

Greetings,

The Village knows and understands that the COVID-19 pandemic is having an impact on all of our local businesses. We are committed to assisting our business community find creative solutions to address needs within current Dane County Public Health Orders. At their meeting on Monday, July 6th the Village Board approved a resolution to allow for outdoor dining, sales, and displays during the duration of the Village's local state of emergency. The current emergency order is effective until September 7, 2020 with the understanding that it could be extended further if deemed necessary and appropriate.

Under the adopted resolution, the Village Board approved an administrative process for expediting the approval of new or amended temporary outdoor dining, sale, and display areas for businesses. These temporary outdoor dining, sales, or display areas should be located on a business's premise whenever practical. Use of public right of way or other public lands may be considered when other options are not viable.

For a business wishing to expand their outdoor dining space which would include the serving of alcoholic beverages, the administrative approval process would also include review by the Village Board due to current state statutes.

If you are a business who is interested in adding temporary outdoor dining, sale, or display area, please contact Deputy Village Administrator, Caitlin Stene, by email (cstene@waunakee.com).

All the best,
Caitlin

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