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COVID-19 INFORMATION



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City of Menifee Extends Business License Renewal Date Amid COVID-19

MENIFEE, CA– Recognizing the economic impact that the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) will have on our local businesses, the City has extended the deadline for Annual Business License submittals from January 1, 2020 to June 30, 2020, and depending on the situation with COVID-19, additional extensions may be warranted and approved.

Mayor Bill Zimmerman stated, “Our businesses are vital and cherished part of our community. During this time, we understand the impact that the federal, state and county orders have on local businesses. This is just one action of many to be released that the City has taken to provide much needed relief to our businesses.”

In order to prevent the further spread of COVID-19, it is recommended that each person:

- Practice social distancing
- Stay home to help stem COVID-19, unless for essential needs
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, or mouth with unwashed hands
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick
- Cover mouth and nose when you cough or sneeze.
- Clean and disinfect objects and surfaces often
- If you haven’t done so already, please consider getting immunized against the flu. This will relieve what could be a highly impacted healthcare system.

The City of Menifee has declared Local State of Emergency on March 18, and is implementing sweeping operational changes, including a virtual City Hall to aid the crisis response to the COVID-19. These changes are designed to ensure public safety and sustain the critical fundamental services of the City. Of these changes, additional economic relief programs will be released.

As the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic evolves, the City of Menifee will continue to provide updates. Information regarding the coronavirus is changing frequently. For accurate and up to date information about COVID-19, please visit www.cityofmenifee.us/coronavirus, and [sign up for notifications](#) for alerts and news.

ABOUT MENIFEE: *Situated in the heart of southern Riverside County along Interstate 215, Menifee is a vibrant, new city of more than 95,000 residents who enjoy a pleasant year-round climate, abundant recreational offerings, reasonably priced housing and convenient proximity to some of Southern California’s premiere attractions and employment centers. Within its 50 square miles, Menifee’s business, retail and entertainment outlets are starting to shape the community’s character and this growing economic base is also contributing favorably to the city’s strong financial position. Menifee’s growing family-oriented population values the city’s ongoing commitment to public safety, community events and smart growth for the future. All of these elements are working together to support the city’s strategic vision to make Menifee one of the state’s most promising new cities.*