COVID 19 Updates & Resources
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CVRPC is providing this information to assist municipalities to maintain situational awareness and to plan for, respond to, and recover from the COVID 19 pandemic. CVRPC hereby grants permission for reuse and reprint of information contained in this document.

The document contains only updated information. Previous resources can be found on our website – http://centralvtplanning.org.

MUNICIPAL NEWS

Information has been gathered from municipal websites or provided directly to CVRPC by the municipality and updated to this Municipal Chart with the latest updates in red. This information is being shared to assist municipalities with mutual response as well as service and planning ideas. Contact Nancy Chartrand, chartrand@cvregion.com with updates.

CVRPC SERVICES

CVRPC provides a variety of services related to planning, public engagement, project management and project implementation in all programmatic areas (transportation, community development, brownfields, emergency planning, energy, natural resources, etc.) and on special projects. Municipalities can contact Bonnie Waninger via email (waninger@cvregion.com) or cell (802-585-9174) to discuss how CVRPC can assist.

RESOURCES AVAILABLE

Vermont League of Cities and Towns
FAQs on Open Meeting Law and COVID-19
Revised 5/27 – VLCT continues to update guidance related to holding public meetings in a virtual format.
**Safely Reopening Municipal Facilities**
This new toolkit from the National League of Cities provides guidelines and resources on how to help your community safely reopen municipal facilities. *(Please note that the toolkit has not been reviewed as it applies to Vermont law.)*

**STATE UPDATES**

**Vermont Department of Health**

**New VDH webpage for Travel Questions**
VDH’s new web page for travelers is live at [healthvermont.gov/covid19-travel](http://healthvermont.gov/covid19-travel). It includes information on quarantine, overnight stays, day trips, and more.

**Agency of Commerce and Community Development**

**Addendum 16 and updated ACCD guidance for Close Contact Businesses and Overnight Summer Camps**

Addendum 16, signed by Governor Scott on May 29, allows:

- Social gatherings of 25 people or less
- Close contact businesses can open June 1 with capacity limits and health and safety precautions (updated ACCD guidance [here](#))
- Overnight summer camps can operate in accordance with VDH and ACCD guidance (updated ACCD guidance [here](#))

**Restart Plan Templates**

Restart plan templates are now available for construction; golf courses; gyms and fitness centers; manufacturing, distribution and warehousing; real estate sales and leasing; restaurants; and retail establishments. These plans can help businesses establish best practices as they reopen and train employees on safety precautions and protocols.

**June 5: Virtual Town Hall on Paycheck Protection Program**
The Department of Economic Development will host a virtual town hall to share updates about the Paycheck Protection Program. Funds are still available for businesses to access. Representatives from the SBA and local banks and credit unions will be available to answer questions.

**Webinar recordings available**

ACCD hosted a series of webinars over the last week to explain the proposed $400 million dollar economic recovery and relief package and answer questions from impacted sectors. Recordings of those webinars will be posted to the Recovery Resource Center as they are available.

**FEDERAL UPDATES**

None.