



## HAMILTON COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH

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Dear Hamilton County Business Partners,

Governor Mike DeWine and Dr. Amy Acton, Director of the Ohio Department of Health, have initiated a series of orders aimed at increasing our social distancing during the COVID-19 outbreak. Social distancing and hygiene are the keys to preventing spread of this virus. As Governor DeWine and Director Acton said, every act we take now to slow the spread of the virus will save lives.

As such, we ask you to **allow your employees to work remotely** if and when it is possible. Social distancing reduces the chances for spreading coronavirus, which will ultimately help to save lives, keep people healthy and reduce the burden on our healthcare systems. In addition, in public areas, please work to create spacing between customers. This includes while they are in line or working with your employees.

Thank you for your consideration and support in making the “tough decisions,” as we combat COVID-19 in Hamilton County. Your action now will make a tremendous difference in the health of all Hamilton County citizens.

Sincerely,

Greg Kesterman  
Interim Health Commissioner  
Hamilton County Public Health



*Healthy choices. Healthy lives. Healthy communities.*