personally contacted as many of you as possible to convey this information. If these dates do not work with your schedule, please let us know so we can remove you from the attendance list. We expect the October Program to fill quickly. If you have paid previously, or we have your credit card information, or we have a check, we can just transfer it to the October program. If you would need the check back, or to change credit card information just let us know.

Mr. Oatman will be mailing an advanced token of his appreciation for the members of Class #50. At your earliest convenience we are requesting a current mailing address for all students – an address where you are currently working/living.

We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused you in preparation for this program. Please stay safe. Fee free to contact us with any questions you may have via phone at 410-494-1126 - Dale, 443-831-2818 – Bob, or 443-520-3085 – Andrea.

Bob Oatman