



Curbside and Home Delivery of Alcohol Extended

The governor has extended his COVID-19 emergency disaster declaration, which means that curbside and home delivery of alcohol will still be legal through any extension or renewal of the emergency order. All existing requirements and restrictions adopted by the ABC Board must still be followed by businesses that choose to practice curbside and/or home delivery.

National Restaurant Association Offers Guidance Regarding Restaurant Closures

The recent surge of COVID-19 cases has prompted state and local officials to make difficult decisions about how to reduce transmission in the community. We continue to support aggressive steps to protect the nation's public health. But there is an unfounded impression that the hospitality industry is a critical "super spreader" of COVID-19, and our industry is suffering because of inconsistent, restrictive mandates.

National Restaurant Association CEO Tom Bené sent the following recommendations to the United States Conference of Mayors and the National Governors Association:

- Regulations and decisions regarding the hospitality establishments' operations should be based on facts and contact-tracing data, not hypothetical simulations of transmission.
- When restrictive regulations are imposed, such as capacity restrictions or shutdowns, it should be clear what health metrics must be achieved to return to the previous level.
 - Hospitality establishments' operations should be treated the same as other retail establishments. Shutting down indoor dining should be considered a last option.
- If a shutdown is mandated, hospitality establishments should be recognized as essential businesses and remain open for off-premises sales (e.g., takeout, delivery, and drive-through), as well as outdoor dining when possible.
 - Hospitality establishments should receive as much advance notice as possible of changing regulations.

To read the letters in their entirety, please visit [Restaurants Act](#) or click the links below.

[Letter to Mayors](#)

[Letter to Governors](#)

[Coronavirus Impact Survey](#)

Please complete this new [Coronavirus impact survey](#). Alaska CHARR partners with the National Restaurant Association to gather critical data that will be very valuable to our ongoing advocacy and communications efforts during this crisis. We very much appreciate you taking the time to complete it. Please note this survey will stay open until COB Monday, November 30th.

[Industry Call](#)

In lieu of our weekly Industry call, Alaska CHARR members are invited to attend the National Restaurant Association's post-election informational call on Monday, November 23rd. Please keep an eye on your email for details later this week.

[Alaska CHARR Membership](#)

Have you appreciated all the resources CHARR has provided during this crisis? Do you want to have access to new benefits that will directly help your bottom line? Consider becoming a member so that we can continue to provide you the most up-to-date information and resources in addition to our regular fantastic benefits.

Contact Rory McAllister, our Membership & Gaming Manager,
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