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Glenn County Recovery & Reopening Plan Approved

Glenn County, CA – Glenn County has received approval for the Local Variance application through the State to reopen through Phase 2B of the Glenn County COVID-19 Recovery and Reopening Plan. Glenn County businesses listed under Phase 2A and 2B can reopen under the terms and guidelines set forth in the Plan.

The following are businesses and activities authorized to reopen immediately under Phase 2B:

- **Personal services, limited to:** car washes, pet grooming, tanning facilities, and landscape gardening.
- · Office-based businesses
 - All office-based, professional work.
 - Includes preventative medical, optometry & dental, with adequate PPE.
- **Dine-in restaurants** restricted to 50% capacity, as physical distancing permits.
- Retail store limited capacity based on physical distancing requirements.
- Outdoor recreation individual activities: Hiking, biking, and walking paths, parks, outdoor day use facilities, campgrounds, any non-congregate outdoor activities.
- Childcare limited groups of 10 or less.
- Animal Care Services Grooming, kennels, shelters.

What higher risk activities & businesses should remain closed during Phase 2B:

- Gyms and fitness centers
- Personal care services to include: Cosmetology, barbers, tattoo parlors, massage
- Bars
- Public and community pools
- Organized sports (all ages)

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- Large, congregate settings, examples:
 - Schools, camps, churches, synagogues, mosques, temples, theaters, fairs, outdoor & indoor spectator sport venues
- Senior residential and care facilities should remain closed to non-essential visitors.

As the State and our region begin to safely reopen, additional businesses and services will be authorized to reopen. This will allow for a slow and steady pace to return our community to normal operations. This is necessary to continue to limit the spread of COVID-19 disease. *Community support and personal responsibility is critical for this plan to work.* We ask that each resident of Glenn County make informed decisions to keep yourself and your family healthy throughout the duration of this pandemic.

The Glenn County Recovery and Reopening Plan as well as sector specific reopening guidance documents are located at: www.countyofglenn.net/COVID19

For more information, contact the Glenn County Public Health at 934-6588, visit our website: www.countyofglenn.net/COVID19 or access us on Facebook at www.facebook.com/glenncountysheriff

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