

Order #1

Local Health Plan for Calumet County – Phase A

In December, 2019, a novel strain of the coronavirus was detected, now named COVID-19, and it has spread throughout the world. COVID-19 was declared a Public Health Emergency of International Concern on January 30, 2020 and was ultimately declared a pandemic on March 11, 2020.

In Wisconsin, Governor Tony Evers declared a public health emergency on March 12, 2020 and directed all agencies to support efforts to respond to and contain COVID-19 in Wisconsin. At a national level, President Donald Trump proclaimed a National Emergency concerning COVID-19 on March 13, 2020.

While we work to slow COVID-19 across those jurisdictions overseen by the undersigned local health officer (referred to herein collectively as “Calumet County”), we are guided by the federal *Guidelines for Opening Up America Again* plan and the Wisconsin *Badger Bounce Back Plan* that both provide guidance and metrics that are designed to slowly and cautiously reopen businesses and activities in our communities. Moving the Local Health Plan for Calumet County is based on the foundations of federal and state guidance to slow the spread of COVID-19 and bring back our economy. The foundation for most public health and executive guidance has been based on “flattening the curve” to ensure healthcare capacity is not severely strained.

The prior Wisconsin Safer at Home Order worked to flatten the curve of infections of COVID-19 in Wisconsin, and Wisconsin saw meaningful gains from this proactive step. COVID-19 cases in Calumet County have been trending upward in recent weeks. With increasing testing capacity, we anticipate increased detection of new COVID-19 cases in the coming weeks that will correspond with identifying significant community transmission. This is a crucial time for Calumet County to maintain the momentum in containing COVID-19 in our community and slow further spread of the disease.

We know that the fight to contain COVID-19 is dynamic and ultimately is dependent long-term on the widespread availability of a vaccine and/or treatment. When deciding what action is necessary given current law, the local health officer within Calumet County considered various criteria including: guidance provided by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS), the rate of spread of COVID-19 in Wisconsin; the healthcare capacity to meet the needs of the County; the testing, contact tracing; the availability of personal protective equipment (“PPE”) for healthcare workers, first responders, and other public servants that are required to perform face-to-face services; and the economic needs of Wisconsin and Wisconsinites.

A measured, phased in-approach that utilizes data-driven gating criteria and aligns with federal and state metrics is needed for Calumet County. This plan outlines the measures needed now in Calumet County based on the above factors. Recognizing that Calumet County has made great progress in flattening the curve, we focus on the importance of continuation and resumption of businesses and activities for sectors of our economy that are able to operate with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements and Safe Business Practices in place. Moving into Phase B and beyond, the types of businesses of activities that are allowed to resume is expected to expand.

Local Health Plan for Calumet County Phases. The proposed phases and gating criteria of the Local Health Plan for Calumet County will be based on the above factors as well as emerging data and research. The specifics of upcoming orders will necessarily remain fluid and will be based on the above factors as well as emerging data and research.

Pursuant to Wis. Stat. § 252.03(1)&(2), the undersigned local health officer from Calumet County order the following:

1. Definitions. The following definitions apply to this order.

- a. **Child Care Setting.** "Child Care Setting" means all licensed and certified child care providers caring for any age or ages of children up to 18 years of age.
- b. **Essential Government Functions.** "Essential Government Functions" include all services provided by the State, Tribal, or local governments needed to ensure the continuing operation of the government body and provide and support the health, safety, and welfare of the public. Each government body shall determine its Essential Government Functions, if any, and identify employees and contractors necessary to the performance of those functions.
- c. **Minimum Basic Operations.** All for-profit and not for profit businesses shall be allowed to operate in order to perform the following minimum basic operations provided they comply with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements and Safe Business Practices:
 - i. **Basic functions.** The minimum necessary activities to maintain the value of the business's inventory, preserve the condition of the business's physical plant and equipment, ensure security, process payroll and employee benefits, or for related functions, including where these functions are outsourced to other entities.
 - ii. **Facilitating remote work.** The minimum necessary activities to facilitate employees of the business being able to continue to work remotely from their residences.
 - iii. **Delivery and mailings.** Minimum Basic Operations may include fulfilling nonessential deliveries, mailing parcels, or receiving parcels. Delivery or parcel services may not require a signature by the recipient.
- d. **Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements.** For purposes of this order and to the extent possible under applicable laws including but not limited to the Americans with Disabilities Act, "Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements" means:
 - i. Maintaining physical distancing of six (6) feet between people not residing in a single living unit or household;
 - ii. Washing hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds as frequently as possible or using hand sanitizer;
 - iii. Covering coughs or sneezes (into the sleeve or elbow, not hands);
 - iv. Regularly cleaning high-touch surfaces;
 - v. Not shaking hands;
 - vi. Use of a mask or cloth face covering. Note: the use of masks or cloth face coverings is strongly recommended but shall not be required due to equity concerns regarding the challenges that either may cause for individuals because of disabilities and/or shortages of PPE; and
 - vii. Following all other public health recommendations issued by State of Wisconsin Department of Health Services, and the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

