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Dear Countryside Resident:

In response to a record number of new Covid-19 cases and hospitalizations in our region, Governor J.B. Pritzker recently increased restrictions on indoor dining and bar service, while allowing carryout and outdoor dining. As you would imagine, this is causing a severe financial hardship on our small business owners, employees and their families.

During this difficult time in our community, ***I urge our residents to support Countryside establishments*** by ordering carryout meals whenever possible. Countryside residents have a long history of taking care of one another during hard times, and now is the time to step up again.

The quickest way to reopen our businesses is for everyone to do their part by following public health guidance. Please wear a mask, wash your hands frequently, and social distance as much as possible. If we all do our part, we can reduce Covid-19 infections and support our restaurants and bars who have been adversely affected by the pandemic.

Countryside is stronger when we all work together.

Sincerely,

Sean R. McDermott

Mayor