



Office of the Village President
Linda Jackson

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May 21, 2020

Dear Business Owner:

Mayor Jackson and the Village Board of Trustees are thrilled to relay the news that the Governor has modified the Restore Illinois plan to allow restaurants and bars to reopen with outdoor seating in addition to already permitted carry out, effective on May 29, 2020. As part of the Village's continued efforts to support our local businesses we are preparing guidelines to help bars and restaurants open their existing outdoor seating areas or create new temporary outdoor seating areas.

The Village will provide general guidelines and requirements for bars and restaurants that propose to establish outdoor seating but understand that each business is unique. Each business may have different needs and requirements, and we look forward to working with each of you to help you establish outdoor seating if you choose to do so.

Please begin to think about plans to establish outdoor seating that is in compliance with the Governor's modified order. At this point we know that six foot spacing is required, staff must wear masks and areas must be disinfected.

Please look for another email and letter with more information within the next day or two as more information becomes available from the State. If you have further questions please call Community Development Director Joanne Kalchbrenner at 630-260-6030.

Sincerely,

Mayor Linda Jackson