- e. **Safe Business Practices.** For purposes of this order and to the extent possible under applicable laws including but not limited to the Americans with Disabilities Act, “Safe Business Practices” means:
 - i. Establishing, to the extent possible, curbside pick-up to reduce in-store traffic and mitigate outdoor lines;
 - ii. Establishing entry lines outside of the store with markings for patrons to enable them to stand at least six (6) feet apart from one another while waiting to enter a store. Stores are encouraged to also use alternatives to lines, including allowing customers to wait in their vehicles for a text message or phone call and scheduling pick-ups or entries to the store;
 - iii. Increasing standards of facility cleaning and disinfection to limit worker and patron exposure to COVID-19, as well as adopt protocols to clean and disinfect in the event of a positive COVID-19 case in the workplace;
 - iv. Adopting policies to prevent workers from entering the premises if they display respiratory symptoms or have had contact with a person with a confirmed diagnosis of COVID-19;
 - v. Facilitating remote work. The minimum necessary activities to facilitate employees of the business being able to continue to work remotely from their residences when possible; and
 - vi. WEDC provides industry-specific guidelines for safe practices. Calumet County encourages industries to utilize these detailed instructions on providing guidelines for necessary precautions to maximize safety.

2. Continuation and Resumption of Businesses and Activities. The following businesses and activities are allowed to continue operations, or open, in accordance with the conditions contained herein:

- a. **Essential Government Functions.** Essential government functions may continue to operate at the level determined by each local municipality.
 - i. All employees shall comply with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements.
 - ii. Government bodies should continue to follow the Wisconsin Department of Justice's Office of Open Government guidance regarding holding government meetings and should consult directly with that office regarding specific open meetings questions.¹ Government bodies with additional questions about open meetings requirements should consult with the Wisconsin Department of Justice's Office of Open Government.
- b. **Healthcare & Public Health Operations.** All healthcare and public health operations may operate. Healthcare and Public Health Operations shall be broadly construed to avoid any impediments to the delivery of healthcare, broadly defined. Such establishments shall:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices.
- c. **Human Service Operations.** For purposes of this order, individuals may leave their residence to work for or obtain services at any state, institutional, or community-based setting providing human services to the public.

Human Service Operations includes, but is not limited to: long-term care and assisted living facilities, as long as the facility follows all current DHS Recommendations for Prevention of COVID-19 in Long-Term Facilities and Assisted Living Facilities and all applicable U.S. Centers for Disease Control Recommendations; residential settings and shelters for adults, seniors, children, victims of domestic abuse, people with disabilities, people with substance use disorders, or mental illness; transitional facilities; home-based settings to provide services to individuals with physical, intellectual, or developmental disabilities, seniors, adults, or children; adult day care, adult day services, and supportive home care; field offices that provide and help to determine eligibility for basic needs including food, cash assistance, medical coverage, vocational services, or rehabilitation services; developmental centers; adoption agencies; businesses that provide food, shelter, social services, or other necessities of life for economically disadvantaged individuals, individuals with physical, intellectual, or developmental disabilities, or otherwise needy individuals.

Human Services Operations shall be construed broadly to avoid any impacts to the delivery of human services, broadly defined.

- d. **Essential Infrastructure.** For purposes of this Order, individuals may leave their residence to provide any services or perform any work necessary to offer, provide, operate, maintain, and repair Essential Infrastructure.

Essential Infrastructure includes, but is not limited to: food production, distribution, fulfillment centers, storage facilities, marinas, and sales; construction (including, but not limited to, construction required in response to this public health emergency, hospital construction, construction of long-term care and assisted living facilities, public works construction, school construction, Essential Business and Operations construction, construction necessary for Essential Governmental Functions, and housing construction, except that optional or aesthetic construction should be avoided except as permitted as a Minimum Basic Operation); building management and maintenance; airport operations; operation and maintenance of utilities, including water, sewer, gas, and electric (including power generation, distribution, production of raw materials, and Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources-certified and registered drinking water and wastewater testing laboratories); Wisconsin Home Energy Assistance, Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program, and Public Benefits Energy Assistance Program offices, customer service centers, and public intake centers; distribution centers; oil and biofuel refining; roads, highways, railroads; cybersecurity operations; flood control; solid waste and recycling collection and removal; and internet, video, and telecommunications systems (including the provision of essential global, national, and local infrastructure for computing services, business infrastructure, communications, and web-based services).

