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Effective Tuesday March 31, 2020 at noon, the Avon Boardwalk will be closed until further notice. The beach will remain open at this time with access available at the entrance on East End Avenue and Washington Avenue (Entrance that leads to the jetty.) The narrow sidewalk on the east side of Ocean Avenue will also be closed. We regret having to take this action, but with today's decisions by Belmar and Bradley Beach to close their boardwalks, and the prior closures of the Asbury Park, Spring Lake, Sea Girt and Manasquan boardwalks/beaches, we can expect to encounter the crowds that they have been experiencing over the past weeks.

We are also closing the tennis courts, basketball courts, tennis wall at Volunteer Park and ballfield on Main Street. In light of other towns closing their courts and facilities, residents from other areas have started using our open facilities. With the weather getting warmer, that trend will only increase. We regret having to take these actions, but as the situation has evolved in town, we have been forced to take more aggressive measures. We appreciate your continued cooperation as we address the COVID -19 virus.

Ed Bonanno, Mayor