

MCA Detroit is hosting documents in regards to COVID-19. These documents can be accessed by going to mcadetroit.info/covid-19. We will continue to provide updates as relevant information is added.

Plumbers Local 98 has informed MCA Detroit that they will **NOT** be targeting any more jobs until further notice.



MCA Detroit will be closed tomorrow, July 3rd in Observance of Independence Day and will be reopening Monday, July 6th. We would like to wish everyone a happy and safe Independence Day Weekend!

On a Positive Note



Ben Ramirez, in North Beach, San Francisco is a resident who wanted to not only thank front line workers but help people in his community socialize. He offers free coffee to anyone in his neighborhood which is mainly comprised of doctors, nurses, and postal workers. He encourages people to just stop by if they're not coffee drinkers catch up with their neighbors as North Beach has a very vibrant coffee scene. He hands out about 10-15 cups a day and is "open" everyday from 8 A.M. - 12 P.M. He says it's nice to bring people together and his "customers" are always happy to see each other every morning.

Good News!

Legal/Regulatory



Last Night, July 1st, Governor Whitmer signed Executive Order (EO) 2020-143 into effect. This EO effectively closes the indoor service for bars. Outdoor bars may continue to remain open but patrons must sit outside and the only area inside a bar that will remain open are the restrooms. You can read the EO here:

EO 2020-143

Employee/Safety





In addition to Eskbiochem the FDA has advised consumers not to use Saniderm Advanced Hand Sanitizer as it contains Methanol. Methanol has been found in them which can be toxic when ingested or absorbed through the skin. In addition the FDA recommends anyone who has been exposed to hand sanitizer containing methanol should seek immediate treatment, which is critical for potential reversal of toxic effects of methanol poisoning. Both FDA announcements can be found here:

Saniderm Announcement

PPE



The Michigan Chamber of Commerce has assembled an up-to-date list of Michigan Businesses that are taking PPE-related orders. To order from these companies you can simply contact them directly. In addition there is a link to a disinfectant list maintained by the EPA and on May 15th, two new credible sources for PPE were added are reliable and have a good working relationship with MCAA: MONTCO and Rescue One.

MCAA Partner PPE

Disinfectant List

Michigan-Made PPE

Financial News



U.S. Small Business Administration

On June 15th the Small Business Administration (SBA) began accepting new applications for Economic Injury Disaster Loans (EIDL) and Advances. These advances can be up to \$10,000 and do not have to be repaid. Any applications made before April 15th will be processed first and any new applications will be processed on a first come first serve basis.

SBA EIDL Application



The Michigan Economic Development Corporation (MEDC) partnered with Michigan Women Forwards in announcing the creation of a 1.5 million Michigan Entrepreneur Resilience Fund. The fund is meant to help entrepreneurs and small businesses impacted by COVID-19 recover. This fund offers \$1,000-\$5,000 grants and microloans of \$5,000-\$10,000 to small businesses. Applications are being accepted NOW and the program will continue until all funds are exhausted. You can find the requirements and applications are at the button below:

Entrepreneur Resilience Fund

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