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Latest Updates:

- In order to assist local businesses in dealing with restrictions due to the COVID-19 virus, the City of San Dimas is pleased to announce that we will be permitting temporary outdoor hair salons/barbershops/personal care services for any interested local business. The temporary outdoor hair salon/barbershop/personal care services permit will allow an approved business to use adjacent outdoor areas, including parking areas, sidewalks, or common areas, helping them to deal with the financial impact of COVID-19
 - The Temporary Outdoor Hair Salon/Personal Care Services Permit Application can be found <u>HERE</u>
 - For more information, please contact the Planning Department at (909) 394-6250.
- If your business has experience a decrease in operations as a result of COVID-19, you can request an advance of the Employee Retention Credit from the IRS
 - o Learn more: https://www.irs.gov/coronavirus/employee-retention-credit
- Public Health officials and medial experts all recommend to self-quarantine while waiting for your COVID-19 test results. To learn how you can safely self-quarantine while waiting for your test results, click <u>HERE</u>
- Los Angeles County and the City of Los Angeles are working together to expand testing capacity at current sites as well as launching new testing sites beginning next week
 - Testing availability is subject to change and testing is by appointment only. Please visit <u>covid19.lacounty.gov/testing/</u> or <u>coronavirus.lacity.org/testing</u> for the full list of testing sites and the most up-to-date information on availability
 - Remember: if you think you need a test, please first call your doctor. Testing is best done by a healthcare provider so they can monitor your care
- Governor Gavin Newsom today announced new actions to strengthen the state's response to COVID-19
 - Further building a stable stockpile so that health care and essential workers in California do not face supply shortages, Governor Newsom directed the Department of Public Health and Office of Emergency Services to further increase the state's strategic stockpile to 100 million N-95 respirators and 200 million surgical masks by early fall in order to account for the potential need given the recent rise in COVID-19 cases
 - o For more information on the Governors plan, click <u>HERE</u>