Essential Infrastructure shall be construed broadly to avoid any impacts to essential infrastructure, broadly defined.

- e. **Stores that sell food and medicine.** Grocery stores, bakeries, pharmacies, farmers markets and produce stands, supermarkets, food banks and food pantries, convenience stores, and other establishments engaged in the retail sale of groceries, canned food, frozen foods, fresh fruits and vegetables, pet supplies, fresh meats, fish, poultry, prepared food, alcoholic and non-alcoholic beverages, and any other household consumer products (such as cleaning and personal care products). Such establishments shall:
- i. Close all seating intended for consuming food;

- ii. Cease any self-service operations of salad bars, beverage stations, and buffets;
- iii. Prohibit food samples;
- iv. Except for grocery stores, farmers markets and produce stands, prohibit customers from self-dispensing all unpackaged food;
- v. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
- vi. Abide by Safe Business Practices.

This section should not be interpreted to provide an exemption for businesses engaged in the sale of food or beverage ancillary to their primary purpose, such as those businesses required to close under Section 5 of this order who also may engage in some food or beverage sales.

- f. **Food and beverage production, transport, and agriculture.** Food and beverage manufacturing, production, processing, transportation, and cultivation; farming, livestock, fishing, baking, and other production agriculture, including cultivation, marketing, production, and distribution of animals and goods for consumption; businesses that provide food, shelter, and other necessities of life for animals, including animal shelters, boarding, rescues, kennels, and adopting facilities; farm and agriculture equipment, supplies, and repair services may operate.
- g. **Retail Shopping Establishments.** Retail establishments, may open. Such establishments shall:
 - i. Limiting the number of individuals in a location to either 25% of the total occupancy limits established by the local municipality or four (4) individuals per 1,000 square feet of customer floor space;
 - ii. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
 - iii. Abide by Safe Business Practices.
- h. **Restaurants.** Restaurants may remain open only if they remain in compliance with the following:
 - i. Restaurants may remain open for food take-out or delivery service
 - ii. Outdoor seating may be opened;
 - iii. Alcohol sales shall comply with Section 2(i) below; and curbside pickup of alcohol in unopened containers;
 - iv. Customers may enter the above establishments only for the purpose of ordering, pick-up, and paying for food or beverages or both;
 - v. Only outdoor seating may be provided;
 - vi. Food and drink may not be consumed on premises, indoors;
 - vii. Establishments shall meet Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements among all individuals on the premises to the extent possible;
 - viii. Restaurants shall cease any self-service operations of salad bars, beverage stations, and buffets; and
 - ix. Customers are prohibited from self-dispensing any unpackaged food or beverage.
- i. **Bars.** This includes breweries, brewpubs, wineries, distilleries, and alcohol beverage retailers. Such establishments may remain open only if they remain in compliance with the following:
 - i. Carryout sales of alcohol beverages and food are allowed if permitted by state law and municipal ordinance;

- ii. Delivery of alcohol beverages to retail customers is prohibited;
 - iii. Wineries holding direct wine shippers' permits may make deliveries of wine in accordance with their permit;
 - iv. Breweries, wineries, and distilleries may continue manufacturing functions with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements in place;
 - v. Customers may enter the above establishments only for the purpose of ordering, pick up, and paying for food or beverage or both;
 - vi. Outdoor seating may be provided;
 - vii. Food and drink may only be consumed in designated outdoor seating areas; and
 - viii. Establishments shall meet Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements among all individuals on the premises to the extent possible.
 - ix. Local municipal ordinance rules apply.
- j. **Salons and Spas:** Hair salons, barber shops, nail salons, day spas, electrolysis providers, waxing salons, eyebrow-care establishments, tattoo parlors, body art establishments, and tanning facilities may open with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements and the following precautions in place:
- i. All workstations shall be at least six (6) feet apart;
 - ii. Only one client per individual providing services to clients is allowed in the business or facility at a time. No individuals should congregate in a common waiting area before or after their appointment;
 - iii. Staff shall wear a mask or cloth face covering while in the business or facility. Clients shall wear a mask or cloth face covering to the extent feasible while in the business or facility;
 - iv. Staff and clients shall be screened for COVID-19 symptoms upon entering the business or facility.
 - v. Chairs, workstations, tools, smocks/capes, shall be sanitized after each client per the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Preventionⁱⁱ; and
 - vi. All appointments shall be scheduled by phone or online. No walk-in clients are allowed.
- k. **Car washes.** Entirely automatic car washes and self-service car washes may open for service and must comply with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements.
- l. **Aesthetic or optional exterior work.** Aesthetic or optional exterior residential construction and lawn care may resume. All individuals must abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measures to the extent possible.
- m. **Recreation Activities.** Recreation activities in which Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements can be achieved will be allowed with the following restrictions in place:
- i. Team and contact sports and recreation activities are prohibited;
 - ii. All reservations and payments for activities must be made online or by phone. No cash payments shall be accepted; and
 - iii. All rental equipment must be sanitized after each use.

