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CHRISTOPHER J. CLARK, MAYOR

Dear Business Owner,

The City of Harvey is following the guidance of state leaders and health experts and have published guidance that is in line with the State of Illinois Phase 4: Revitalization - Restore Illinois Plan. Starting July 3rd, bars and restaurants are allowed to resume indoor activities adhering to the City of Harvey Bar & Restaurant Reopen Plan (included).

Be advised that the state and city's COVID-19 pandemic guidelines are continually changing under the Local Disaster Declaration and Executive Orders. Please visit the City of Harvey website at www.cityofharveyil.gov for the most up to date information and resources. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the Building and Inspection Services Department at (708) 210-5300.

Best regards,

Christopher J. Clark
Local Liquor Control Commissioner



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Bar & Restaurant Reopen Plan

- 1 All patrons must be seated.
- 2 Groups are limited to 10 persons or less
- 3 Indoor capacity is limited to 25% or 50 people per room, whichever number is lower.
- 4 Capacity must be Posted by Placard from City of Harvey, Fire Department.
- 5 Tables must be spaced 6 feet apart.
- 6 For tables that can't be moved — including booths, counters, and bars — hosts should decommission existing eating to space diners at least 6 feet apart. Booths next to one another can be used if 6-foot-tall impermeable barriers, like plexiglass, are installed.
- 7 Patrons and staff must wear face coverings. Except when eating.
- 8 Music is permitted recommend keeping music low, so your server doesn't have to lean in to hear an unmasked diner.
- 9 Sales for on-site consumption in bars and restaurants end at 12 p.m. No alcohol takeout or delivery is permitted. Drinking establishments with licenses in the city should limit seating to a maximum of two hours.
- 10 All advertised and promoted events (musical artists, celebrities, performers) that may draw large crowds will require a special event permit.
- 11 Roof top bars and outdoor dining areas will require inspection and approval from Building and Inspection Services Department.

- Restaurants and Bars may be eligible to apply for an outdoor dining permit to expand operations outdoors after July 14th
- The City of Harvey will enforce all guidelines - fines up to \$2,500



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EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 2020-10

ISSUE DATE: July 3, 2020

EXECUTIVE ORDER IN RESPONSE TO COVID-19
(COVID-19 EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 02)

WHEREAS, in late 2019, a new and significant outbreak of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) emerged in China;

WHEREAS, COVID-19 is a novel severe acute respiratory illness that can spread among people through respiratory transmissions and present with symptoms similar to those of influenza;

WHEREAS, certain populations are at higher risk of experiencing more severe illness as a result of COVID-19, including older adults and people who have serious chronic medical conditions such as heart disease, diabetes, or lung disease;

WHEREAS, The United States Secretary of Health and Human Services declared that COVID-19 presents a national public health emergency on January 27, 2020;

WHEREAS, Illinois Governor J.B. Pritzker issued Gubernatorial Disaster Proclamations declaring all counties in the State of Illinois disaster areas in response to COVID-19 on March 9, 2020, April 2, 2020, April 30, 2020, May 29, 2020 and June 26, 2020;

WHEREAS, The World Health Organization declared COVID-19 to be a global pandemic on March 11, 2020;

WHEREAS, United States President Donald J. Trump declared a national emergency on March 13, 2020 and issued a major disaster declaration for the State of Illinois on March 26, 2020;



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WHEREAS, in response to the public health emergency created by the COVID-19 pandemic, on March 20, 2020, April 1, and April 30, 2020, respectively, Governor Pritzker issued Executive Orders 20-10, 20-18, and 20-32, instituting, modifying and extending "Stay At Home" orders through May 29, 2020, allowing only "essential businesses" to operate and limiting the movement of persons in Illinois in order to slow the spread of COVID-19;

WHEREAS, beginning on March 16, 2020, Governor Pritzker suspended on-premises consumption of food and alcohol at restaurants and bars in Illinois via Executive Orders 2020-07 and 2020-33;

WHEREAS, on May 5, 2020, Governor Pritzker announced "Restore Illinois: A Public Health Approach to Safely Reopen Our State," a five-phase plan gradually reopening the State's economy based on certain medical data presented by the Illinois Department of Public Health;

