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Resources

COVID-19 Resources for Businesses and Residents

Executive Order Issued by Governor Abbott on May 5, 2020.

<https://gov.texas.gov/news/post/governor-abbott-issues-executive-order-t...>

Executive Order by Governor Abbott issued May 5th

Effective May 8th



Salons may open with one customer per stylist, with 6ft between stations. Customers and stylists should wear masks. Customers waiting should maintain social distancing and wear masks.

Effective May 18th



Gyms may be open at 25% capacity in the indoor gym space. Outdoor activity should maintain social distancing. Customers must use gloves that cover hands and fingers. All equipment must be disinfected after each use. Equipment brought in by customers should be disinfected before and after use. Showers and locker rooms must remain closed.



Non-essential manufacturing may operate with staggered workforce and 6ft distancing between work stations or physical barrier between stations.



Office buildings may operate with either 5 employees or up to 25% of the workforce. All employees should practice social distancing.



People shall avoid visiting bars, public swimming pools, interactive amusement venues such as bowling and video arcades, massage establishments, tattoo studios, and piercing studios.

effective
MAY 1
through
MAY 18th

Doing Business in Kyle COVID-19 Local Order #6



MASKS



Employees who interact with customers at the point of sale must wear a mask or face covering

SHOPPING CARTS



Shopping carts and baskets for customer use must be cleaned or sanitized after each use.

▼ 25%



Per Governor Abbott's Executive Order non-essential retail, restaurants, and movie theaters may operate at 25% occupancy.

Local Resources:

City of Kyle

Details, restrictions, recommendations and resources for the City of Kyle

www.cityofkyle.com/covid

City of Kyle Critical Infrastructure Verification Letter

Available on request, please contact Kyle Economic Development at All-ED@cityofkyle.com or call 512-262-3932

Kyle Chamber of Commerce

Additional COVID-19 Business resources

<https://www.kylechamber.org/business-strong>

Ascension Seton Hays Medical Center

Ascension is working to keep our communities healthy during this time and prevent the spread of infection while continuing to care for those who need us most.

<https://healthcare.ascension.org/covid-19>

Regional Resources:

Southwest-Texas Border Small Business Development Center

<https://txsbdc.org/>

Small Business Development Center (SBDC)

<https://sbdc.mccoy.txstate.edu/Disaster-Recovery.html>

? Sign up for SBDC Virtual Advising

To combat the spread of COVID-19, Texas State SBDC will be providing virtual meetings to clients on an as-needed basis. Our advisors are here to help answer your questions, apply for business resources, and help your business plan accordingly during this disruption. We're here for you every step of the way. Please contact our office email

sbdc@txstate.edu or via phone at **512.420.9379** to schedule a virtual session.

Workforce Solutions Rural Capital Area

Resources for employers and workers.

? <https://workforcesolutionsrca.com/>

? Employer Resources

o <https://workforcesolutionsrca.com/employers/covid-19-coronavirus-resources>

? Job Seeker Resources

o <https://workforcesolutionsrca.com/seekers/coronavirus-covid-19-job-seeke..>

Hays County Emergency Information

Stay informed with Hays County updates

<http://haysinformed.com/>

COVID-19 Social Distancing Scoreboard for Hays County

<https://www.unacast.com/covid19/social-distancing-scoreboard>

Greater San Marcos Partnership

<https://greatersanmarcostx.com/virus>

Austin Chamber of Commerce

<https://www.austinchamber.com/blog/covid-19-resources-for-businesses>

Resources for Workers Impacted by Coronavirus Layoffs and Lost Wages

<https://www.moneygeek.com/coronavirus/unemployment-statistics-forecast/u...>

State Resources:

Nearest Testing Site

<http://covidtest.tdem.texas.gov>

Office of the Governor Economic Development

State of Texas Payroll Protection Plan (PPP)

Governor Abbott announced this week the State of Texas PPP program. This partnership with the LiftFund and Goldman Sachs has approved \$50M available for loans.

All applications will go through the LiftFund. Act now, funding is going fast!

<HTTPS://TINYURL.COM/QMAGGU6>

? Coronavirus resources

<https://gov.texas.gov/business/page/coronavirus>

? Governor?s Small Business Assistance Team

<https://gov.texas.gov/business>

? Permitting and Licensing office

<https://gov.texas.gov/business/page/business-permits-office>

? Texas Film Commission

<https://gov.texas.gov/film>

? Music Office

<https://gov.texas.gov/music>

Office of Senator John Cornyn

www.cornyn.senate.gov

Texas Economic Development Council (TEDC)

<https://texasedc.org/resources/covid-19-resources-updates-and-links>

Texas Department of Emergency Management

The Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM) serves the State of Texas by managing the all-hazards emergency management plan for the state. TDEM works closely with local jurisdictions, state agencies, and federal partners in ensuring Texas becomes more resilient for future disasters. TDEM staff are stationed statewide and serve six different regions. Whether natural or man-made, TDEM is prepared and ready to respond to all future disasters.