- n. **Outdoor Playground Equipment.** Outdoor playground equipment may be opened by authority of the municipality of which it is located, with individuals practicing Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements to the extent possible.
- o. **Public beaches.** Public beaches will be open for moving through while walking, running, or biking with individuals and pets practicing Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements. Swimming as well as team and contact sports on public beaches remain prohibited.
- p. **Golf Courses and Driving ranges.** Golf courses and driving ranges may remain open or open with individuals practicing Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements and the following precautions in place:
 - i. Clubhouses and pro shops must remain closed
 - ii. Driving range bays in use must be at least six (6) feet apart
 - iii. All tee times and reservations shall be scheduled, and payments shall be made online or by phone
 - iv. Golf course tee times and driving range reservations must be spaced to avoid clustering of patrons.
 - v. Golf carts must be cleaned between each use.
- q. **Outdoor recreational rentals.** Recreational equipment rentals, including but not limited to boats, kayaks, canoes, paddle boats, golf carts, snowmobiles, and ATVs, may be open with the following precautions in place:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements;
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices;
 - iii. Business must schedule pick-up and drop-off times; and
 - iv. Rented equipment must be cleaned after each use.
- r. **Manufacture, distribution, and supply chain for critical products and industries.** Manufacturing companies, distributors, and supply chain companies producing and supplying essential products and services in and for industries such as pharmaceutical, technology, biotechnology, healthcare, chemicals and sanitation, waste pickup and disposal, agriculture, food and beverage, transportation, energy, steel and steel products, petroleum and fuel, mining, construction, national defense, communications, and products used by other Essential Governmental Functions and Essential Businesses and Operations can continue.
- s. **Organizations that Provide Charitable and Social Services.** Businesses and religious and secular nonprofit organizations, including prevocational group supportive employment, food banks and food pantries may be open with the following precautions in place:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices.
- t. **Media.** Newspapers, television, radio, and other media services may operate. Such establishments shall:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices.

- u. **Gas Stations and Businesses Needed for Transportation.** Gas stations; auto and motorcycle supply, repair, and sales; boat supply, repair, and sales; and bicycle supply, repair, and sales may operate. Such establishment shall:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices.
- v. **Financial Institutions and Services.** Banks, credit unions, and other depository or lending institutions; licensed financial service providers; insurance services; personnel necessary to perform essential functions at broker dealers and investment advisor offices may operate. Such establishments shall:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices.
- w. **Hardware and Supply Stores.** Hardware stores and businesses that sell electrical, plumbing, heating, and construction material may operate. Such businesses shall:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices.
- x. **Critical Trades.** Building and Construction Tradesmen and Tradeswomen, and other trades including, but not limited, to plumbers, electricians, carpenters, laborers, sheet metal, iron workers, masonry, pipe trades, fabricators, finishers, exterminators, pesticide application, cleaning and janitorial staff for commercial and governmental properties, security staff, operating engineers, HVAC, painting, moving and relocation services, forestry and arborists, and other service providers who provide services that are necessary to maintaining the safety, sanitation, and operation of residences may operate. Such establishments shall:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices
- y. **Mail, Post, Shipping, Logistics, Delivery, and Pick-up Services.** Post offices and other businesses that provide shipping and delivery services, and businesses that ship or deliver groceries, food, beverages, goods or services to end users or through commercial channels may operate. Such establishments shall:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices.
- z. **Laundry Services.** Laundromats, dry cleaners, industrial laundry services, and laundry service providers may operate. Such establishments shall:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices.
- aa. **Supplies to work from home.** Businesses that sell, manufacture, or supply products needed for people to work from home may remain open.
- bb. **Transportation.** Airlines, taxis, transportation network providers (such as Uber and Lyft), vehicle rental services, paratransit, and other private, public, and commercial transportation and logistics may operate. Such establishments shall:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements when possible; and
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices.

