

## **A MESSAGE FROM THE MILFORD BOARD OF HEALTH TO OUR MILFORD RESIDENTS**

Most of the country at this point has been fundamentally changed. We don't know yet what the new normal is going to be, but we do know there is no quick end in sight.

So, now, we are all asked to stay home unless we are working essential jobs or seeking essential services. Businesses are closing, people are out of work.

Meanwhile, the United States now has the highest total number of confirmed COVID-19 cases in the world. And Milford's number of confirmed cases continues to rise as we move into the next phase of this pandemic.

We at the Milford Board of Health have been hard at work for weeks to help you combat fear and stay informed by:

- Continuing to bring you the most recent and accurate information
- Providing education and awareness information in order to have a better understanding of what we are confronted with and help you to have control during this situation.
- Answering your questions
- Guiding food establishments on best practices for keeping customers safe and healthy
- Providing personal protective equipment (PPE) to local healthcare workers and first responders
- Partnering with community organizations to ensure all residents have healthy food to eat
- Continuously collaborating with neighboring boards of health and the state Department of Public Health

Our team at the Milford Board of Health is taking our responsibility to protect the public's health very seriously. We are at our office to assist you not only in this matter, but in other relevant board of health activities for which you may need us help or guidance. We are here for the long haul and we will continue to do our part to slow the spread of COVID-19.

The Milford Board of Health appreciates the opportunity to be of service to you and we thank you for your continued patience and support during these difficult times.

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