

Priorities Committee Meeting_Jun16_2020

Report for information**Guidelines for restaurant patios and food trucks during relaunch****Report Purpose**

To provide information to the Priorities Committee requested at the May 5, 2020 Council meeting (Motion 2020/148), relating to the establishment of restaurant patios and possible supports for food trucks, along with options for allowing restaurants to expand their patio space to maintain social distancing while allowing them to relaunch business.

Our Prioritized Strategic Goals

Goal 5 - Foster collaboration through regional, community and governmental partnerships

Goal 6 - Provide facilities and services that are available and accessible to residents

Goal 1 - Build strong communities to support the diverse needs of residents

Report

The enclosures were provided to Council in advance of the formal report to ensure information on the process to support patio expansions and food truck vendors was available as quickly as possible to support business.

Council and Committee History

May 5, 2020	THAT administration provide a report on the guidelines governing the establishment of restaurant patios and possible supports for food trucks, along with options for allowing restaurants to expand their patio space to maintain social distancing while allowing them to relaunch business.
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Other Impacts**Policy:****Legislative/Legal:****Interdepartmental:****Master Plan/Framework:****Communication Plan**

The website has been updated to direct businesses inquiring about occupancy/expansion to Planning and Development Services along with other considerations available to them (such as special signage). Economic Development and Tourism will continue to assist food truck vendors with suitable locations in our community.

Enclosures

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| 1 | Expansion of restaurant patio space Covid-19 considerations |
| 2 | Food truck vendors Covid-19 considerations |