- cc. **Home-based Care and Services.** Home-based care for seniors, adults, children, or people with disabilities, substance use disorders, or mental illness, including caregivers or nannies who may travel to the child's home to provide care, and other in-home services, including meal delivery, may operate. To the extent feasible, such services shall:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices.

- dd. **Professional Services.** Professional services, such as legal or accounting services, insurance services, real estate services (including appraisal, home inspection, and title services). These services should, to the greatest extent possible, use technology to avoid meeting in person, including virtual meetings, teleconference, and remote work (i.e. work from home). Such establishments shall:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices.

- ee. **Hotels and Motels.** Hotels and motels may remain open. Such establishments shall:
 - i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements;
 - ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices;
 - iii. Close swimming pools, hot tubs, and exercise facilities; and
 - iv. Prohibit guests from congregating in lobbies or other common areas, including providing adequate space to adhere to Social Distancing Requirements while queuing for front desk services.

- ff. **Child Care Settings.** Child Care Settings will be allowed with the following restrictions:
 - i. Child Care Settings may not operate with more than 50 children and 10 staff or present at a time, or at 25% of total occupancy limits established by the local municipality, unless otherwise provided for by order of the Wisconsin Department of Health Services;
 - ii. To the extent possible, adults shall practice Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements and follow all other Department of Health Services public health guidance while picking up and dropping off children at the Child Care Setting;
 - iii. Child Care Settings operating under this order shall follow the Department of Children and Families Guidance Order #2, or any order superseding that orderⁱⁱⁱ; and
 - iv. Child Care Settings shall comply with all other state statutes and administrative rules, as modified by Governor Tony Evers' Emergency Order for Department of Children and Families Administrative Rule Suspension and Emergency Orders issued March 15, 2020, or any order superseding that Order.^{iv}
 - v. Child Care Settings are encouraged to prioritize access to their services as follows
 - 1. Tier 1: employees, independent contractors, and other support staff working in health care.
 - 2. Tier 2: employees, independent contractors, and other staff in vital areas including but not limited to military; long term care; residential care; pharmacies; child care; child welfare; government operations; public safety and critical infrastructure such as sanitation, transportation, utilities, telecommunications; grocery and food services; supply chain

operations; and other sectors as determined by the undersigned health officers.

3. Tier 3: all other individuals.

gg. Photographers. Photography studios may open for the following:

- i. Photographers may photograph outdoors while practicing Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements.
- ii. Photographers may photograph gatherings that are being held in accordance with Section four (4) of this order. Photographers shall comply with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements and follow all other public health recommendations issued by the Wisconsin Department of Health Services and U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.
- iii. Photographers may photograph indoors, of individuals and families within the same household, while practicing physical distancing and protective measures.

hh. Chartered Fishing Excursions. Chartered fishing excursions may open and shall:

- i. Abide by Physical Distance and Protective Measure Requirements when possible;
- ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices

ii. **Other.** All other for-profit and not-for-profit businesses and activities within Calumet County may remain open. Such establishments shall:

- i. Abide by Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements; and
- ii. Abide by Safe Business Practices.

4. **Gatherings.** For all public and private gatherings, the following COVID-19 mitigation strategies shall be considered and implemented to the extent possible:

- a. Comply with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements;
- b. The gathering size limit for the Phase A is recommended to be fewer than 50 individuals.
- c. Minimize sharing of frequently touched objects consistent with the community or individual's traditions and in consultation with local health officials as needed;
- d. Food or beverage offerings should be provided in pre-packaged boxes or bags for each attendee to avoid possible COVID-19 transmittal from sharing common dishes at a buffet or family-style meal; and
- e. Postpone or cancel mass gatherings if it is not possible to significantly reduce the number of attendees within a confined area; and
- f. Nothing in this order prohibits the gathering of members of a single household or living unit.

5. **Closures.** All of the following facilities shall be closed except for the purposes and under the conditions expressly stated herein.

- a. **Schools:** Public and private K-12 schools shall remain closed for pupil instruction and extracurricular activities for the remainder of the 2019-2020 school year, which ends on 6/30/2020. Schools may continue to facilitate distance or virtual learning. School

buildings and property may continue to be used for Essential Government Functions and food distribution. Food distribution shall comply with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements.