WHEREAS, on May 29, 2020, Governor Pritzker issued Executive Order 2020-38, lifting the Stay at Home Orders and implementing Phase 3 reopening guidance, including allowing restaurants and bars normally serving food and beverages for on-premises consumption to serve food and beverages for off-premises consumption via delivery, drive-through, and carry-out services and to serve food and beverages outdoors in accordance with State regulations and guidance if authorized by local regulations;

WHEREAS, on June 26, 2020, Governor Pritzker issued Executive Order 2020-43, implementing Phase 4 of the Restore Illinois Plan, providing for the further resumption and expansion of many social and economic activities that were previously suspended, including allowing restaurants and bars to resume indoor, on-premises consumption services subject to Illinois Department of Commerce and Economic Opportunity guidance and restrictions;



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WHEREAS, the CDC recommends community preparedness and everyday prevention measures be taken by all individuals and families in the United States, including voluntary home isolation when individuals or family members are sick with respiratory symptoms or when instructed to do so by public health officials or a health care provider, keeping away from others who are sick, social distancing, wearing masks when social distancing is impossible, covering coughs and sneezes with a tissue, washing hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, use of alcohol-based hand sanitizers with at least 60% alcohol if soap and water are not readily available, and routinely cleaning frequently touched surfaces and objects to increase community resilience and readiness for responding to an outbreak;

WHEREAS, no vaccine or drug is available to cure or prevent COVID-19;

WHEREAS, the Illinois Department of Public Health has confirmed localized community person-to-person transmission of COVID-19 in Illinois, significantly increasing the risk of exposure and infection to Illinois' general public and creating an extreme public health risk in the City of Harvey and throughout the State of Illinois;

WHEREAS, as of June 30, 2020, there have been 143,185 confirmed cases of COVID-19 and 6,923 deaths in Illinois, including 38,182 in suburban Cook County and 510 in the City of Harvey (zip code 60426). The CDC estimates that the actual number of COVID-19 cases is ten times greater than the number of officially confirmed cases;

WHEREAS, the CDC has stated that people experiencing no symptoms can spread COVID-19 and that people are the most contagious before they start showing symptoms. The U.S. Surgeon General acknowledged that there is a significant amount of asymptomatic spread of COVID-19;



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WHEREAS, while the number of Illinois COVID-19 cases has diminished from its peak, such gains are attributable to the public health precautions undertaken by Illinoisans and Harvey residents;

WHEREAS, lifting restrictions prematurely in the City of Harvey may reverse hard-won public health gains that have rendered the community safer;

WHEREAS, Harvey residents may be particularly vulnerable to COVID-19 health impacts. According to the U.S. Census Bureau's Population Estimates Program's most recently available data, 13.4% of the City of Harvey is 65 and older and 17% of residents under 65 lack health insurance coverage. Harvey residents are 70.3% African American and 22.9% Latino, at a time when COVID-19 has disproportionately ravaged those communities and magnified significant health disparities and inequities. The City is home to UChicago Medicine Ingalls Memorial Hospital and the Woodbridge Homes retirement home and the patients, residents, medical professionals and other front-line workers rendering care need continued commitment from the City to the avoidance of inessential congregating in order to continue flattening the COVID-19 curve and ensuring that adequate medical supplies, professionals and other resources remain available to care for the most vulnerable Harvey residents;

WHEREAS, COVID-19 can quickly infect large numbers of people in a brief period of time, and a surge would place extreme burdens on the local and regional health care system and impose longer-term and more severe economic impacts caused by the premature resumption of gatherings that may perpetuate and intensify the community transmission of COVID-19 than would otherwise occur;

WHEREAS, the continuing spread of COVID-19 threatens the health, safety and welfare of the City's most vulnerable residents, front-line workers, and first responders;



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WHEREAS, on July 3, 2020, I declared a Local State of Emergency/Civil Emergency in the City of Harvey (the "Local Emergency Declaration") pursuant to 65 ILCS 5/11-1-6 and Title 2, Chapter 2-88 of the City of Harvey, Illinois Code of Ordinances, which remains in effect;

WHEREAS, Section 2-88-040 of the City of Harvey Code of Ordinances authorizes me to issue orders during the pendency of a civil emergency as are "imminently necessary for the protection of life and property";

WHEREAS, it is necessary and appropriate for the City of Harvey, Illinois to immediately institute temporary measures as set forth below in order to protect the public health and the lives of Village residents, front-line workers, health care workers and first responders in response to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic.

