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**City of Lowell to Host Mobile COVID-19 Vaccine Clinic in Highlands,
500 Moderna Doses to be Administered to Lowell Residents**

LOWELL, MA – The City of Lowell has announced that its second mobile COVID-19 vaccine clinic will take place on Monday, April 19 from 8:00 AM until 6:00 PM at 101 West Forest Street in the Highlands. 500 doses of Moderna COVID-19 vaccine will be administered to Lowell residents at the clinic.

Residents seeking a vaccination at the mobile site must make an appointment in advance. The clinic is scheduled for the first day of phase three of the Commonwealth's vaccine distribution timeline, meaning that all Lowell residents age 18 and over are eligible to register for the clinic. Appointments can be reserved online at: lowellma.gov/mobilevax, or by phone at: 978-228-3019.

The City of Lowell launched the strategy of administering shots to residents through pop-up mobile clinics at neighborhood sites earlier this month, holding its first mobile clinic at the Robinson School in Centralville on Monday, March 12. The effort is intended to promote equity in the distribution of COVID-19 vaccinations and improve access to the vaccine among Lowell residents. The City intends to host mobile clinics weekly at sites throughout the City throughout the coming months. Residents are advised to remain alert to announcements of mobile clinics in their neighborhood.

Lowell's mobile clinics are operated under the direction of the Lowell Health Department by A Yankee Line, Inc. and Purple Shield Alert, which are partnering to run mobile vaccination units throughout the Commonwealth under a contract with the Department of Public Health.

In addition to mobile sites, the Lowell Health Department operates vaccination clinics for residents at the Lowell Senior Center. Clinic dates and the availability of appointments at this location vary depending on the City's vaccine allotment. When available, vaccination appointments are posted online at: lowellma.gov/lowellvax.

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