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Dear Brethren,

Previously, I had stated that our Masonic activities would be suspended until July 1; however, since the Governor has started to open the state regionally, we will do the same for lodge activities. We will follow the state's red/yellow/green phase guidelines for counties to resume activities as follows:

Red Phase

- All Masonic events/meetings remain in suspension.

Yellow Phase

- You may resume limited Masonic activity two weeks after your county officially enters the Yellow Phase.
- No Stated, Extra or Special meetings are permitted due to the social distancing requirement.
- Masonic buildings are allowed to open and will be permitted to host events such as blood drives, fund raisers, elections, Masonic and non-Masonic social events, private rentals, permitted businesses, etc. for groups of 25 people or fewer at a time.
- All governmental regulations must be strictly enforced.
- The Worshipful Master is responsible for oversight, aided by a Safety Officer (somebody who is knowledgeable in the current governmental regulations in place at that time; this may be the Worshipful Master himself).

Green Phase

- You may resume ALL Masonic activities two weeks after your county officially enters the Green Phase, as long as all governmental regulations (if any are in place) are adhered to.
- The Worshipful Master is responsible for oversight and is aided by a Safety Officer (somebody who is knowledgeable in the current governmental regulations in place at that time; this may be the Worshipful Master himself).

If at any time a county or region reverts back to a previous color phase, Masonic activities will follow suit immediately. If a county opens without permission of the Governor, Masonic activities will continue to follow the Governor's mandate for the county. While we all desire to resume our in-person meetings, events and comradery, we must always place the safety of our brethren at the forefront.

I continue to hear of the many ways our brethren are helping each other and our communities. I wish to thank each and every one of you who is serving on the frontlines and/or helping others behind the scenes.

For those of you who may soon resume Masonic activities, cherish your time together. It is my hope and prayer that we will all be able to reconvene safely in the near future.

Sincerely and Fraternaly,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Thomas Gamon IV". The signature is fluid and cursive, with a distinct "IV" at the end.

Thomas Gamon, IV
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