- b. **Places of Public Amusement and Activity:** Whether indoors or outdoors, places of public amusement and activity shall remain closed, including but not limited to the following: conference centers, stadiums, dance clubs, carnivals, licensed public or private swimming pools, splash pads, museums, arcades, fairs, children's play centers, funplexes, bowling alleys, movie and other theaters – indoor only, concert and concert halls, country clubs, social clubs, miniature golf, and gyms and fitness centers.
- c. **Auctions.** All in-person auctions shall be closed. This includes agricultural equipment auctions; animal auctions for competition; consignment sales; antiques and collectibles; art; autos and motorcycles; boats and personal watercraft; cars; coins and currency; collector cars and vintage equipment; government surplus property and seizures; heavy equipment and construction machinery; household goods; industrial and manufacturing equipment; intellectual property; jewelry; off-road and recreational vehicles; restaurant equipment; tools; and trucks, trailers, and transportation-related equipment.
 - i. Auctions may continue as virtual auctions or online auctions.
 - ii. All auction preparations, meetings, inventory review, and consumer preview of goods shall occur virtually.
 - iii. After a virtual or online auction, the auctioneer or auction company may deliver, mail, or provide curbside pick-up of goods if it can be done by one person in a room or confined space, including a vehicle.
 - iv. Delivery, curbside pick-up, or parcel services cannot require a signature by the recipient.
- d. **Residential Cleaning Services.** Residential cleaning service providers shall remain closed.
- e. **Garage Sales, Rummage Sales, and Yard Sales.** Garage sales, rummage sales, and yard sales shall remain closed. Individual person to person sales of items, such as on Facebook Marketplace or Craigslist, shall occur while complying with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements and Safe Business Practices. Measures should be taken to avoid using cash in these transactions and electronic means of payment should be used whenever possible. Individuals shall comply with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements during any such exchange.
- f. **Libraries.** Libraries shall remain closed for services except for the following:
 - i. Online services and programming; and
 - ii. Curbside pick-up of books and other library materials, if all operations are performed in compliance with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements to the extent possible. Materials shall be requested online or by phone before pick-up. The library may not require a signature from the patron. The library shall schedule pick-ups and ensure compliance with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements.

- g. **Institutions of Higher Education.** Public and private higher educational institutions shall remain closed for pupil instruction and for extracurricular activities for the remainder of the 2019-2020 school year. Institutions may continue to facilitate distance or virtual learning and perform critical research and essential functions as determined by the institution. Facilities may continue to be used for Essential Government Functions.
6. **Long-Term Care Facilities, Congregate Facilities, and Hospitals.** No outside visitors are permitted in long-term care facilities, congregate facilities, or hospitals. Healthcare providers from outside agencies may continue to care for patients and residing in those facilities.
7. **Shared Spaces.** Unless otherwise provided for herein, all individuals present in Calumet County using shared or outdoor spaces or any place other than their home or residence shall, to the extent possible, comply with Physical Distancing and Protective Measure Requirements. This requirement shall not apply to individuals experiencing homelessness.
8. **Enforcement.** This order is enforceable by any local law enforcement officials including county sheriffs or by the local public health officer. Violation or obstruction of this order is punishable under Wis. Stat. § 252.25 by a fine of up to but not more than \$500, or any local ordinance in conformity therewith.
9. **Duration.** This order shall become effective at May 14, 2020. This order shall remain in effect until a new local or statewide order is issued.
10. **Severability.** If any provision of this order or its application to any person or circumstance is held to be invalid, then the remainder of this order, including the application of such part or provision to other persons or circumstances, shall not be affected and shall continue in full force and effect. To this end, the provisions of this order are severable.

Dated this 14th day of May, 2020



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ⁱ As of the date of this order the most recent guidance is available at: https://www.doj.state.wi.us/sites/default/files/news-media/3.20.20_OOG_Final.pdf

ⁱⁱ As of the date of this order the "Cleaning and Disinfecting Your Facility" guidelines are available at: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/disinfecting-building-facility.html>

ⁱⁱⁱ As of the date of this order the most recent guidance is available at: <https://dcf.wisconsin.gov/files/press/2020/DCF-order-2-covid-19.pdf>

^{iv} As of the date of this order the most recent guidance is available at: <https://dcf.wisconsin.gov/files/press/2020/DCF-rule-waiver-03-15-2020.pdf>