

The Honorable Governor Tim Walz & Lt. Governor Peggy Flanagan

130 State Capitol
75 Rev Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd.
St. Paul, MN 55155

Re: Minnesota Breweries, Restaurants, and Bars Sign-on to Ask for an Executive Order for Regulatory Relief

Dear Governor Tim Walz and Lt. Governor Peggy Flanagan:

Minnesota breweries, restaurants, and bars are coordinating our efforts to ask that you enact relief efforts to help us remain solvent during this time of crisis.

Our businesses support the hundreds of thousands of employees statewide that have been severely affected by the coronavirus pandemic. Though we understand the need to close breweries, restaurants, and bars to keep Minnesotans safe, we are in grave danger of shutting down forever (and some already have). To that, we are asking that you **enact an executive order that the MN Alcohol and Gambling Enforcement Department provides regulatory relief to allow broader off-sale options for the alcoholic beverage industry**. We believe this is the most effective way to help our businesses during this time.

This regulatory relief would support the alcoholic beverage industry in our efforts to aid Minnesota in slowing the spread of the virus while assisting the industry in dealing with the economic challenges it is facing as a result. As you know, brewery, restaurant, and bar owners and employees care deeply about the safety of their consumers. We believe that none of these measures, exercised on a temporary basis, will jeopardize the public's health, safety, or welfare. This would remove the need to address concerns from individual requests for relief submitted to the AGED and the Governor's office and temporarily allow these small businesses to continue to serve their customers safely.

Breweries, restaurants, and bars are the cornerstones of our communities and want to continue to serve our patrons long after this pandemic has passed. We have come together to advocate for this change because it impacts so many hard-working Minnesotans and we believe **the time to enact this regulatory relief is right now**. Please make this necessary executive order so that our businesses can be there for Minnesotans when we emerge from this fight.

Sincerely,
The Breweries, Restaurants, and Bars of Minnesota

Bryan Turtle
Turtle's Bar & Grill

Dan Jacobs
Bald Man Brewing Company

Kristina Lawson
Black Sheep Pizza

Evan Sallee
Fair State Brewing Cooperative

Keith Cooper
Brew d'Etat

Lon Larson
Castle Danger Brewery

Bryce Cocherell
Pub 42

Previn Solberg
Invictus Brewing Co

Jessie Ritter
Dugarel's Burgers & Wings

Eric Biermann
Inbound BrewCo

Josh & Melissa Leddy
Back Channel Brewing

Patrick Foss
Excelsior Brewing Company

Jason Sandquist
Wild Mind Ales

Ramsey Ansari
Ansari's

Charles Dorsey
Montgomery Brewing

Adam Graf & Dave Gibbons Copper Trail Brewing Co	Ryan Evenson & Josh Evenson Revelation Ale Works	Greg James Iron Tap
Donovan Seitz Kinney Creek Brewery	Eric Foster ESB— East Side Bar	Dan Hart, Mark Schierman & Lane Wanous Bobbing Bobber Brewing Company
Ryan Lindquist Shakopee Brewhall	Sean Ewen Wooden Hill Brewing Company	Benjamin Hugus Ursa Minor Brewing
Jill M. Sauber Northbound Smokehouse and Brewpub	Matt Schwandt Bauhaus Brew Labs	Matthew Zanetti & Matthew Lange Lake Monster Brewing
Tim Kessler Dual Citizen Brewing Co.	Jeremy Hale LTD Brewing Co	Mike Corneille Pryes Brewing Company
Kyle Sisco Venn Brewing Company	Timothy Gust & Luke Rensink Take 16 Brewing Company	Jacquie Berglund FINNEGANS
Eric & Lindsay Nerland Lake of the Woods Brewing Company	John Donnelly Modist Brewing Company	Pugs Hayes Hayes' Public House
Andy Klockow Klockow Brewing Company	Eric Schmidt Insight Brewing	Andrew Erickson & Scott Wege Stacked Deck Brewing
Colin Stumbras Smack Shack	Owen Schultz Charlie's on Prior	Kale Johnson 56 Brewing
Ben Jordan ABV Technology	Linda Holcomb GLUEK BEER	Chris Kolve Wabasha Brewing Company
Laura S.F. Mullen Bent Paddle Brewing Co.	Douglas Jasken DJ's Tap House & Grill	Chad Meyer Fat Daddys Bar & Grill
Jen & Amy Fox Spiral Brewery	Shawn Wigg Moose Lake Brewing Company	Bryan Hallila Poplar Haus
Dee DeLange & Peter DeLange Waconia Brewing Company	Bob Sabes New Bohemia	Bob Sabes Freight House
Bob Sabes Seventh Street Truck Park	Mike Brown Pig Ate My Pizza Kitchen and Brewery	Kent Kopp Pike and Pint Grill
Brett & Ashley Doebbeling Drastic Measures Brewing	Jason Schoneman Steel Toe Brewing	Amayrani Aguilar Javier Bravis Modern Street Food
Kathleen Applen Lakes & Legends Brewing	Jesse Hauf 10K Brewing	Don Seiler Lakeville Brewing Company
Glen Bruestle Inver Grove Brewing Company	Luke Derheim The Block Restaurant - Craft & Crew	Brent Frederick Borough

Brent Frederick Parlour Bar	Luke Derheim Stanley's NE Bar Room	Brent Frederick P.S. Steak
Luke Derheim Pub 819	Brent Frederick Monello	Brent Frederick Constantine
Brent Frederick Parlour St. Paul	Luke Derheim The Howe Daily Kitchen and Bar	Luke Derheim Al's Place
Dawn Nelson Our American Kitchen	Jason Tschida DeGidio's Restaurant	Matthew Jensen La Ferme
Zack Ward OMNI Brewing Company	Mahrie Ohren Garden Bar on 6th	Conrad Leifur & Ann Kim Young Joni/Pizzeria Lola
Brad Klatt Uncommon Loon Brewing Company	Geri & Craig Salmela, Robyn Pettow Disgruntled Brewing	Ryan Seabright Tilion Brewing Company
Dan Schwarz Lift Bridge Brewing Co	Jennifer Melecio Lock and Dam Eatery	Wendy Dodge The Onion Grille
Nicole Sindelar Hastings Public House	Patti & Robbie Soskin yum! Kitchen & Bakery	Tatia Nelson The Busted Nut Bar & Grill
Neil Miller HeadFlyer Brewing	Steve Peltier The Stone Inn	Marcus Dorn Darby's
Tasha Klockow Klockow Brewing Company	Austin Myhran & Adit Kalra 612Brew	Brenda Pearson Hoppy Girl Brewing
Bill Burt Rustech Brewing Company	Jeff Zierdt Lupulin Brewing Company	Annie Henderson Forager Brewery
Laura Huisinga Cuyuna Brewing Company	Laura & Derek Meyers Imminent Brewing	Megan & JD Park Unmapped Brewing Co.
Thomas Whisenand Indeed Brewing Company	Mike Risbrudt ABC Brewery	Zac Carpenter Bad Weather Brewing Company
Ty McBee Big Wood Brewery	James Watkins Sociable Cider Werks	Ryan Petz Fulton Beer
Kevin Welch Boom Island Brewing Company	Erin Hutton Giesenbräu Bier Co	Tyler Kocon Blacklist Brewing Co.
Robert Falink Alloy Brewing Company		