



CITY OF VICTOR

REOPENING FROM COVID-19

The City of Victor has been operating under the Executive Orders issued by the Governor and related Public Health Orders issued by the Colorado Department of Health and Environment (CDPHE) closing all restaurants, bars, and non-essential businesses.

With the clear guidance provided on Monday, April 27th from the State of Colorado regarding the details of the new “Safer at Home” Order and Teller County’s Board of County Commissioners document “Safer at Home Practices for Our Community”, the City of Victor will follow the minimum guidance set forth by the Colorado Governor in his Safer at Home Executive Order D 2020 044 and by the CDPHE in its Safer at Home Public Health Order 20-28.

The City will look to both the State of Colorado and the Teller County Public Health Department professionals to provide social distancing guidelines to ensure the safety of our residents and visitors.

The City will implement, per the state, the described actions/rules outlined in summary below. The City may adopt its own rules as determined by the City Council at the appropriate time, in its sole discretion, acting pursuant to C.R.S. § 31-15-401(1)(b), “to do all acts and make all regulations which may be necessary or expedient for the promotion of health or the suppression of disease”.

Subject to the City’s right in its sole discretion to enact additional restrictions in the future, at this time, the City encourages all retail shops and commercial office spaces operating within the City of Victor follow the guidelines set forth in the Safer at Home Orders from the Governor and CDPHE, which allows retail businesses to open on Friday, May 1st and commercial office space to open on May 4th, with a 50% occupancy load.

- Maintain social distancing of at least 6 feet between individuals and a total of no more than 10 customers/employees in any single space.
- Follow the guideline recommending that all employees wear masks if in close contact with one another or the public.

- Encourage customers to wear masks while inside retail shopping space.

Please see the Governor's Safer at Home Order (6 pages) and Colorado Department of Health and Environment's Public Health Order (34 pages) on the city's website (www.cityofvictor.com) for complete details on implementing the new Safer at Home Order for retail shops and commercial office space.

The above directions will be in place as long as the State of Colorado's Safer at Home Order is enacted and can be revised by the City Council at any point in the future.

Please contact City Hall for any questions or concerns.

Respectfully,

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TELLER COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

SAFER AT HOME PRACTICES FOR OUR COMMUNITY

The Teller County Board of County Commissioners intends to begin reopening our community in a safe and responsible manner in accordance with the minimum guidance set forth by the Colorado Governor in his Safer at Home Executive Order D 2020 044, effective April 26, 2020, which is incorporated here by reference: <https://www.colorado.gov/governor/sites/default/files/inline-files/D%202020%20044%20Safer%20at%20Home.pdf>

Each and every citizen, business owner, local consumer and visitor in our community is expected to take personal responsibility and take the Governor's Safer at Home directive seriously. Businesses that choose to reopen, based on the Governor's timeline, must follow any applicable industry specific guidelines issued by the Colorado Department of Public Health.

Teller County received and considered reopening plans from the cities of Woodland Park, Cripple Creek and Victor, which were extremely valuable to ensure our combined response complies with all current State of Colorado orders and guidelines. Each municipality in Teller County must adhere to the Governor's Safer at Home Executive Order or may be more restrictive than the State, including but not limited to stay at home orders or additional protective measures. Private business owners may also take additional protective measures, beyond those required by the Governor's Order, at their own discretion.

As we enter this Safer at Home phase, Teller County will diligently track pertinent data and communicate emergent trends to our cities and communities in a timely manner in order to enable critical decisions. Working together we will successfully combat this pandemic.

The Teller County Board of County Commissioners urges its citizens and guests to not seek out ways to "bend the rules" or find loopholes to the Safer at Home Order and guidelines. Exercising personal responsibility in following the minimum standards set forth in the Governor's Order is imperative to ensure the safe reopening of our communities and preventing the spread of the COVID-19 virus.

**Teller County Board of County Commissioners
April 27, 2020**

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