<https://tdem.texas.gov/covid-19/>

Texas Workforce Commission

?Information for COVID-19? banner on our homepage: <https://twc.texas.gov/>

Specific information is provided for Employers and Job Seekers

? **Employers** ? <https://twc.texas.gov/news/covid-19-resources-employers>

and

? **Job Seekers** - <https://twc.texas.gov/news/covid-19-resources-job-seekers>

? The Texas Workforce Commission Shared Work

TWC encourages employers to enroll in program as an alternative to layoffs. The voluntary Shared Work program was developed to help Texas employers and employees withstand a slowdown in business such as the impact of COVID-19.

<https://twc.texas.gov/businesses/shared-work>

? Texas Workforce Commission - Rapid Response

The TWC is happy to conduct a Rapid Response information session for affected or potentially affected workers to provide the information they need during this time. Contact rapidresponse@wfscapitalarea.com for Travis County and rapidresponse@ruralcapital.net for the surrounding counties of Bastrop, Blanco, Burnet, Caldwell, Fayette, Hays, Lee, Llano and Williamson to schedule an information session.

<https://twc.texas.gov/businesses/rapid-response>

Work In Texas.com

www.workintexas.com

Texas Department of Agriculture

<https://www.texasagriculture.gov/NewsEvents/COVID19CoronavirusResponsePa..>

? COVID-19 Resource Guide

https://docs.google.com/document/d/1E-fmLXuRvhYT_7A4txPFUUQNYZ-C4lbtgBBz..

Texas Department of State Health Services

www.Dshs.texas.gov

<https://dshs.texas.gov/Mobile/Mobile.aspx>

Texas Restaurant Association

To support independent restaurants, the TX Restaurant Relief Fund will distribute **grants of up to \$5,000 PER UNIT** to immediately support their financial needs. These funds are earmarked specifically for use to keep their doors open and their workers employed.

<https://mailchi.mp/txrestaurant.org/txrestaurantrelieffund>

SCORE

For over 50 years, SCORE has served as America's premier source of free business mentoring and education. As a resource partner of the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA), SCORE has helped more than 11 million entrepreneurs through mentoring, workshops and educational resources since 1964.

<https://www.score.org/coronavirus>

? Business Resources & SCORE Operations Update

<https://myemail.constantcontact.com/COVID-19--Small-Business-Resources--...>

Texas Women's University grant for Women Owned Businesses

<https://twu.edu/news-events/news/1-million-grant-program-to-aid-womens-b..>

National Resources

<https://www.coronavirus.gov/>

U.S. Small Business Administration: Assistance & guidance

Guidance for businesses and employers to plan and respond to COVID-19

<https://www.sba.gov/page/coronavirus-covid-19-small-business-guidance-lo..>

www.sba.gov/disaster

www.americassbdc.org/disaster

? CARES Act

The programs and initiatives in the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security (CARES) Act that was just passed by Congress are intended to assist business owners with whatever needs they have right now. This guide provides information about the major programs and initiatives that will soon be available from the Small Business Administration (SBA) to address these needs, as well as some additional tax provisions that are outside the scope of SBA.

https://www.sbc.senate.gov/public/_cache/files/2/9/29fc1ae7-879a-4de0-97...

? Emergency Injury Disaster Loans & Emergency Injury Grants (EIDL)

Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) & Grants (you can receive a \$10k cash advance within 3 days of applying for up to \$2m of an Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) ; according to the government, the \$10k advance does not need to be repaid under any circumstance, and may be used to keep employees on payroll, to pay for sick leave, meet increased production costs due to supply chain disruptions, or pay business obligations, including debts, rent and mortgage payments.?

<https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/coronavirus-relief-options/ec..>

EIDL Application

<https://covid19relief.sba.gov/>

? Pay Protection Program (PPP)

The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) will guarantee loans with terms of up to 10 years and interest rates of up to 4% to businesses with fewer than 500 employees. Businesses can qualify for loans of up to \$10 million, and the loans will be provided by lenders including banks and credit unions. Eligible businesses can get loan deferment for six months to a year, and the loan may be forgiven if the businesses maintains its payroll for eight weeks at employees' normal salary levels.

