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DENVER — To help mitigate the spread of COVID-19, Mayor Michael B. Hancock has extended the state of emergency for 27 days. The move comes after the city and county of Denver issued the state of emergency on March 15 and has since seen a rise in cases. The mayor's order is in line with the governor's stay-at-home order, which is expected to be extended.

Colorado Gov. Jared Polis' executive order has not been revoked yet. The governor has extended the order for another 15 days.

Denver released a COVID-19 update on Friday. Denver is one of the cities with the highest number of cases. The city and county of Denver have implemented measures to help prevent the spread of the virus, including a mandatory mask order. More information can be found at denvergov.org or @DenverOEM.