

# #seemysset

## RE-OPEN SAFELY

### A responsible, strategic proposal for re-opening Somerset's businesses

Following federal and state guidelines that call for a **decline in the number of COVID-19 cases during a 14-day period**, the city proposes the following measures to allow residents to gradually and safely return to work. The following plan would be monitored by local government agencies and the health department. **Failure to comply would result in business closure.**



#### **CHIROPRACTORS, OPTOMETRISTS, DENTISTS, ELECTIVE PROCEDURES**

These medical facilities would be permitted to open immediately using the one-in-one-out patient model. Waiting rooms would be eliminated; instead, patients would wait in their cars until called in. Appropriate personal protective equipment (PPE) and sanitization required after every visit/procedure. We put faith in our medical professionals to determine what procedures can safely be performed during this transition.



#### **PERSONAL & PROFESSIONAL SERVICES (HAIR STYLISTS, BARBERS, PET GROOMERS, ATTORNEYS, ETC.)**

Permitted to open immediately using the one-in-one out client model. Waiting rooms would be eliminated; instead, clients would wait in their cars until called in.

- Stylists/barbers required to wear masks, in addition to using as much PPE as possible without affecting quality of service
- Station must be sanitized after every client



#### **RETAIL ESTABLISHMENTS, GYMS & PERSONAL TRAINERS**

- Permitted to operate at 50% capacity (number includes customers and employees) until a second 14-day decline in cases occurs. At that time, will increase to 75% capacity, and then to 100% should a subsequent and substantial decline take place.
- Encourage use of PPE (required for employees)
- Hand sanitizer must be available at retail entrances and use encouraged
- Enforce 6-foot social distancing guidelines (i.e., no "spotters")
- One family member may enter at a time, with exceptions for parents with lack of child-care (one child limit) and those with special needs
- Complete disinfection of gym/athletic equipment required after each use



#### **RESTAURANTS**

- Permitted to operate at 50% capacity (number includes customers and employees) until a second 14-day decline in cases occurs. At that time, will increase to 75% capacity, and then to 100% should a subsequent and substantial decline take place.
- All employees must wear masks changed at regular intervals
- 6-foot social distancing strictly enforced (family units permitted to dine together)
- Utensils must be sealed after cleaning, or use disposable utensils
- Seating areas disinfected after each party exits

**STANDALONE BARS AND BARS IN RESTAURANTS WILL NOT BE OPENED UNTIL SAFETY GUIDELINES COULD BE EFFECTIVELY ENFORCED.**

Individuals and employers are encouraged to follow federal and state best practices for social distancing, PPE, travel and personal hygiene.



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