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GOVERNOR BAKER'S ORDER PROHIBITING ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION OF FOOD OR DRINK

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To Food Service Establishment owner:

Effective Tuesday, March 17, 2020, Governor Charlie Baker has issued an emergency order prohibiting on-premises consumption of food or drink at bars and restaurants. Establishments may continue to offer food for take-out and by delivery provided that they follow the State's guidance on social distancing. The State is asking that persons try to maintain a distance of approximately six (6) feet from each other, whenever possible, and to continue to wash hands, utilize hand sanitizer and practice proper respiratory etiquette.

As of the date on this letter, the order shall remain in effect through Sunday, April 5, 2020. If any modifications to this order are made, the Southwick Board of Health will notify businesses of such changes. Information will also be made available at southwickma.org.

Attached to this letter is signage your establishment can use to help inform patrons of the Governor's order, as well as information helpful to food service establishments. Please email the Southwick Board of Health at tspencer@southwickma.net or call us at the number above if any questions or concerns should arise.

Sincerely,

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