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PUBLIC HEALTH ALERT!
RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENTS

TO: All Retail Food Establishments

Subject: COVID-19 (Coronavirus) – Governor’s Executive Order

In order to slow the spread of COVID-19, New Jersey Governor Phil Murphy issued an Executive Order for Retail Food Establishments, effective March 16, 2020 at 8PM until further notice:

- All restaurants and bars are limited to offering delivery and/or take-out services (including drive-thrus) only. **NO DINE-IN CUSTOMERS. NO EXCEPTIONS.**
- Supermarkets, grocery stores, and pharmacies will remain open.

Other reminders:

- Wash your hands often with soap and warm water for at least 20 seconds.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth.
- Avoid close contact. Put distance between yourself and other people (six feet or more).
- Stay home if you are sick, except to get medical care.
- Clean and disinfect frequently touched surfaces often. This includes coffee self-serve stations, other customer service areas, tables, doorknobs, light switches, customer area countertops, handles, desks, phones, keyboards, toilets, faucets, and sinks.

The Sussex County Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Health, will try to provide you with the most current guidance as it is received from the New Jersey Department of Health, CDC, and Governor’s Office.