NOW, THEREFORE, by the powers vested in me as the Mayor of the City of Harvey, Illinois pursuant to the Illinois Municipal Code (65 ILCS 5/11-1-6), Title 2, Chapter 2-88 of the City of Harvey, Illinois municipal code, and the Local Emergency Declaration, as extended or amended from time-to-time, and the findings set forth above, I, Christopher J. Clark, Mayor of Harvey, Illinois, in an effort to protect the overall health and safety of the public, DO HEREBY ORDER AS FOLLOWS:

1. Effective as of today, July 3, 2020, all properly licensed restaurants, bars, taverns, private clubs, social clubs, nightclubs, gentleman's clubs, entertainment venues or portions thereof may open provided they adhere to all requirements of their licenses, the Harvey City Code and Section 3(f) of Illinois Executive Order 2020-43 and that they also adhere to the guidelines established in the State of Illinois Phase IV Reopening plan:
 - A. There is no set capacity cap for restaurants and bars based on percentage of occupancy or number of people during Phase IV. Instead the percentage in Section B below will apply. Seated area capacity of restaurants and bars should be determined by arranging seating to provide a minimum of six feet between tables or other designated patron service areas.



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- B. Indoor dining and bar service can reopen with groups of 10 or less, with tables spaced 6-feet apart in seated areas and with standing areas at no more than 25% of capacity. Capacity restrictions will be reassessed based on the latest science and public health metrics on an ongoing basis throughout Phase IV.
 - C. For booth seating, employers may use consecutive booths to serve patrons of unrelated parties only if employer installs an impermeable barrier with a height of 6-ft or greater from the floor between booths. Use of barriers should not impede entry/ exit or impose a fire risk. Use of plexiglass is a best practice.
 - D. Buffets and self-service food stations (e.g. hot and cold bars, bulk items, baked goods) are permitted, and should adhere to minimum additional guidelines.
 - E. Hotel meeting rooms and ballrooms, as well as other indoor and outdoor event venues (excluding arenas, stadiums, and other mass gathering venues) must adhere to the state's Meetings and Social Events Guidelines.
 - F. Meetings and social events are limited to lesser of 50 guests with or 50% of overall room capacity, unless the event is in a restaurant or bar, in which case the 25% capacity shall apply.
2. Effective at 5:00 p.m. today, July 3, 2020, all community events are cancelled for the duration of the Declaration of Local State of Emergency/Civil Emergency.
 3. Effective at 5:00 p.m. today, July 3, 2020, all gatherings exceeding 50 individuals are cancelled for the duration of the Declaration of Local State of Emergency/Civil Emergency.
 4. Effective at 5:00 p.m. today, July 3, 2020, event organizers of 50 person gatherings should closely consider who is likely to attend the event and, if it includes vulnerable populations, strongly consider canceling.
 5. All meetings of public bodies of the City (council, committees and commissions) shall be conducted without a physically present quorum of the public body because of a disaster declaration related to COVID-19 public health concerns affecting the City of Harvey. The Mayor of the City of Harvey has determined that an in-person meeting at City of Harvey City Hall with all participants is not practical or prudent because of the disaster. The Mayor, Aldermen, Administrator and corporate counsel will not be physically present at the meeting because such attendance is unfeasible due to the disaster. Physical public attendance of the meeting at City Hall



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6. may not be feasible, in which case alternative arrangements for public access to hear and participate in the meeting shall be promulgated.
7. The City is suspending all non-critical services provided by first responders (i.e., fire inspections, water meter inspections and replacements). Please note, first responders will continue to respond to 911 calls.
8. All water shut-offs are suspended until August 1, 2020.
9. Violations of this Order shall be subject to the fines, penalties and provisions set forth under the City of Harvey Municipal Code Section 2-88-070 and all applicable penalties provided for by law.
10. If any provision of this Executive Order or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid by any court of competent jurisdiction this invalidity does not affect any other provision or application of this Executive Order which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application. All provisions of this order are deemed severable.

This Executive Order is effective upon signing this 3rd day of July, 2020.



Mayor Christopher J. Clark