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Dear Resident/Business Owner:

Effective today, the State of Illinois is moving to Phase 4 of the Restore Illinois Plan. The Revitalization Phase provides more opportunities for shopping, dining, entertainment and personal care. Key changes include the following with capacity limits and safety guidance:

- All outdoor recreation is allowed including competitive youth and recreational sports.
- Restaurants and bars can open for indoor dining and drinking; individual party limits up to 10.
- Child care and schools can reopen.
- Indoor recreation (e.g. bowling alleys, skating rinks) can reopen.
- Health and Fitness clubs can run open for indoor classes up to 50 people with at least 6 feet social distancing between individuals.
- Meetings and social events (such as weddings and funerals) are limited to 50 people or less with social distancing or 50% of overall facility capacity.
- Theaters and cinemas can open.
- Zoos and museums can open.

Although Phase 4 brings increased openness we encourage you to follow safe practices to reduce the spread of COVID-19, especially to those at a higher risk including:

- Wash your hands regularly with soap and water. Use an alcohol-based sanitizer when hand washing is not available.
- Wear a face mask covering your mouth and nose when in public when social distancing is difficult. Cover coughs and sneezes with a tissue or your arm.
- Maintain a physical distance of at least 6 feet from others.
- Stay home when feeling sick. COVID-19 symptoms include fever, cough, difficulty breathing and shortness of breath.

Enjoy the new opportunities available in Phase 4 in a safe and responsibly manner. Thank you for doing your part in reducing the risk of COVID-19 in our community.

Sincerely,

Sean R. McDermott
Mayor