<https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/coronavirus-relief-options/pa..>

Find SBA Lenders Near You

<https://www.sba.gov/paycheckprotection/find>

? Small Business Debt Relief Program

This program will provide immediate relief to small businesses with non-disaster SBA loans, in particular 7(a), 504, and microloans. Under it, SBA will cover all loan payments on these SBA loans, including principal, interest, and fees, for six months. This relief will also be available to new borrowers who take out loans within six months of the President signing the bill into law.

<https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/coronavirus-relief-options/sb..>

? SBA Express Bridge Loans

Enables small businesses who currently have a business relationship with an SBA Express Lender to access up to \$25,000 quickly.

<https://www.sba.gov/funding-programs/loans/coronavirus-relief-options/sb..>

United States Department of Labor

? Family First Act

The Families First Coronavirus Response Act (FFCRA or Act) requires certain employers to provide employees with paid sick leave or expanded family and medical leave for specified reasons related to COVID-19. The Department of Labor's (Department) Wage and Hour Division (WHD) administers and enforces the new law's paid leave requirements. These provisions will apply from the effective date through December 31, 2020.

<https://www.dol.gov/agencies/whd/pandemic/ffcra-employee-paid-leave>

? Workplace Safety

<https://www.osha.gov/SLTC/covid-19/>

? Guidance on Preparing the workforce for COVID-19

<https://www.osha.gov/pls/publications/publication.html>

US Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC)

<https://www.eeoc.gov/>

United States Hispanic Chamber of Commerce

<https://ushcc.com/ushcc-creates-technical-assistance-guide-for-small-bus..>

Alternative funding & banking solutions

? Business & Community Lenders (BCL of Texas)

<https://bcloftexas.org/>

? Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs) Fund

<https://www.cdfifund.gov/Pages/default.aspx>

? PeopleFund

<https://peoplefund.org/>

? LiftFund

<https://www.liftfund.com/>

Find Jobs Now

<https://www.jobsnow.org/>

National Restaurant Association

Apply for \$500 Aid

Through the Restaurant Employee Relief Fund, we will provide grants to restaurant industry employees who have been adversely impacted by COVID-19, financially, whether through a decrease in wages or loss of employment.

<https://rerf.us/apply-for-aid/>

US Chamber of Commerce

<https://www.uschamber.com/coronavirus>

Texas Comptroller's Office

Resources for taxpayers affected by COVID-19

<https://comptroller.texas.gov/about/emergency/>

Export Import Bank of US

EXIM is committed to fully supporting the U.S. exporting community during this crisis.
<https://www.exim.gov/coronavirus-response>

EDA

<https://www.eda.gov/>

HUD

<https://www.hud.gov/coronavirus>

FEMA

<https://www.fema.gov/>

Restore Your Economy

Resource for up-to-date information related to COVID-19 and its economic impacts. It is managed by the International Economic Development Council (IEDC) with generous support from the U.S. Economic Development Administration and IEDC's Economic Development Research Partners program.

<https://restoreyoureconomy.org/index.php>

U.S. Travel Association

<https://www.ustravel.org/toolkit/covid-19-travel-industry-research>

Articles:

69% of Businesses plan to change business model and incorporate work from home

<https://www.bisnow.com/new-york/news/commercial-real-estate/new-surveys-...>

The 7 Best COVID-19 Resources we've discovered so far

<https://www.visualcapitalist.com/7-best-covid-19-resources/>

List Of Coronavirus (COVID-19) Small Business Relief Programs

<https://www.forbes.com/sites/advisor/2020/03/20/list-of-coronavirus-covi...>

Resources in Spanish

KUT publishes professionally translated Spanish versions of web stories that heavily impact Spanish-speaking communities. Sometimes these stories will be published at the same time as the English versions; in breaking news situations, there might be a lag while translators work.

<https://www.kut.org/term/en-espa-ol>

City of Kyle Departments

[Administration](#): 512-262-3920

[Building & Permits](#): 512-262-3911

[City Hall](#): 512-262-1010

[Code Enforcement](#): 512-262-3914

[Communications](#): 512-262-3921

[Finance](#): 512-262-3952 [FY 2017-2018 Annual Budget](#)

[Human Resources](#): 512-262-3928

[Information Technology](#): 512-262-3929

[Library](#): 512-262-7411

[Municipal Court](#): 512-262-3940 or 512-262-3941

[Parks & Recreation](#): 512-262-3939

[Planning](#): 512-262-3925

[Police](#): 512-262-3232

[Public Works](#): 512-262-3024

(After Hours Emergency: 512-787-9896)

[Utilities](#): 512-262-3960

[Animal Control](#): 512-268-8800

Emergency Services

[Kyle Police Department](#)

512-268-3232 non-emergency

[Kyle Fire Department](#)

512-268-3131 non-emergency

