

Sonoma County Put on Governor's Watch List, Potential for New Closures to Indoor Operations

Dear Members,

Yesterday, the County was notified by the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) that Sonoma County is now on day one of the State's COVID-19 Data Monitoring list, as having a greater than 10% increase in the three day average hospitalization rate for COVID positive patients. CDPH will monitor the status of this indicator and the County will be notified again if the metric is exceeded again today.

If the County exceeds the metric for three straight days, it will initiate two actions:

1. A narrative will be posted on the CDPH public facing website describing the factors which contributed to the County exceeding the metric. The narrative will be posted <u>here</u>.

2. The County will be required to comply with the requirements listed in Governor Newsom's July 1st Order, which is to close indoor operations for certain sectors which promote the mixing of populations beyond households and make adherence to physical distancing and wearing face coverings difficult. The guidance applies for a minimum of three weeks and is subject to an extension based on epidemiologic indicators.

These sectors may modify operations to provide services outside or by pick-up. The guidance applies to the following sectors:

Indoor Dine-in restaurants

- Indoor Wineries and Tasting Rooms
- Indoor Family Entertainment Centers
- Indoor Movie Theaters
- Indoor Zoos and Museums
- Indoor Cardrooms

In addition, all brewpubs, breweries, bars, and pubs in these counties must close immediately, both indoor and outdoor.

SVVGA will continue to keep you updated on new announcements.

<u>Click here</u> to view the SVVGA COVID-19 Resource Page for daily updates.

<u>Click here</u> to view Sonoma Valley Safe, resources and guidance supporting our local businesses in taking the necessary steps to follow safety and health guidelines as they re-open.

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